



2023-24 Women's Basketball Game Notes

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2023-24 Schedule and Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 12	at Eastern Illinois	L 75-62
Nov. 18	Western Illinois	L 76-54
Nov. 21	at Southern Miss	L 61-49
Nov. 25	at UAB	L 78-68
Nov. 29	at Western Michigan	L 75-71 (ot)
Dec. 3	at Purdue	L 83-56
Dec. 7	IU Northwest (exhibition)	W 65-60
Dec. 9	Chicago State	W 83-64
Dec. 19	vs. Bethune-Cookman !	L 61-35
Dec. 20	at Stetson !	L 78-62
Dec. 30	at Murray State *	L 90-62
Jan. 4	at Missouri State *	L 67-47
Jan. 6	at Southern Illinois *	L 75-66
Jan. 12	Drake *	L 83-54
Jan. 14	UNI *	L 76-52
Jan. 19	Illinois State *	L 77-68
Jan. 21	Bradley *	W 79-55
Jan. 26	at Indiana State *	5 p.m.
Jan. 28	at Evansville *	2 p.m.
Feb. 4	at UIC *	1 p.m.
Feb. 9	Indiana State *	6 p.m.
Feb. 11	Evansville *	1 p.m.
Feb. 15	at Bradley *	6 p.m.
Feb. 17	at Illinois State *	4 p.m.
Feb. 22	Belmont *	6 p.m.
Feb. 25	UIC *	1 p.m.
Feb. 29	at UNI *	6 p.m.
March 2	at Drake *	2 p.m.
March 7	Southern Illinois *	6 p.m.
March 9	Missouri State *	1 p.m.
March 14-17	at Hoops in the Heartland (Moline, Ill.)	

All times Central.

Home games in bold and played at
Athletics-Recreation Center.

! – Holiday Hoops Classic (DeLand, Fla.)

* - indicates Missouri Valley Conference game

Referencing Valpo

In August 2021, Valparaiso University announced that it had adopted Beacons as the University nickname.

Acceptable references for our athletic teams, athletic department and University are Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Valpo or Beacons. For more information on the new nickname, visit bit.ly/ValpoBeacons.

Valparaiso (2-14, 1-6 MVC) Game #17 - January 26, 2024 - 5 p.m. CT at Indiana State (6-11, 2-5 MVC) Hulman Center (9,000) - Terre Haute, Ind.

Next Up in Valpo Basketball: Following a dominating victory over Bradley last time out, the Valpo women's basketball team returns to the road for the first time in three weekends, starting out the downstate road trip Friday evening at Indiana State.

Previously: Valpo entered the second quarter of its game at the ARC Sunday with a two-point lead over Bradley. Ten minutes later, the Beacons headed to the locker room 22 points to the good, as they exploded for seven 3-pointers and 33 points in all in the second quarter, sending them on their way to a 79-55 victory over the Braves — the team's largest win in MVC play since 2019. Leah Earnest led the way with 24 points, 14 rebounds and six assists, Olivia Brown returned to action and scored 17 points and Ella Van Weelden knocked down all four of her 3-point attempts in the second quarter for 12 points.

Following Valpo Basketball: *Streaming Video:* ESPN+
Links for live coverage: Available via ValpoAthletics.com

Head Coach Mary Evans: Mary Evans is in her sixth year at the helm of the program in 2023-24 and owns a record of 57-105. Evans has made an impact on the program in her first five years, raising the team's level of play to be competitive in a strong Missouri Valley Conference. The 2022-23 season saw Evans lead Valpo to the first win in program history over perennial MVC power Missouri State. The Beacons also won three consecutive road games in Valley play, the first time the program accomplished that feat against three different opponents since 2007.

Series Notes: Indiana State leads the all-time series with Valpo, 10-7, but it is the Beacons who have won five of the series' last seven matchups, including each of the last three in Terre Haute. Both teams won on the other's home court last season - ISU picked up a 66-58 win at the ARC despite four Valpo starters scoring in double figures, but the Beacons gained a measure of revenge with a 54-47 victory in Terre Haute, led by 16 points from Olivia Brown.

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...and @ValleyHoops

- Valpo was picked to finish in 10th place in the MVC preseason poll, totaling 162 points, coming in ahead of Evansville and Bradley.

- Valpo is in its seventh season as a member of the Missouri Valley Conference.

- The Valley was ranked 13th in conference NET last season. The MVC ranked 10th in conference NET in 2021-22, seventh in conference NET in 2020-21 and was eighth in conference RPI in 2019-20.



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2023-24 Valpo Women's Basketball Roster

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown/High School (Prev. School)
0	Jill Harris	G	5-9	5th*	Navarre, Fla./Crestview (Johnson C. Smith)
1	Emma Tecca	G	5-10	R-Sr.	Tallmadge, Ohio/Archbishop Hoban (Akron)
2	Olivia Brown	G	5-8	5th*	East Grand Rapids, Mich./East Grand Rapids (St. Bonaventure)
3	Ava Interrante	G	5-9	Sr.	McHenry, Ill./McHenry
5	Raeven Raye-Redmond	G	5-6	Fr.	Trotwood, Ohio/Trotwood Madison
11	Nevaeh Jackson	G/F	6-0	Fr.	Fort Wayne, Ind./Northrop
12	Saniya Jackson	G/F	6-0	Fr.	Fort Wayne, Ind./Northrop
20	Katie Beyer	F	6-1	Jr.	McHenry, Ill./McHenry
21	Layla Gold	G/F	5-11	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral
22	Leah Earnest	G/F	5-10	Sr.	Stevens Point, Wis./SPASH
24	Kayla Preston	F	6-0	Fr.	Omaha, Neb./Millard North
25	Ella Van Weelden	F	6-2	R-So.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa/Marion
33	Olivia Sims	G	5-9	Jr.	Toledo, Ohio/Notre Dame Academy (Oakland)

* - indicates player is utilizing additional season of eligibility granted by NCAA due to impact of COVID-19 pandemic

Head Coach: **Mary Evans** (Georgia Southern, 2000) – 6th season
Assistant Coaches: **Emily Hays**, **Dominique Duck** and **Dominique Doseck**
Director of Basketball Operations: **Kaylin Speedy**
Graduate Assistant: **Shelby Case**, **Emily Rohman** and **James Sroge**

Pronunciation Guide

1 Emma Tecca – TEK-uh
3 Ava Interrante – a-VUH IN-ter-on-TAY
11 Nevaeh Jackson – nuh-VAY-uh
12 Saniya Jackson – suh-NIGH-uh
20 Katie Beyer – BY-er
25 Ella Van Weelden - VAN WELL-den
AC Dominique Doseck - DOUGH-sek

Valpo Versus Indiana State

All-time series: ISU leads 10-7
At Valpo: ISU leads 6-1
At ISU: Valpo leads 4-3
At neutral sites: Valpo leads 2-1
Current streak: Valpo W1
Current streak at Valpo: ISU W2
Current streak at ISU: Valpo W3

Last 10 - Tied 5-5

Date	Site	W/L	Score
Feb. 17, 2023	Terre Haute, Ind.	W	54-47
Jan. 7, 2023	Valparaiso, Ind.	L	66-58
Feb. 19, 2022	Terre Haute, Ind.	W	74-69
Jan. 21, 2022	Valparaiso, Ind.	L	85-65
Feb. 8, 2020	Valparaiso, Ind.	W	61-45
Jan. 10, 2020	Terre Haute, Ind.	W	75-56
March 14, 2019	Moline, Ill.	W	79-77
Feb. 17, 2019	Terre Haute, Ind.	L	67-59
Jan. 18, 2019	Valparaiso, Ind.	L(ot)	86-82
Feb. 23, 2018	Terre Haute, Ind.	L	64-46

Among the Missouri Valley Conference Leaders

Individual Leaders (among top 10)

Olivia Brown	Free Throw Pct.	4th	.868
Olivia Brown	3-Point Pct.	7th	.368
Olivia Brown	3-Pointers	9th	1.8
Leah Earnest	Scoring	6th	14.3
Leah Earnest	Rebounding	9th	6.9
Saniya Jackson	Steals	8th	1.9
R. Raye-Redmond	Steals	4th	2.2

Team Leaders (among top 4)

Steals	2nd	10.4
3-Pointers	3rd	7.6



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...looking back at last year

- Valpo finished last season with a 7-23 overall record and finished at 5-15 in MVC play, good for 11th in the Valley standings.
- The Beacons earned their first win in program history over perennial MVC power Missouri State.
- Valpo also won three consecutive road games in Valley play, the first time the program accomplished that feat against three different opponents since 2007.
- Ali Saunders was named to the MVC All-Freshman Team.

...versus Bradley

- Valpo led 14-12 at the end of the first quarter, and was still ahead just 23-19 with 6:28 to play in the half.
- In what seemed like a blink of the eye, but what was in fact 1:19 of game time, the Beacons reeled off 11 points in a four-possession span. Ella Van Weelden had two 3-pointers in that stretch, the second of which forced a Bradley timeout with the score 34-21 and 4:53 to play
- The Braves scored on their first possession out of the stoppage, but that just set up a 10-0 run over the next three and a half minutes for Valpo. Van Weelden had the bulk of that run as well, knocking down two more 3-pointers.
- Bradley snapped the run with a basket inside the final minute. Fittingly enough, however, Valpo capped the first-half scoring with a 3-pointer, this one courtesy of senior Emma Tecca on its final offensive possession to send the Beacons into the locker room with a 47-25 lead.
- The result was never in doubt in the second half, as Valpo's lead did not drop below 20 points. A 3-pointer in the final seconds of the third quarter from Olivia Brown put the Beacons ahead 66-37 at the end of the quarter, and Valpo led by as many as 34 points in the final period.
- Leah Earnest led the way with 24 points, 14 rebounds and six assists.
- In her return to action, Olivia Brown dropped in 17 points, while Van Weelden was a perfect 4-for-4 from deep to match her career high with 12 points.
- Led by Earnest's efforts on the glass, Valpo outrebounded Bradley 38-34 — the first time this year Valpo has held the edge in that category.

Media Relations Information

Requests to cover home women's basketball games should be made at least 48 hours in advance of the game through Aaron Leavitt, Assistant Director of Athletics for Media Relations, via e-mail at Aaron.Leavitt@valpo.edu. Credentials and media seating are available at the ARC for working media only. Updated statistics and notes from both schools will be provided electronically.

During the week, all player and coach interview requests should be directed to Aaron Leavitt. Media planning to attend practice should call ahead to Leavitt to confirm practice time. Game-day interviews prior to the game are not permitted. Coach Evans and requested players will be available following the game.

- Valpo finished the game hitting 12-of-28 (42.9%) from the 3-point line, season bests for both 3-pointers made and 3-point percentage. The Beacons also went 19-of-22 (86.4%) from the foul line, a season-best percentage there as well.

- Valpo entered the game ranked 35th nationally in steals/game, but had a season-low five thefts on Sunday. The Beacons still forced 14 Bradley turnovers, converting those into 13 points.

...versus Illinois State

- Valpo led by as many as four points in the early going, but Illinois State closed the first quarter on a 10-3 run to lead 17-11 at the end of one.
- Nevaeh Jackson poured in 17 points in the second quarter alone as the Beacons outscored the Redbirds 26-18 in the period. A Leah Earnest layup in the final seconds of the quarter gave Valpo a 37-35 lead at halftime.
- The Redbirds took the lead for good with a 6-0 run in the middle of the third quarter and led 56-49 with 10 minutes to play.
- Earnest scored on Valpo's first trip in the fourth quarter to make it a five-point game, and when Emma Tecca drilled a 3-pointer with 7:24 to play, the Beacons were within 58-54. ISU scored 10 points on its next four trips, however, to extend its lead to 68-58 past the halfway mark of the quarter.
- Jackson's second quarter alone surpassed her previous career high, as she finished with 19 points.
- Earnest finished with her third double-double of the year, scoring a game-high 20 points and grabbing 10 rebounds.
- Ava Interrante rounded out the trio of Valpo players in double figures with 14 points, a season high and one off her career best, as she hit 5-of-7 from the field, including both her 3-point attempts.
- Valpo shot just 39.7% from the floor (23-of-56) versus Illinois State's 46.9% (23-of-49) clip, but the Beacons hit seven triples to the Redbirds' six.
- ISU enjoyed a 10-point advantage at the foul line, going 25-of-32 to Valpo's 15-of-18. The Beacons' 83.3% clip from the charity stripe was the team's best single-game performance of the year (minimum 10 attempts).
- Valpo committed just 13 turnovers to match its season low. On the defensive end, the Beacons hit the double-figure mark in steals for the eighth time this year, coming up with 12 thefts.

...looking ahead

- The swing through the Hoosier State finishes off Sunday afternoon at Evansville.
- Valpo has just one game next week, a Sunday afternoon matinee at UIC.

...on the road

- Valpo will play 17 games away from home in the 2023-24 regular season, 16 of which will be true road games.
- The Beacons are 0-10 away from home so far this year and posted a 4-10 record in true road games last season.



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MVC Standings

(as of Jan. 24)

Team	MVC		Overall	
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Drake	7-0	1.000	14-4	.778
Missouri State	6-1	.857	12-4	.750
Belmont	6-1	.857	13-5	.722
Murray State	5-2	.714	12-4	.750
UNI	4-2	.667	5-10	.333
Illinois State	4-3	.571	11-6	.647
UIC	3-3	.500	10-7	.588
Southern Illinois	2-5	.286	7-10	.412
Indiana State	2-5	.286	6-11	.353
Valpo	1-6	.143	2-14	.125
Bradley	1-6	.143	5-13	.278
Evansville	0-7	.000	2-16	.111

MVC Schedule

Thursday, January 25

Drake at Bradley, 6 p.m.
UNI at Illinois State, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, January 26

Valpo at Indiana State, 5 p.m.
Southern Illinois at Murray State, 6 p.m.
UIC at Evansville, 6 p.m.
Missouri State at Belmont, 6 p.m.

Saturday, January 27

UNI at Bradley, 2 p.m.
Drake at Illinois State, 4 p.m.

Sunday, January 28

UIC at Indiana State, noon
Missouri State at Murray State, 2 p.m.
Valpo at Evansville, 2 p.m.
Southern Illinois at Belmont, 2 p.m.

Wednesday, January 31

UNI at UIC, 6 p.m.

Friday, February 2

Murray State at Belmont, 6 p.m.

Saturday, February 3

Missouri State at Southern Illinois, 4 p.m.
Bradley at Evansville, 5 p.m.
Drake at UNI, 6 p.m.

Sunday, February 4

Illinois State at Indiana State, noon
Valpo at UIC, 1 p.m.

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- Indiana State enters Friday night's game one game up on Valpo in the standings at 2-5 in MVC play.
- The Sycamores are 6-11 overall, with losses in five of their last six games.
- Four of ISU's five starters are averaging in double figures, but none of those players is averaging more than 10.7 points/game.

A Big Win

- There was no drama in the second half at the ARC on Sunday, as the Beacons led Bradley by as many as 34 points on their way to the 79-55 victory.
- Valpo's 24-point margin of victory was its largest since beating Western Michigan 75-51 in December 2020.
- It was the program's largest margin of victory in MVC play since a 93-49 win over Evansville in January 2019.
- The Beacons held Bradley to 55 points, a season low for their opponents. The Braves shot just 29.1% from the floor, the lowest mark by a Valpo opponent since Illinois State shot just 28.8% in January 2021.

That Second Quarter Tho

- The offensive numbers from the second quarter in the Bradley win are the fun ones.
- Valpo scored 33 points in the period, the program's second-highest output in a quarter since the change to quarters in 2014-15 — only bested by a 35-point third quarter in the aforementioned Evansville game.
- The Beacons were 9-of-14 from the field in the second quarter, including a 7-of-10 mark from behind the 3-point line, and hit 8-of-9 from the foul line. Their 33 points came on just 19 possessions, an average of 1.74 points per possession.

3lla Van W33lden

- Leading the way in that second quarter was sophomore Ella Van Weelden, who hit four 3-pointers in a single period for the second time this year. This time, the sophomore was perfect, connecting on all four of her tries.
- Van Weelden finished the afternoon with the 12 points she scored in that quarter, matching her career best set earlier this year in the fourth quarter at Southern Illinois. Notably, outside of those two single-quarter performances, her career high for scoring in a game is nine points.
- Van Weelden did not attempt a triple outside of the second period, becoming the first Valpo player to hit 100% from deep with at least four attempts in a game since Carie Weinman went 4-of-4 from 3-point range against Illinois State in February 2022.

A Unicorn of a Stat Line

- Senior Leah Earnest had a game unlike any ever seen by a Valpo women's basketball player on Sunday in the win over Bradley.
- Earnest finished with game highs of 24 points, 14 rebounds and six assists - in single-game records dating back to the late 1980's, no Valpo player has ever hit all three of those marks in the same game.
- Earnest is one of just three Division I players this season to reach all three of those marks in the same game — Iowa's Caitlin Clark did so against Loyola, while Abilene Christian's Bella Earle did so against California Baptist. She is also one of just two MVC players to post a stat line like that in the last 13 seasons.



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- Earnest recorded her fourth double-double of the year and set a career high for free throws made (7). She also matched her career bests for 3-pointers made (3), rebounds and assists.

Earnest's Helping Hand

- Not only did Earnest score 24 points against Bradley, she also tallied six assists - five of which came on 3-pointers.
- This came two days after the senior posted 20 points and recorded three assists - all on triples - against Illinois State.
- That means over the course of last weekend, Earnest had a direct hand in 70 of Valpo's 147 points - a 47.6% mark.
- Eight of nine assists coming on 3-pointers seems awfully high, but it's not altogether out of line with the season Earnest has put together distributing the basketball.
- Of Earnest's 46 assists, 37 of them (80.4%) have been on made 3-pointers. She has either scored or assisted on 57 of Valpo's 121 made 3-pointers (47.1%) this year.

A Welcome Return

- Sunday was a big afternoon for fifth-year guard Olivia Brown.
- Prior to the game, Brown was recognized for reaching 1,000 collegiate points last month.
- Brown started the game on the bench, but answered the call 4:05 into the contest for her first action since getting injured in the fourth quarter at Missouri State Jan. 4.
- Brown made up for lost time, hitting her first shot attempt, a 3-pointer less than three minutes after entering the game — the first arrow in what proved to be 17 points in her quiver, as she hit 5-of-6 from the field, 2-of-3 from deep and 5-of-5 from the foul line.
- Brown now owns 1,061 collegiate points, 695 of which have come in her three seasons in the Valpo uniform.

What a Quarter, Ms. Jackson

- Freshman Nevaeh Jackson flew past her previous season best of 11 points in just one quarter of action Friday against Illinois State, dropping 17 points in the second quarter.
- Jackson went 6-of-8 from the floor in the period, including a perfect 3-of-3 mark from deep, and hit both of her free throw attempts.
- Impressively, Jackson did all that scoring in just 6:30 of game time, as her first points came with 8:11 to play in the quarter and her final points came at the 1:41 mark.
- The 17 points is tied for second-most by a Valpo player in a single quarter since the move to quarters in 2015-16, outdone only by Meredith Hamlet's 19-point fourth quarter at Loyola in February 2018.
- Jackson is the second Valpo player this season to outdo their previous career high from scoring in a single quarter, as Ella Van Weelden did the same with her 12-point fourth quarter at Southern Illinois.

Double-Digit Quarters

- Jackson wasn't the only Beacon to post a double-figure scoring quarter on Friday, as Leah Earnest closed with a flourish, scoring 13 points in the fourth quarter.
- Earnest scored double figures in a quarter for the fourth time in her career, three of which have come this season (at UAB, 11, Q4; Chicago State, 12, Q1).

- Earnest also had a double-digit quarter as a sophomore, scoring 10 in the second quarter at Southern Illinois.
- Friday marked the second time this season that multiple Valpo players have posted a double-figure quarter in the same game, as Earnest had 12 in the first quarter and Olivia Brown 14 in the third quarter in the win over Chicago State.

Another Leap Forward

- Senior Leah Earnest took a jump forward in her production last season, and has taken another leap this year.
- Earnest enters Friday's game ranked sixth in the conference in scoring (14.3) and ninth in rebounding (6.9).
- She is also averaging a team-best 2.9 assists/game as well.
- Earnest is on pace to become the first Valpo player since Debbie Bolen in 1991-92 to lead the team in points, rebounds and assists.
- Earnest has been consistent, scoring in double figures in 14 of 16 games to date.
- Earnest entered this season with a career high of 20 in the scoring column, but has hit that mark or better five times this year, including a career-best 26 points at UAB.
- Earnest posted a pair of double-doubles last weekend, giving her four on the season.
- With her seventh rebound at Missouri State, Earnest hit the 500-rebound mark for her career, becoming the 19th player in program history with 500 career boards. She enters Friday's game ranked 16th in program history with 538 career rebounds.

Youth in the Lineup

- The Beacons' starting lineup has been 60% comprised of freshmen the last five times out.
- Layla Gold made her first collegiate start at Southern Illinois, joining Saniya Jackson and Nevaeh Jackson in the starting five.
- It was the first time Valpo has started three freshmen since March 11, 2016, when Hannah Schaub, Meredith Hamlet and Amber Lindfors were in the starting lineup against Northern Kentucky.
- Gold's insertion into the lineup was necessitated after Olivia Brown suffered an injury in the fourth quarter of the previous game at Missouri State which kept her out against the Salukis. It was the first game Brown has missed in her three years at Valpo, snapping a streak of 71 consecutive games played.

Thievery Abounds

- Valpo has gotten back to its stealing ways on the defensive end this season.
- The Beacons rank 44th nationally with 10.4 steals/game, and per HerHoopStats.com, their steal rate of 12.3% is good for 31st nationally.
- Valpo has been in double figures in steals in eight games this season, highlighted by an 18-steal effort against Western Illinois Nov. 18.
- The 18 steals was the program's best single-game mark since tallying 21 steals at Evansville on Jan. 12, 2020, and is tied for the second-highest output in Evans' tenure as head coach.



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Season/Career Totals		
	2023-24	Career
10+ Points		
Leah Earnest	14 (2-12)	41 (11-30)
Saniya Jackson	7 (1-6)	7 (1-6)
Olivia Brown	6 (2-4)	29 (13-16)
Jill Harris	3 (0-3)	3 (0-3)
Nevaeh Jackson	3 (0-3)	3 (0-3)
Ava Interrante	2 (0-2)	5 (0-5)
Ella Van Weelden	2 (1-1)	2 (1-1)
Olivia Sims	1 (0-1)	4 (1-3)
Emma Tecca	---	2 (0-2)
Katie Beyer	---	1 (1-0)
20+ Points		
Leah Earnest	5 (2-3)	6 (3-3)
Olivia Brown	1 (1-0)	7 (3-4)
10+ Rebounds		
Leah Earnest	4 (1-3)	15 (4-11)
5+ Assists		
Leah Earnest	4 (2-2)	4 (2-2)
Raeven Raye-Redmond	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Nevaeh Jackson	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Olivia Brown	---	2 (0-2)
3+ 3-Pointers		
Olivia Brown	3 (1-2)	15 (4-11)
Leah Earnest	3 (1-2)	5 (1-4)
Jill Harris	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Nevaeh Jackson	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Ella Van Weelden	2 (1-1)	2 (1-1)
Saniya Jackson	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Ava Interrante	---	2 (0-2)
Emma Tecca	---	1 (0-1)
3+ Steals		
Raeven Raye-Redmond	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Saniya Jackson	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Leah Earnest	3 (1-2)	5 (3-2)
Ava Interrante	2 (0-2)	5 (0-5)
Olivia Brown	2 (1-1)	2 (1-1)
Nevaeh Jackson	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Starts		
Leah Earnest	16 (2-14)	57 (15-42)
Nevaeh Jackson	14 (2-12)	14 (2-12)
Ava Interrante	12 (2-10)	25 (4-21)
Saniya Jackson	12 (2-10)	12 (2-10)
Olivia Brown	11 (1-10)	52 (14-38)
Layla Gold	5 (1-4)	5 (1-4)
Katie Beyer	4 (0-4)	9 (1-8)
Jill Harris	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Olivia Sims	2 (0-2)	18 (5-13)
Emma Tecca	---	8 (3-5)

- Freshman Raeven Raye-Redmond currently ranks fourth in the Valley with 2.2 steals/game despite playing just 15.4 minutes/game, while fellow rookie Saniya Jackson is eighth in the MVC with 1.9 steals/game.

- Both Jackson and Raye-Redmond have had an eight-steal game this season - Jackson did so Nov. 25 at UAB and Raye-Redmond did so in her collegiate debut in the aforementioned Western Illinois game.

- Jackson and Raye-Redmond are two of just 27 D-I players nationally to record eight or more steals in a single game so far this season.

- The duo are now tied for second on Valpo's single-game steals chart, just one off the program single-game record.

- Prior to this year, the last Valpo player to tally eight steals in a game was Jeanette Gray against Houston in the 2002 WNIT.

- Raye-Redmond was the first MVC player to record eight steals in a game since UNI's Ellie Herzberg did so against Indiana State on Feb. 19, 2017.

Returning Production

- The Beacons return the majority of production from last year's squad.

- Three of Valpo's top four scorers from the 2022-23 season are back for the 2023-24 campaign.

- In all, Valpo returns 64.7% of its minutes played, 66.4% of its scoring and 72.1% of its rebounding from the 2022-23 team.

Who's Back

- This year's squad features seven returnees from last year's team.

- Headlining Valpo's returnees is fifth-year guard Olivia Brown. The Beacons' leading scorer last year at 12.0 points/game, Brown was one of the Valley's top shooters, ranking third in the conference in 3-point percentage and sixth in 3-pointers/game.

- Senior forward Leah Earnest took a leap forward last season, averaging 9.8 points and a team-high 7.4 rebounds per game — the latter mark good for sixth in the Valley. Earnest was especially proficient on the defensive glass, with a defensive rebounding rate of 28.3% — 13th-best nationally among players with at least 100 defensive boards.

- Junior Olivia Sims was Valpo's fourth-leading scorer last year, averaging 5.0 points/game.

- Senior Ava Interrante (4.1 ppg, 29 steals), redshirt senior Emma Tecca (3.0 ppg), junior Katie Beyer (2.0 ppg) and redshirt sophomore Ella Van Weelden (1.6 ppg) all return as well for the 2023-24 season.

Who's New

- Nearly half the Valpo roster is new to the program this season, with the vast majority of those

newcomers true freshmen.

- The lone incoming transfer was fifth-year point guard Jill Harris. Harris most recently played one season at Johnson C. Smith. She was a SoCon All-Freshman Team selection as a rookie at Mercer in 2019-20 and helped the Bears to the NCAA Tournament in 2020-21.

Season/Career Totals		
	2023-24	Career
Team Leader in Points		
Leah Earnest	8 (1-7)	15 (2-13)
Olivia Brown	3 (1-2)	20 (8-12)
Jill Harris	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Saniya Jackson	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Olivia Sims	1 (0-1)	2 (0-2)
Ava Interrante	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Emma Tecca	---	1 (0-1)
Team Leader in Rebounds		
Leah Earnest	12 (1-11)	45 (9-36)
Ella Van Weelden	2 (1-1)	3 (1-2)
Saniya Jackson	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Ava Interrante	1 (1-0)	2 (1-1)
Nevaeh Jackson	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Olivia Sims	---	1 (0-1)
Emma Tecca	---	1 (0-1)
Team Leader in Assists		
Leah Earnest	8 (2-6)	11 (2-9)
Olivia Brown	3 (0-3)	8 (1-7)
Olivia Sims	2 (0-2)	4 (1-3)
Ava Interrante	3 (0-3)	3 (0-3)
Nevaeh Jackson	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Raeven Raye-Redmond	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)
Emma Tecca	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Team Leader in Steals		
Raeven Raye-Redmond	6 (0-6)	6 (0-6)
Leah Earnest	5 (2-3)	13 (5-8)
Saniya Jackson	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Nevaeh Jackson	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Olivia Brown	3 (1-2)	9 (3-6)
Ava Interrante	1 (0-1)	7 (0-7)
Ella Van Weelden	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Olivia Sims	---	4 (2-2)
Emma Tecca	---	2 (1-1)
Katie Beyer	---	2 (0-2)
Team Leader in Blocks		
Nevaeh Jackson	7 (2-5)	7 (2-5)
Ella Van Weelden	4 (0-4)	9 (2-7)
Layla Gold	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Saniya Jackson	4 (0-4)	4 (0-4)
Leah Earnest	2 (0-2)	12 (4-8)
Olivia Sims	2 (0-2)	5 (1-4)
Katie Beyer	1 (0-1)	4 (1-3)
Emma Tecca	1 (0-1)	3 (0-3)
Kayla Preston	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)
Ava Interrante	---	3 (0-3)
Olivia Brown	---	2 (0-2)



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- Valpo welcomes its first Indiana All-Star to the program since 2017, as Indianapolis native Layla Gold earned the prestigious honor last season.
- Gold is one of four All-State high school players new to the roster this season. Twins Nevaeh and Saniya Jackson, out of Northrop [Ind.] H.S., were both First Team All-State selections as seniors, while Raeven Raye-Redmond earned Second Team All-State honors out of Trotwood Madison [Ohio] H.S.
- Kayla Preston joins the Beacons as a true freshman as well after helping lead Millard North [Neb.] H.S. to a state semifinal appearance as a senior.

#0 Jill Harris

- Harris has not played since Nov. 25 due to injury.
- Harris matched her career high with a 14-point effort at Southern Miss, hitting three 3-pointers.
- Harris led Valpo in scoring versus Western Illinois Nov. 18, scoring 13 points (3-4 3PT).
- Harris debuted for Valpo in the Nov. 12 season opener at Eastern Illinois, starting at the point and tallying 12 points, three rebounds and three assists.
- Harris joins the program this season as a grad transfer after averaging 8.7 points/game in 17 appearances last year for Johnson C. Smith.
- Harris played in 2021-22 at Alabama A&M, helping the Bulldogs

to a second-place finish in the SWAC - the program's best finish since 2004-05.

- Harris played her first two collegiate seasons at Mercer, where she was a SoCon All-Freshman Team selection as a rookie.
- Harris helped the Bears win the SoCon Tournament title as a sophomore in 2020-21 and advance to the NCAA Tournament.

#1 Emma Tecca

- Tecca connected on a pair of 3-pointers in 25 minutes off the bench versus Illinois State.
- Tecca enjoyed a perfect shooting game at Southern Illinois, scoring eight points (2-2 FG, 1-1 3PT, 3-3 FT).
- Tecca scored four points and recorded three rebounds at Missouri State.
- Tecca tallied five points and grabbed a pair of rebounds at Murray State.
- Tecca knocked down a pair of 3-pointers for six points and grabbed four rebounds Dec. 20 at Stetson.
- Tecca appeared in 25 games in her first season at Valpo in 2022-23, averaging 3.0 points/game.
- Tecca matched her career high in her first start in the Beacons uniform, scoring 12 points Feb. 12 against UNI.
- Tecca paced Valpo with 11 points in its MVC Tournament game against UIC.
- Tecca came to Valpo last year after spending three years at Akron, where she hit at a 45.2% clip from 3-point range in 2020-21.

Valpo When...

	2023-24	Under Evans		2023-24	Under Evans
Playing at home	2-4	28-45	Outrebounding opponents	1-0	12-8
Playing on the road	0-9	26-54	Outrebounded by opponents	0-14	41-97
Playing at a neutral site	0-1	3-6	Outscoring opponents	2-0	57-0
Playing at night (5 p.m. or later local)	0-6	24-58	Outscored by opponents	0-14	0-105
Playing during the day (noon-4:59 p.m.)	2-7	32-46	Better FG% than opponents	1-2	41-18
Playing during the morning (before noon)	0-1	1-2	Worse FG% than opponents	1-12	14-86
Leading at halftime	2-3	38-16	Better FT% than opponents	2-3	43-47
Tied at halftime	---	2-5	Worse FT% than opponents	0-11	13-58
Trailing at halftime	0-11	17-83	Fewer turnovers than opponents	1-4	35-42
Playing overtime	0-1	3-6	More turnovers than opponents	0-6	16-53
Playing in November	0-5	7-23	Scoring 80 or more points	1-0	8-4
Playing in December	1-4	14-17	Scoring 70-79 points	1-1	29-9
Playing in January	1-5	13-33	Scoring 60-69 points	0-6	16-37
Playing in February	---	18-20	Scoring less than 60 points	0-7	4-55
Playing in March	---	5-12	Opponents score 80 or more points	0-3	3-29
Playing on Sunday	1-3	15-30	Opponents score 70-79 points	0-8	9-38
Playing on Monday	---	2-3	Opponents score 60-69 points	1-3	19-29
Playing on Tuesday	0-2	2-6	Opponents score less than 60 points	1-0	26-9
Playing on Wednesday	0-2	5-11	Game decided by 5 points or less	0-1	19-15
Playing on Thursday	0-1	9-11	Game decided by 6-10 points	0-3	16-22
Playing on Friday	0-2	10-31	Game decided by 11-15 points	0-2	10-20
Playing on Saturday	1-4	14-13	Game decided by more than 15 points	2-8	12-48



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#2 Olivia Brown

- Brown returned to action last time out in the win over Bradley, scoring 17 points (5-6 FG, 2-3 3PT, 5-5 FT) off the bench.
- Brown was out due to injury at Southern Illinois, snapping a streak of 71 consecutive games played, and missed four games in all.
- Brown went 3-of-5 from 3-point range en route to a game-high 15 points at Missouri State.
- Brown paced the Beacons with 14 points, including four 3-pointers, at Stetson.
- Brown surpassed the 1,000-point milestone for her collegiate career with a 3-pointer in the third quarter against Bethune-Cookman.
- Brown came up just one point shy of a career high in the win over Chicago State, knocking down four triples en route to 23 points while also tallying three assists and three steals.
- Playing less than an hour from her hometown, Brown scored 16 points at Western Michigan.
- Brown scored all 13 of her points at Southern Miss in the second half, including a career-best 7-of-7 from the foul line.
- Brown was named a Third Team Academic All-American in 2022-23 for her work on the court and in the classroom.
- Brown averaged a team-best 12.0 points/game while making 22 starts among her 30 appearances.
- Brown hit at a 41.5% clip from 3-point range last season, ranking third in the MVC in 3-point percentage and sixth in 3-pointers/game.
- Brown moved into ninth on Valpo's single-season 3-point percentage chart and currently ranks second in program history in career 3-point percentage.
- Brown led the team in scoring 14 times and scored in double figures on 17 occasions in 2022-23.
- Brown was named to the 2021-22 MVC All-Newcomer Team for her performance in her first year at Valpo.
- Brown came to Valpo prior to the 2021-22 campaign after playing her first three seasons at St. Bonaventure.

#3 Ava Interrante

- Interrante scored a season-best 14 points (5-7 FG; 2-2 3PT; 2-2 FT) against Illinois State while adding three assists and two steals.
- Interrante scored 10 points versus Drake and also tied for game-high honors with three steals.
- Interrante scored 17 points over Valpo's two games in Florida, leading Valpo with eight points versus Bethune-Cookman and tying her season best with nine points (6-6 FT) at Stetson.
- Interrante scored nine points and pulled down a career-best six rebounds in the win over Chicago State.
- Interrante scored nine points at Purdue, adding three steals and two assists.
- Interrante made her first start of the season at Western Michigan, registering four points, two rebounds and two assists.
- Interrante scored six points off the bench and recorded two rebounds at Southern Miss.
- Interrante appeared in all 30 games for the Beacons in 2022-23, making 13 starts.
- Interrante averaged 4.1 points and 2.0 rebounds per game last season and ranked second on the team with 29 steals.

Pregame Meal Ratings

- *The following are average ratings of each game's pregame meal, as rated on a 1-10 scale by players, coaches and staff members.*
- *Pregame meal consists of animal protein (always chicken, sometimes salmon as well), starch (usually mashed potatoes), vegetable (usually broccoli) and salad. Sometimes rolls or another bread are available too.*
- *Ratings are for entertainment purposes only, hence why no restaurants are named. Factors outside pure quality of food can influence the ratings, such as time of day (grilled chicken doesn't quite hit the same mid-morning) and amount of time between food preparation and consumption.*

Date	Opponent	Rating
Nov. 12	at Eastern Illinois	8.06
Nov. 18	Western Illinois	5.80
Nov. 21	at Southern Miss	6.58
Nov. 25	at UAB	5.57
Nov. 29	at Western Michigan	5.96
Dec. 3	at Purdue	n/a
Dec. 7	IU Northwest	8.08
Dec. 9	Chicago State	8.21
Dec. 19	vs. Bethune-Cookman	5.44
Dec. 20	at Stetson	n/a
Dec. 30	at Murray State	6.92
Jan. 4	at Missouri State	7.17
Jan. 6	at Southern Illinois	9.23
Jan. 12	Drake	6.65
Jan. 14	UNI	6.23
Jan. 19	Illinois State	TBA
Jan. 21	Bradley	TBA

- Interrante scored in double figures three times last year, including a career-best 15 points at Western Illinois.
- Interrante led the team in steals on six occasions in 2022-23.

#5 Raeven Raye-Redmond

- Raye-Redmond led all players with five steals and also scored five points at Missouri State.
- Raye-Redmond tallied six points and a game-high three steals at Stetson.
- Raye-Redmond tallied a game-high four steals at Purdue.
- Raye-Redmond filled the box score at Western Michigan with seven points, five rebounds, a team-high five assists and two steals.
- Raye-Redmond debuted Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois with nine points (4-7 FG) and eight steals in 23 minutes of action.
- Raye-Redmond is tied for second in a single game in program history with her eight steals, which were the most by a Valpo player since 2002 and the most by an MVC player since 2017.
- Raye-Redmond was a Second Team All-State selection last year out of Trotwood Madison [Ohio] H.S.
- Raye-Redmond was also conference Player of the Year, First Team All-Southwest District and Division II District 15 Player of the Year as a senior as well.
- Raye-Redmond helped the Rams reach district finals three times
- Raye-Redmond won a national championship on the AAU circuit in the summer of 2022, helping West Virginia Thunder claim the UAA U17 crown.



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#11 Nevaeh Jackson

- Jackson poured in 17 points in the second quarter alone against Illinois State, finishing with a season-high 19 points and matching her season high with a game-high three steals.
- Jackson tallied seven points, four rebounds and two steals against UNI.
- Jackson paced Valpo with a season-high five assists versus Drake.
- Jackson posted 10 points to go with three steals and two blocked shots at Murray State.
- Jackson set a season best with a team-high nine rebounds against Bethune-Cookman.
- Jackson filled up the box with seven points, four rebounds, two assists and two blocked shots in the win over Chicago State.
- Jackson recorded six points and six rebounds at Western Michigan.
- Jackson made her first collegiate start at Southern Miss, pulling down six rebounds.
- Jackson had 11 points (4-8 FG; 3-6 3PT), three rebounds and two assists in her collegiate debut Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois.
- Jackson was an ICGSA First Team All-State selection as a senior.
- Jackson earned Second Team All-State honors as a junior.
- Jackson helped Northrop [Ind.] H.S. earn a conference title in 2022-23, conference, sectional and regional championships in 2020-21 and a sectional title in 2019-20.

#12 Saniya Jackson

- Jackson poured in a season-high 16 points (6-8 FG; 3-4 3PT) to tie for game-high honors versus UNI, while also tallying three steals.
- Jackson scored 15 points at Southern Illinois, leading the team in scoring, rebounding (6) and steals (3).
- Jackson hit 5-of-9 from the floor for 11 points while also registering three steals and two blocked shots at Murray State.
- Jackson scored 10 points and paced Valpo with a season-best seven rebounds at Stetson.
- Jackson hit all six of her field goal attempts, finishing with 14 points to go with four rebounds in the win over Chicago State.
- Jackson made her first collegiate start at Western Michigan, finishing with 11 points and four rebounds.
- Jackson racked up eight steals at UAB, tied for second-most in a single game in program history.
- Jackson also scored 13 points on 5-of-9 shooting (2-3 3PT) against the Blazers as well.
- Jackson came off the bench with seven points (3-5 FG) in her collegiate debut Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois.
- Jackson was an IBCA Large School All-State selection and an ICGSA First Team All-State choice as a senior.
- Jackson earned Second Team All-State honors as a junior
- Jackson surpassed 1,000 career points for her prep career during her senior season.
- Jackson helped Northrop [Ind.] H.S. earn a conference title in 2022-23, conference, sectional and regional championships in 2020-21 and a sectional title in 2019-20.

#20 Katie Beyer

- Beyer scored a season-best eight points on 3-of-5 shooting and grabbed a pair of rebounds against UNI.
- Beyer knocked down a pair of free throws and grabbed a rebound versus Drake.
- Beyer grabbed three rebounds at Southern Illinois.
- Beyer scored seven points and grabbed three rebounds in 12 minutes off the bench at Purdue.
- Beyer started the Nov. 12 season opener at Eastern Illinois, scoring four points.
- Beyer appeared in 25 games for the Beacons in 2022-23, making five starts.
- Beyer averaged 2.0 points and 1.2 rebounds per game.
- Beyer scored a career-best 11 points on 5-of-6 shooting from the field and grabbed five rebounds last season in the season opener versus Central Michigan.
- Beyer scored eight points on 3-of-4 shooting and grabbed two rebounds last year at Southern Illinois.

#21 Layla Gold

- Gold matched a season high with five points versus Drake.
- Gold made her first collegiate start at Southern Illinois, scoring four points and grabbing four rebounds.
- Gold played 21 minutes off the bench at Missouri State, recording three rebounds and blocking two shots to tie season highs.
- Gold hit a triple and came up with a steal at Stetson.
- Gold came off the bench with five points, three rebounds and two blocked shots against Bethune-Cookman.
- Gold knocked down a 3-pointer for her first collegiate field goal and also registered two rebounds and two steals in the win over Chicago State.
- Gold debuted for Valpo Nov. 18 against Western Illinois, hitting a free throw and grabbing a pair of offensive rebounds.
- Gold was named an Indiana All-Star following her senior season, one of just 13 players in the Hoosier State to earn the distinction and the first Valpo signee since 2017 to earn the honor.
- Gold was an IBCA Large School All-State and ICGSA First Team All-State selection as well.
- Gold averaged 22 points and nine rebounds per game as a senior for Cathedral H.S.
- Gold surpassed the 1,000-point milestone for her high school career as a junior and closed her prep career with 1,565 career points.

#22 Leah Earnest

- Earnest had a stat line never seen before at Valpo last time out in the win over Bradley, scoring 24 points, grabbing 14 rebounds and dishing out six assists.
- Earnest set a career high with seven free throws made and matched career highs for rebounds, assists and 3-pointers made (3) against the Braves.
- Earnest posted her third double-double of the year against Illinois State, scoring a game-high 20 points and grabbing 10 rebounds.
- Earnest surpassed 500 career rebounds at Missouri State, finishing with 10 points and a game-high nine boards.



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- Earnest led all players with 17 points and nine rebounds at Murray State.
- Earnest shot 7-of-11 from the floor for 21 points in the win over Chicago State to go with a career-high six assists, four rebounds and three steals.
- Earnest surpassed her career best by connecting on 10 field goals (10-16 FG) at Western Michigan, finishing with 22 points and a game-high 11 rebounds.
- Earnest set a career high with a 26-point effort at UAB, going 9-of-19 from the floor, 3-of-6 from the 3-point line and 5-of-7 from the foul line.
- Earnest made 22 starts and appeared in all 30 games as a junior in 2022-23, averaging 9.8 points/game and a team-high 7.4 rebounds/game.
- Earnest finished the year ranked sixth among MVC players in rebounding.
- Earnest reached double figures in rebounds nine times and paced Valpo in rebounding on 22 occasions.
- Earnest posted eight double-doubles on the season, most by a Valpo player since 2016-17.
- Earnest scored a career-high 20 points on 8-of-11 shooting and pulled down 10 rebounds in last year's season-opening win at Central Michigan.
- Earnest set her career high on the glass with 14 rebounds last season against Eastern Illinois.

#24 Kayla Preston

- Preston scored three points and grabbed a rebound in the win over Bradley last time out.
- Preston connected on a pair of free throws against UNI.
- Preston grabbed a rebound and blocked a shot versus Drake.
- Preston hit a pair of free throws and grabbed an offensive rebound against Bethune-Cookman.
- Preston made her collegiate debut in the season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, scoring five points and grabbing five rebounds.
- Preston averaged a team-high 10.2 points per game as a senior to go with 2.9 rebounds, 1.6 assists and 1.5 steals per game.
- Preston shot at a 50% clip from the floor.
- Preston helped Millard North [Neb.] H.S. to 23 wins as the Mustangs advanced to the state semifinals.

#25 Ella Van Weelden

- Van Weelden scored 12 points on four 3-pointers in a single quarter for the second time this year last time out in the second quarter of the win over Bradley, doing so on perfect 4-of-4 shooting from deep.
- Van Weelden scored five points and tied for team-high honors with five rebounds versus UNI.
- Van Weelden set a career high in the fourth quarter alone at Southern Illinois, connecting on four 3-pointers in the final period for 12 points.
- Van Weelden scored five points and came up one board shy of her career best with a team-high six rebounds in the win over Chicago State.
- Van Weelden grabbed four rebounds at Purdue.
- Van Weelden scored five points in eight minutes of action at UAB.
- Van Weelden blocked two shots and picked up four rebounds at Southern Miss.
- Van Weelden grabbed five rebounds and tallied a pair of steals off the bench in the season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12.
- Van Weelden appeared in 17 games off the bench in her first season of action in 2022-23, averaging 1.6 points/game and 2.0 rebounds/game.
- Van Weelden set her season high in her collegiate debut, scoring nine second-half points while also grabbing six rebounds in win over Southern Miss.
- Van Weelden pulled down a season-best seven rebounds against UAB.
- Van Weelden paced the Beacons with six rebounds at Northwestern while also scoring five points.

#33 Olivia Sims

- Sims scored six points against Drake.
- Sims scored a career-best 14 points off the bench at Purdue.
- Sims tallied three rebounds and three assists at UAB.
- Sims delivered two rebounds and three assists at Southern Miss.
- Sims started the season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, scoring four points.
- Sims appeared in 29 games in her first season at Valpo in 2022-23, making 16 starts and averaging 5.0 points and 1.6 rebounds per game.
- Sims scored in double figures on three occasions.
- Sims matched her career best against UAB with 12 points.
- Sims again tied her career high, pacing the Beacons with 12 points on 4-of-6 shooting at UIC.
- Sims posted 12 points for the third time on the year in Valpo's win at Indiana State, while also tying her season high with four rebounds.
- Sims came to Valpo after playing her first collegiate season at Oakland.



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The Last Time It Happened

Valpo Individual

Scoring

40+ points n/a
35+ points 2/18/92, Debbie Bolen (38) Northern Illinois
30+ points 11/21/22, Ali Saunders (32) UAB
25+ points 11/21/22, Ali Saunders (32) UAB

Shooting

15+ FGM 2/8/86, Lyn Swanson (15) at Carthage
10+ FGM 11/29/23, Leah Earnest (10) at Western Michigan
100% FG% (min. 8 FGM) 1/3/04, Tamra Braun (10-10) at Oakland
5+ 3PTM 3/4/23, Olivia Brown (5) Belmont
15+ FTM 2/18/92, Debbie Bolen (16) Northern Illinois
10+ FTM 2/20/22, Shay Frederick (14) at Indiana State
15+ FGA 1/19/24, Nevaeh Jackson (16) Illinois State
10+ 3PTA 12/9/23, Olivia Brown (12) Chicago State
15+ FTA 12/16/20, Grace White (18) Xavier

Other Stats

20+ rebounds 2/8/86, Denise Dunbar (21) at Carthage
15+ rebounds 1/28/18, Dani Franklin (16) Indiana State
10+ rebounds 1/21/24, Leah Earnest (14) Bradley
10+ assists 2/10/22, Shay Frederick (11) Bradley
5+ steals 1/4/24, Raeven Raye-Redmond (5) at Missouri State
5+ blocked shots 2/2/20, Caitlin Morrison (6) at UNI

Miscellaneous

Double-double 1/21/24, Leah Earnest (24 PTS/14 REB) Bradley
Triple-double 1/19/08, Agnieszka Kulaga (20 PTS/12 AST/10 REB) Green Bay
Game-winning shot (last 5 seconds) 11/16/16, Meredith Hamlet (layup at buzzer) at Chicago State
Game-tying shot to force OT (last 5 seconds) 12/20/20, Shay Frederick (layup with 1.3 seconds to play) at Wisconsin

Valpo Team

Scoring - Game

100+ points 1/26/18, 101 (W 101-59) at Evansville
90+ points 12/28/19, 95 (W 95-49) Chicago State
80+ points 12/9/23, 83 (W 83-64) Chicago State
<50 points 1/4/24, 47 (L 67-47) at Missouri State
<40 points 12/19/23, 35 (L 61-35) vs. Bethune-Cookman

Scoring - Quarter

25+ points 1/21/24, 33 (Q2) Bradley
30+ points 1/21/24, 33 (Q2) Bradley
<5 points 12/19/23, 4 (Q1) vs. Bethune-Cookman
0 points n/a

Scoring - Individuals

2+ players with 25+ points 3/6/10, at UIC (Kenney-27; Moore-25)
3+ players with 20+ points 2/1/19, Bradley (Hamlet-23; Frederick-21; Stoller-20)
2+ players with 20+ points 12/9/23, Chicago State (Brown-23; Earnest-21)
6+ players with 10+ points 1/26/18, Evansville (Hamlet-18; Ellenson-13; Franklin-13; Hales-10; Morrison-10; Proffitt-10)
5+ players with 10+ points 12/20/20, at Wisconsin (Frederick-27; Morrison-14; White-13; VanKempen-12; Earnest-11)
4+ players with 10+ points 2/19/23, at Evansville (Brown-16; Earnest-14; Dunson-10; Saunders-10)
0 players with 10+ points 12/19/23, vs. Bethune-Cookman (Interrante-8)

Opponent Individual

Scoring

40+ points 3/9/91, Beth Hasenmiller (42) vs. DePaul
35+ points 2/12/22, JuJu Redmond (37) Illinois State
30+ points 11/29/23, Kaitlyn Zarycki (32) at Western Michigan
25+ points 1/12/24, Katie Dinnebieer (26) Drake

Shooting

15+ FGM 2/21/15, Heidi Schlegel (16) Youngstown State
10+ FGM 3/4/23, Destinee Wells (11) Belmont
100% FG% (min. 8 FGM) 12/20/93, Andrea Nagy (8-8) at FIU
5+ 3PTM 12/9/23, Laura Segues (5) Chicago State
15+ FTM 2/19/21, Anna Newman (15) Evansville
10+ FTM 1/19/24, DeAnna Wilson (11) Illinois State
15+ FGA 11/29/23, Kaitlyn Zarycki (19) at Western Michigan
10+ 3PTA 12/9/22, Jada Thorpe (10) at Western Illinois
15+ FTA 12/9/22, Jada Thorpe (15) at Western Illinois

Other Stats

20+ rebounds 11/13/15, Tori Schickel (22) at Butler
15+ rebounds 3/11/22, Bre Gunnels (15) vs. UNI
10+ rebounds 1/21/24, Isis Fitch (13) Bradley
10+ assists 12/8/21, Olivia Miles (13) Notre Dame
5+ steals 1/6/24, Laniah Randle/Jaidynn Mason (5) at Southern Illinois
5+ blocked shots 2/4/23, Promise Taylor (5) at Southern Illinois

Miscellaneous

Double-double 1/19/24, DeAnna Wilson (19 PTS/12 REB) Illinois State
Triple-double 12/8/21, Olivia Miles (11 PTS/13 REB/13 AST) Notre Dame
Game-winning shot (last 5 seconds) 1/11/23, Josie Filer (3-pointer with 1.9 seconds to play) at UIC
Game-tying shot to force OT (last 5 seconds) 11/29/23, Kaiden Glenn (banked-in 3-pointer at buzzer) at Western Michigan

Opponent Team

Scoring - Game

100+ points 1/27/19, 108 (L 108-63) at Missouri State
90+ points 12/30/23, 90 (L 90-62) at Murray State
80+ points 1/12/24, 83 (L 83-54) Drake
<50 points 2/17/23, 47 (W 54-47) at Indiana State
<40 points 12/15/19, 37 (W 63-37) UIC

Scoring - Quarter

25+ points 1/14/24, 25 (Q3) UNI
30+ points 1/12/24, 31 (Q3) Drake
<5 points 1/23/22, 4 (Q2) Evansville
0 points 2/8/20, Q2 Indiana State

Scoring - Individuals

2+ players with 25+ points 3/14/19, vs. Indiana State (O'Neal-26; Lee-25)
3+ players with 20+ points 2/28/19, at Bradley (Brackmann-25; Haack-22; Petree-21)
2+ players with 20+ points 11/12/23, at Eastern Illinois (Ellis-22; McGlone-20)
6+ players with 10+ points 1/2/22, at Missouri State (Calip-18; Wilson-13; Delarue-11; Rocca-11; White-11; Jackson-10)
5+ players with 10+ points 12/30/23, at Murray State (Learn-15; Young-12; Pena-12; Ford-12; Stewart-10)
4+ players with 10+ points 1/19/24, Illinois State (Wilson-19; Wong-13; Waite-13; Smith-11)
0 players with 10+ points 1/20/19, Evansville (Bishop-9; Tucker-9)



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The Last Time It Happened

Valpo Team

Margin of Victory

Win by 20+ points
Win by 30+ points
Win by 40+ points

Comeback Wins

Rally from 10+ point deficit
Rally from 15+ point deficit

Shooting

50+ FGM
40+ FGM
30+ FGM
60%+ FG%
<30% FG%
15+ 3PTM
10+ 3PTM
0 3PTM
40+ 3PTA
30+ 3PTA
50%+ 3PT%
<10% 3PT%
30+ FTM
20+ FTM
<5 FTM
40+ FTA
30+ FTA
90%+ FT% (min. 10 attempts)
<50% FT% (min. 10 attempts)

Other Stats

60+ rebounds
50+ rebounds
40+ rebounds
30+ assists
25+ assists
20+ assists
<5 turnovers
<10 turnovers
25+ turnovers
30+ turnovers
20+ steals
15+ steals
10+ blocked shots

Overtime

Win in overtime
Win in double overtime

1/21/24, 24 (W 79-55) Bradley
12/28/19, 46 (W 95-49) Chicago State
12/28/19, 46 (W 95-49) Chicago State

2/20/22, 13 (9:42 2Q) at Indiana State
1/12/13, 15 (5:49 1H) Youngstown State

2/9/93, 53 Wright State
1/12/95, 43 Olivet Nazarene
2/10/22, 31 Bradley
2/6/06, .627 (32-51) Centenary
12/19/23, .224 (11-49) vs. Bethune-Cookman
3/4/23, 15 Belmont
1/21/24, 12 Bradley
3/4/13, at Youngstown State
2/20/21, 43 Evansville
1/12/24, 32 Drake
2/19/23, .556 (10-18) at Evansville
12/19/23, .087 (2-23) vs. Bethune-Cookman
12/10/08, 30 Purdue
1/14/23, 24 Missouri State
3/4/23, 4 Belmont
11/29/08, 42 vs. Florida State
2/20/22, 31 at Indiana State
3/2/23, .929 (13-14) Murray State
1/4/24, .471 (8-17) at Missouri State

2/19/00, 63 Youngstown State
1/26/18, 52 Evansville
11/21/22, 44 UAB
2/9/93, 34 Wright State
12/9/98, 26 Purdue Calumet
3/4/23, 20 Belmont
2/7/08, 4 Loyola
1/29/23, 8 Bradley
1/12/24, 25 Drake
12/4/16, 31 at Notre Dame
1/12/20, 21 at Evansville
11/25/23, 16 at UAB
3/9/18, 10 Drake

2/18/22, 75-70 at Evansville
2/18/06, 75-67 Chicago State

Opponent Team

Margin of Victory

Win by 20+ points
Win by 30+ points
Win by 40+ points

Comeback Wins

Rally from 10+ point deficit
Rally from 15+ point deficit

Shooting

50+ FGM
40+ FGM
30+ FGM
60%+ FG%
<30% FG%
15+ 3PTM
10+ 3PTM
0 3PTM
40+ 3PTA
30+ 3PTA
50%+ 3PT%
<10% 3PT%
30+ FTM
20+ FTM
<5 FTM
40+ FTA
30+ FTA
90%+ FT% (min. 10 attempts)
<50% FT% (min. 10 attempts)

Other Stats

60+ rebounds
50+ rebounds
40+ rebounds
30+ assists
25+ assists
20+ assists
<5 turnovers
<10 turnovers
25+ turnovers
30+ turnovers
20+ steals
15+ steals
10+ blocked shots

Overtime

Win in overtime
Win in double overtime

1/14/24, 24 (L 76-52) UNI
2/4/23, 30 (L 77-47) at Southern Illinois
11/10/19, 51 (L 89-38) vs. Ohio State

11/12/23, 11 (9:28 2Q) at Eastern Illinois
2/26/14, 17 (10:26 1H) at Detroit

12/6/93, 50 at Western Michigan
1/27/19, 41 at Missouri State
2/23/23, 31 at Bradley
1/31/20, .600 (33-55) at Drake
1/21/24, .291 (16-55) Bradley
12/31/16, 16 at Oakland
12/30/23, 11 at Murray State
12/6/20, at Purdue
n/a
2/25/23, 30 at Illinois State
11/18/23, .500 (9-18) Western Illinois
1/2/22, .091 (2-22) at Missouri State
1/2/22, 34 at Missouri State
1/19/24, 25 Illinois State
12/19/21, 1 at Morehead State
1/2/22, 41 at Missouri State
1/19/24, 32 Illinois State
1/12/24, .909 (20-22) Drake
12/9/23, .438 (7-16) Chicago State

2/22/94, 62 Loyola
12/8/20, 50 at Miami [Ohio]
1/14/24, 41 UNI
1/31/20, 31 at Drake
3/5/21, 25 at Drake
12/30/23, 20 at Murray State
unknown
2/25/23, 7 at Illinois State
3/11/21, 25 vs. Evansville
2/22/20, 31 at Loyola
2/25/17, 21 UIC
11/27/22, 16 at Northwestern
12/8/17, 11 at Purdue

11/29/23, 75-71 at Western Michigan
2/16/18, 88-86 Southern Illinois

Quarter Highs/Lows

Valpo

1Q High 29, three times (M.R. 12/28/19 Chicago State)
1Q Low 4, twice (M.R. 12/19/23 vs. Bethune-Cookman)
2Q High 33, 1/21/24 Bradley
2Q Low 2, three times (M.R. 1/5/23 Evansville)
3Q High 35, 1/20/19 Evansville
3Q Low 3, 12/8/18 Miami [Ohio]
4Q High 32, 1/24/20 Loyola
4Q Low 5, twice (M.R. 1/1/23 at Murray State)

Opponent

1Q High 35, 3/3/18 Drake
1Q Low 4, 12/6/20 at Purdue
2Q High 38, 12/4/16 at Notre Dame
2Q Low 0, 2/8/20 Indiana State
3Q High 33, 1/27/19 at Missouri State
3Q Low 6, 11/27/19 at Toledo
4Q High 35, 2/23/23 at Bradley
4Q Low 3, 12/21/15 IU Kokomo



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Mary Evans

Head Coach

5th Season * Georgia Southern, 2000

57-105 overall and at Valpo

Hired as the eighth head coach in the history of the Valpo women's basketball program in April 2018, Mary Evans enters her sixth year at the helm of the program in 2023-24.

Evans has made an immediate impact on the program in her first four years, raising the team's level of play to be competitive in a strong Missouri Valley Conference. Through five seasons, Evans has a record of 55-91 at the helm of the Brown and Gold.

The 2022-23 season saw Evans lead Valpo to the first win in program history over perennial MVC power Missouri State. The Beacons also won three consecutive road games in Valley play, the first time the program accomplished that feat against three different opponents

since 2007.

Evans led the 2021-22 Valpo squad to a number of firsts en route to a 9-9 mark in MVC play and a sixth-place finish in the conference standings, both of which match the program's bests since joining the Valley. The Beacons registered the first win at Drake and the first win at Bradley in program history. Valpo swept the season series over Drake, the program's first two wins ever against the Bulldogs. The Beacons also tallied four top-100 wins within Valley play.

The 2020-21 squad counted some big wins among its 12 victories, including a pair of literal BIG wins, as the Brown and Gold beat multiple Big Ten teams in the same season for the first time in program history. Entering the season without a win over a Power Five program since 2012-13, Valpo won at Illinois for its first-ever win over the Illini, and followed four days later with a road win at Purdue - the second win in program history over the Boilermakers. Valpo became the first program with multiple nonconference road wins at Big Ten programs since 2017-18.

The team picked up some big wins once the schedule flipped to Missouri Valley Conference play as well, as three of Valpo's seven conference victories came over teams in the top-100 of the NET. Valpo has five top-100 wins in MVC play over the last two seasons after going nearly seven years since its last top-100 win.

Evans led the Valpo program to a remarkable season across the board in 2019-20, one that concluded among the nation's top turnarounds from the season before. Valpo posted a 17-12 record in Evans' second season at the helm, the 17 wins the most by a Valpo team since the 2006-07 campaign and the 10th-most in a single season in program history.

Valpo improved its record by 10.5 games over the previous season in 2019-20, tied for the sixth-best improvement in Division I. Even more impressively, Valpo jumped by 171 spots in the RPI in Evans' second season as head coach, the nation's largest RPI jump.

With the 17 victories came many notable accomplishments throughout the season. Nine of the 17 wins came on the road, giving Valpo its highest number of true road wins since the 2001-02 season. Valpo concluded the non-conference portion of the schedule with an 8-3 record, the best pre-conference mark by winning percentage in program history. That non-conference slate ended with seven straight wins, which was Valpo's longest winning streak since the 2001-02 team won 10 straight and was just the seventh winning streak of at least seven consecutive games in program history.

Conference play brought more of the same for Evans and the 2019-20 Valpo squad. Valpo posted a 9-9 record in MVC play, finishing the regular season with both its highest win total and its best conference finish (6th) since joining the MVC. Most impressively, this record came in a conference which finished the year ranked eighth among Division I leagues, matching its best-ever finish and trailing just the Power Five, the Big East and the Ivy League.

The nine conference wins included victories at Illinois State and at home over UNI - the program's first wins over top-100 RPI teams since March 2013. In fact, the road win at Illinois State was the program's first true road victory over a top-100 program since March 2002.

Upon her arrival, Evans immediately instituted a style of play on both sides of the ball which encourages aggressiveness. On the offensive end, her teams are known for their propensity to shoot 3-pointers. Evans' first four seasons at the helm have seen Valpo's top-3 single-season total 3-pointers made, including a program-record 276 in her first season in 2018-19 - a mark which ranks seventh in MVC history. Valpo has ranked among the top-35 in the nation in 3-pointers/game all three years, with the 2020-21 squad setting a program single-season record by averaging 9.0 triples/game.

Prior to Evans' arrival, Valpo had made 14 or more 3-pointers in a game just nine times in program history. In the four seasons with her at the helm, Valpo owns 11 more games with 14+ triples, including twice matching the program single-game record of 17.

Meanwhile defensively, Evans' teams have racked up steals at a high rate, averaging at least 7.8 steals/game in each of her three seasons. The 2019-20 and 2020-21 teams ranked among the top-40 teams nationally in steals/game, with the 2019-20 squad totaling 300 steals - the program's highest single-season total since 2002. Valpo has also boasted the conference leader in steals each of the last three years as well.

Evans brought 15 years of Division I experience with her to Northwest Indiana, spending the last five seasons as an assistant coach at Ohio before her arrival at Valpo.

Evans was a two-sport athlete at Georgia Southern, where she earned her Bachelor of Science degree in 2000. She won four letters in basketball (1995-1999) and three in soccer during her time as a collegiate athlete. A native of Summerville, S.C., Evans was inducted into the Summerville High School Hall of Fame in 2008. She and her husband Daryl have two children, Keegan Thomas and Zoe Mae.



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#0 Jill Harris

Guard * 5'9" * 5th

Navarre, Fla.

Crestview H.S. [Johnson C. Smith]



2023-24: Started in her Valpo debut to open season Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois ... scored 12 points, grabbed three rebounds and handed out three assists ... paced the Beacons with 13 points Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois, including a 3-of-4 effort from the 3-point line ... scored a team-high 14 points, matching her career best, including three 3-pointers Nov. 21 at Southern Miss ... scored eight points Nov. 25 at UAB ... has not played since Nov. 25 due to injury.

2022-23 (Johnson C. Smith): Started in 15 of her 17 appearances, averaging 31.2 minutes/game ... posted 8.7 points and 2.3 assists per game ... scored in double figures on eight occasions.

2021-22 (Alabama A&M): Started all 28 of her appearances and averaged 35.1 minutes/game ... helped the Bulldogs finish in second place in the SWAC — the program's highest conference finish since 2004-05 — with 13 conference wins, the most since the program joined the SWAC ... averaged 5.4 points per game, scoring in double figures five times ... ranked second on the team with 55 assists.

2019-21 (Mercer): A SoCon All-Freshman Team selection in 2019-20 as a rookie ... started 28 of her 31 appearances as a freshman, playing 32 minutes per game while averaging 3.3 points, 3.1 rebounds and 4.0 assists per game ... totaled 124 assists to lead the Bears, becoming the first Mercer freshman since 2010-11 to crack 100+ assists ... boasted a 2.18 assist/turnover ratio, good for second in the SoCon ... ranked third nationally among freshmen in assist/turnover ratio and 10th in assists ... appeared in all 26 games as a sophomore in 2020-21, starting seven times and averaging 27.4 minutes/game ... ranked second on the team with 88 assists (3.4/game) and posted an assist/turnover ratio of 2.26 ... helped the Bears claim the SoCon Tournament championship and advance to the NCAA Tournament, where she dished out four assists while not committing a turnover in 19 minutes of action against top-seeded South Carolina ... named an Academic All-SoCon honoree and earned a spot on the SoCon Academic Honor Roll.

Prep: Played her senior year of prep basketball at Crestview [Fla.] H.S. ... named the Fort Walton Beach Daily News co-Player of the Year ... averaged 12.4 points, 2.6 rebounds, 2.6 assists and 3.2 steals per game ... played her junior season at Emerald Ridge [Wash.] H.S. ... averaged 16.9 points, 5.3 rebounds, 7.8 assists and 2.6 steals.

Personal: Graduated from Johnson C. Smith with a bachelor's degree in criminology ... working towards an MBA at Valpo.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	14, at Southern Miss (11/21/23)
Rebounds	3, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Assists	3, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Steals	1, twice (M.R. 11/25/23)
Blocks	
FG Made	4, three times (M.R. 11/21/23)
3PT Made	3, twice (M.R. 11/21/23)
FT Made	3, three times (M.R. 11/25/23)



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#1 Emma Tecca

Guard * 5'10" * R-Senior

Tallmadge, Ohio

Archbishop Hoban H.S. [Akron]



2023-24: Grabbed two rebounds and handed out two assists Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... knocked down a pair of 3-pointers in six-point, four-rebound outing Dec. 20 at Stetson ... scored five points and grabbed two rebounds Dec. 30 at Murray State ... scored four points and pulled down three rebounds at Missouri State Jan. 4 ... did not miss a shot attempt, going 2-of-2 from the field (including a 3-pointer) and 3-of-3 from the foul line for eight points at Southern Illinois Jan. 6 ... scored three points and tallied three rebounds Jan. 12 versus Drake ... hit a pair of 3-pointers for six points versus Illinois State Jan. 19 ... scored three points and grabbed two rebounds Jan. 21 in win over Bradley.

2022-23: Appeared in 25 games in her first season at Valpo, playing 13.9 minutes/game ... averaged 3.0 points and 1.3 rebounds per game ... hit 14-of-15 free throw attempts on the season ... made Valpo debut Nov. 12 in win over Southern Miss, playing five minutes off the bench ... scored first points in a Valpo uniform Nov. 27 at Northwestern, knocking down three free throws ... hit first shot in a Valpo uniform Jan. 27 against Illinois State ... connected on both her field goal attempts for five points Feb. 1 versus UIC ... made first start at Valpo Feb. 12 against UNI, smashing season best and matching career high with 12 points (3-7 FG, 2-4 3PT, 4-4 FT) ... scored 10 of her 12 points against the Panthers in the fourth quarter while also pulling down three rebounds ... scored seven points and tallied three rebounds Feb. 17 in win at Indiana State ... matched career best with four made field goals to finish with nine points in Feb. 19 win at Evansville ... totaled seven points in win at Bradley Feb. 23 ... scored five points and tied career-best with five rebounds to share team-high honors Feb. 25 at Illinois State ... scored five points and pulled down four rebounds March 2 against Murray State ... paced Valpo in scoring in MVC Tournament game versus UIC March 9, finishing with 11 points ... knocked down season high three triples (3-of-6) against the Flames.

2019-22 (Akron): Spent three seasons in the Zips program ... appeared in eight games for Akron in 2021-22 ... made 10 starts and appeared in 20 games in 2020-21, averaging 5.4 points/game ... hit at a 45.2% clip from behind the 3-point line — a mark which ranks among the best single-season clips in Akron history ... scored in double figures twice, including a career-best 12 points in MAC action against Ball State ... redshirted in 2019-20.

Prep: Earned two varsity letters for Archbishop Hoban [Ohio] H.S. as a freshman and sophomore before injuries ended her final two seasons of competition ... helped lead Hoban to a combined 38-14 record in her two seasons on the court, including a perfect league record as a freshman ... an All-Ohio Division II Honorable Mention selection as a sophomore ... named Women's Tri-County Basketball Coaches Association Underclassman Player of the Year ... earned First Team All-WTCBCA honors ... was also a First Team All-District and All-League choice.

Personal: Daughter of Gib and Kelly Tecca ... major is marketing.

CAREER HIGHS (Akron: 2019-22)

Points	12, twice (M.R. 2/12/23)
Rebounds	5, four times (M.R. 2/25/23)
Assists	4, Ohio (3/3/21)
Steals	2, four times (M.R. 3/9/23)
Blocks	2, vs. UIC (3/9/23)
FG Made	4, three times (M.R. 3/9/23)
3PT Made	4, Ball St. (12/20/20)
FT Made	4, UNI (2/12/23)

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	8, at Southern Illinois (1/6/24)
Rebounds	4, at Stetson (12/20/23)
Assists	2, twice (M.R. 12/19/23)
Steals	1, three times (M.R. 1/6/24)
Blocks	1, three times (M.R. 1/21/24)
FG Made	2, four times (M.R. 1/19/24)
3PT Made	2, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
FT Made	3, at Southern Illinois (1/6/24)



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#2 Olivia Brown

Guard * 5'8" * 5th

East Grand Rapids, Mich.

East Grand Rapids H.S. [St. Bonaventure]



2023-24: Opened season by knocking down both of her 3-point attempts and handing out three assists without a turnover Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois ... scored all 13 of her points in the second half, including a career-best 7-7 FT, Nov. 21 at Southern Miss ... scored six points while tallying three assists and three steals at UAB Nov. 25 ... scored 16 points and grabbed four rebounds Nov. 29 at Western Michigan ... knocked down a pair of 3-pointers as part of eight-point effort Dec. 3 at Purdue ... came up one point shy of career high, scoring a game-high 23 points to go with three assists and three steals in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... scored 1,000th point of her collegiate career on 3-pointer early in third quarter Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... paced team with 14 points, including four 3-pointers, at Stetson Dec. 20 ... scored nine points and handed out three assists at Murray State Dec. 30 ... scored game-high 15 points, including 3-of-5 from 3-point range, Jan. 4 at Missouri State ... missed first game in her time at Valpo Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois due to injury and went on to miss four games ... returned in a reserve role Jan. 21 in win over Bradley, scoring 17 points ... went 5-of-6 from the field and 5-of-5 from the foul line against the Braves.

2022-23: Named a College Sports Communicators Third Team Academic All-American ... averaged team-best 12.0 points/game while playing in all 30 games, starting 22 times ... went 61-for-147 (.415) from 3-point range on the season ... ranked third in the Valley in 3-point percentage and sixth in 3-pointers/game ... moved into ninth on Valpo's single-season 3-point percentage chart ... ended season second in program history in career 3-point percentage (.416) ... led team in scoring 14 times and scored in double figures on 17 occasions ... led Valpo with 15 points in Nov. 12 win over Southern Miss ... paced Valpo with 20 points (7-13 FG; 4-7 3PT) and four assists while also grabbing six rebounds Nov. 16 against Eastern Illinois ... led Valpo with 20 points (7-10 FG; 4-5 3PT) while also grabbing five rebounds Dec. 7 versus Western Michigan ... set Valpo high and matched career high with six made 3-pointers (6-of-8) for team-best 18 points Dec. 30 in MVC opener at Belmont ... moved into a tie for seventh in program history in a single game for 3-point percentage (minimum seven attempts) ... again led Valpo the next time out, scoring 15 points (5-8 FG; 3-5 3PT) Jan. 1 at Murray State ... scored a team-high 17 points, going 5-of-8 from 3-point range, Jan. 7 against Indiana State ... finished with 15 points, including a career-best six made free throws (6-7), and a team-high four assists in Jan. 14 win over Missouri State ... led Valpo with 13 points (4-6 FG; 2-3 3PT; 3-4 FT) and three assists Jan. 19 at UNI ... paced Beacons with 16 points (4-8 3PT) at Drake Jan. 21 ... matched career best with a game-high 24 points in win over Bradley Jan. 29, 13 of which came in the first quarter ... did so in an extremely efficient manner, going 8-of-10 from the field ... knocked down 6-of-8 from the 3-point line to once again tie for seventh in a single game in program history in 3-point percentage ... also pulled down seven rebounds in the win, her high at Valpo ... went 4-for-7 from 3-point range as part of team-high 16-point effort Feb. 1 against UIC ... poured in game-high 16 points (5-8 FG; 2-4 3PT; 4-5 FT) to help Valpo to win at Indiana State Feb. 17 ... followed with another team-best 16-point performance Feb. 19 in win at Evansville, hitting 5-of-8 from the field and 3-of-4 from 3-point range ... tied for game high with 17 points, going 6-of-8 from the floor and 5-of-5 from the foul line, in Feb. 23 win at Bradley ... after being held scoreless in the first half, scored 22 points (12 Q3, 10 Q4) on 8-of-9 shooting in the second half against Murray State March 2 to lead all players in scoring ... went 7-of-11 from the floor, including 5-of-8 from 3-point range, for team-best 19 points and also handed out three assists March 4 versus Belmont ... hit a 3-pointer with 3:34 to play which gave Valpo a one-point lead, another triple with 1:46 remaining to tie the game and another 3-pointer with 16 seconds to go which brought the Beacons within one point ... named to MVC Scholar-Athlete First Team.

2021-22: Appeared in all 30 games in her first season at Valpo, starting the final 19 games of the year ... named to the MVC All-Newcomer Team ... averaged 6.6 points and 1.6 rebounds per game in 24 minutes/game of action ... led Valpo and the MVC, connecting at a 39.8% clip from the 3-point line ... increased scoring average to 9.5 points/game in MVC play ... in MVC-only action, ranked second in 3-point percentage (42.4%), fourth in field goal percentage (51.6%) and ninth in 3-pointers made ... scored in double figures six times, including a pair of 20+ point outings ... led Valpo in scoring three times and in steals four times ... broke out at the onset of MVC play, exploding for a season-high 21 points at Missouri State Jan. 2 ... shot 8-of-10 from the floor, including a season-best five 3-pointers, against the Lady Bears ... followed with an 18-point effort in win over UNI Jan. 7 to lead all players, hitting 7-of-10 from the field (3-4 3PT) ... scored 11 points Jan. 9 in program's first-ever win over Drake ... named MVC Newcomer of the Week Jan. 10 ... scored 13 points and handed out career-best five assists Jan. 21 against Indiana State ... matched season best with 21 points to lead Valpo and pulled down season-high six rebounds in Jan. 23 win over Evansville ... scored 12 of her points in the win over the Purple Aces in the second quarter alone, outscoring Evansville in that period 12-4 ... scored an efficient 14 points in overtime win at Evansville Feb. 18 (4-5 FG; 2-3 3PT; 4-4 FT).

St. Bonaventure (2019-21): Appeared in 51 games in her two years at St. Bonaventure, making 35 starts for the Bonnies ... averaged 7.2 points/game over her two seasons ... hit 39 3-point-

CAREER HIGHS (St. Bonaventure: 2019-21)	
Points	24, twice (M.R. 1/29/23)
Rebounds	8, Davidson (2/9/20) [Valpo:7]
Assists	5, twice (M.R. 1/7/23)
Steals	4, twice (M.R. 2/14/21) [Valpo:3]
Blocks	1, four times (M.R. 1/21/23)
FG Made	9, Oakland (12/15/19) [Valpo:8]
3PT Made	6, three times (M.R. 1/29/23)
FT Made	7, at Southern Miss (11/21/23)

ers on 38.2% shooting from deep as a sophomore, leading the Bonnies in both 3-pointers and 3-point percentage and ranking eighth in the Atlantic 10 in the latter category.

Prep: Played four years for East Grand Rapids H.S. ... a two-time Honorable Mention All-State and four-time All-Conference honoree ... helped lead the Pioneers to a 73-17 record over her four seasons, including a district title her junior year.

Personal: Daughter of Noelle and Spencer Brown ... graduated with bachelor's degree in communication in spring of 2023 ... enrolled in Valpo's MBA program.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	23, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
Rebounds	4, twice (M.R. 1/4/24)
Assists	3, four times (M.R. 12/30/23)
Steals	3, twice (M.R. 12/9/23)
Blocks	
FG Made	7, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
3PT Made	4, twice (M.R. 12/20/23)
FT Made	7, at Southern Miss (11/21/23)



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#3 Ava Interrante

Guard * 5'9" * Senior
McHenry, III.
McHenry H.S.



2023-24: Scored two points and grabbed two rebounds Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois ... scored six points and registered a pair of rebounds in 24 minutes of action at Southern Miss Nov. 21 ... hit a 3-pointer and tallied an assist and a steal at UAB Nov. 25 ... made first start of season at Western Michigan Nov. 29, posting four points, two rebounds and two assists ... tallied nine points, two assists and three steals at Purdue Dec. 3 ... scored nine points and set career best with six rebounds in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... scored eight points and grabbed four rebounds versus Bethune-Cookman Dec. 19 ... knocked down all six of her free throw attempts in nine-point effort the next day at Stetson ... registered five points and four rebounds Dec. 30 at Murray State ... hit pair of shots for four points Jan. 4 at Missouri State ... scored five points Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... scored 10 points, including a pair of 3-pointers, and tied for game-high honors with a season-best three steals Jan. 12 versus Drake ... scored five points against UNI Jan. 14 ... scored season-high 14 points, one off her career best, on 5-7 shooting (2-2 3PT) Jan. 19 against Illinois State ... also matched career best with game-high three assists versus the Redbirds ... pulled down four rebounds in Jan. 21 win over Bradley.

2022-23: Appeared in all 30 games, making 13 starts ... played 16.9 minutes/game ... averaged 4.1 points and 2.0 rebounds per game ... ranked second on the team with 29 steals ... scored in double figures three times ... led team in steals on six occasions ... played 15 minutes in season-opening win Nov. 7 at Central Michigan, scoring two points and grabbing three rebounds ... scored five points and registered three steals Nov. 21 against UAB ... smashed her previous career best in the scoring column with a 15-point effort at Western Illinois Dec. 9, all of which came in the second half ... went 5-of-8 from the floor, including 3-of-5 from 3-point range, against the Leathernecks ... earned first career start Dec. 30 at Belmont and took full advantage, setting a career high with four 3-pointers (4-6) en route to 14 points and three rebounds ... hit pair of 3-pointers and pulled down career-best five rebounds Jan. 1 at Murray State ... scored 12 points, grabbed four rebounds and tallied career-best three assists Jan. 7 versus Indiana State ... scored eight points (3-4 FG; 2-2 3PT) and tied career best with five rebounds Jan. 11 at UIC ... tallied nine points and matched her career high with five rebounds in Jan. 14 win over Missouri State ... came up with a career-best four steals Jan. 21 at Drake ... led Valpo with three steals while also contributing eight points and four rebounds against Illinois State Jan. 27 ... tallied nine points, three rebounds and two steals in Jan. 29 win over Bradley ... hit pair of 3-pointers en route to eight points in win at Bradley Feb. 23.

2021-22: Saw action in eight games, playing 18 minutes ... made season debut Nov. 21 at Xavier, connecting on her lone field goal attempt ... grabbed an offensive rebound in win over Bradley Feb. 10 ... came up with a steal in win against Southern Illinois March 5 ... played a season-high nine minutes in MVC Tournament quarterfinal versus UNI, scoring four points (1-1 FG; 2-2 FT) ... matched career highs with two rebounds and two assists and tallied a steal as well against the Panthers.

2020-21: Made 10 appearances in her first season in the Brown and Gold, averaging 5.1 minutes/game ... debuted with three minutes of action in Nov. 29 season opener at Bowling Green ... went 3-of-4 from the foul line for first career points Dec. 8 at Miami (Ohio) ... made first career field goal and grabbed a pair of rebounds in Dec. 12 win over Western Michigan ... connected on only field goal attempt and grabbed two boards Feb. 5 versus Bradley ... scored season-high four points and dished out two assists in 15 minutes of action Feb. 19 against Evansville.

Prep: A four-year letterwinner and two-year team captain for the Warriors ... earned Honorable Mention All-State and All-Area honors as a junior ... two-time All-Conference honoree ... helped McHenry to a pair of regional championships and two conference titles in her time as a Warrior ... played

CAREER HIGHS

Points	15, at Western Illinois (12/9/22)
Rebounds	6, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
Assists	3, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
Steals	4, at Drake (1/21/23)
Blocks	1, three times (M.R. 1/7/23)
FG Made	5, three times (M.R. 1/19/24)
3PT Made	4, at Belmont (12/30/22)
FT Made	6, at Stetson (12/20/23)

AAU basketball for Illinois Elite.

Personal: Daughter of Christine Interrante ... major is psychology.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	14, Illinois St. (1/19/24)
Rebounds	6, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
Assists	3, Illinois St. (1/19/24)
Steals	3, twice (M.R. 1/12/24)
Blocks	
FG Made	5, Illinois St. (1/19/24)
3PT Made	2, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
FT Made	6, at Stetson (12/20/23)



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#5 Raeven Raye-Redmond

Guard * 5'6" * Fr.

Trotwood, Ohio

Trotwood Madison H.S.



2023-24: Had collegiate debut to remember against Western Illinois Nov. 18 ... tallied eight steals against the Leathernecks, just one shy of program single-game record ... highest steal total by a Valpo player since 2002 and by an MVC player since 2017 ... also scored nine points on 4-of-7 shooting ... registered two rebounds and two assists Nov. 25 at UAB ... came off the bench to deliver seven points, five rebounds, a team-best five assists and two steals Nov. 29 at Western Michigan ... racked up four steals at Purdue Dec. 3 ... scored three points and tallied two steals Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... followed the next day with six points, three rebounds and three steals at Stetson ... led all players with five steals and scored five points Jan. 4 at Missouri State ... tallied six points, four rebounds, two assists and two steals Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... handed out three assists Jan. 14 against UNI.

Prep: A Second Team All-State selection as a senior ... conference Player of the Year, First Team All-Southwest District and Division II District 15 Player of the Year as a senior as well ... averaged 25.1 PPG during senior season ... helped the Rams reach district finals three times ... a Third Team All-Southwest Ohio choice as a sophomore ... a District 15 Underclassman All-Star as a junior ... won a national championship on the AAU circuit in the summer of 2022, helping West Virginia Thunder claim the UAA U17 crown.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	9, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
Rebounds	5, at Western Michigan (11/29/23)
Assists	5, at Western Michigan (11/29/23)
Steals	8, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
Blocks	1, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
FG Made	4, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
3PT Made	1, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
FT Made	3, at Western Michigan (11/29/23)



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#11 Nevaeh Jackson

Guard/Forward * 6'0" * Freshman

Fort Wayne, Ind.

Northrop H.S.



2023-24: Made collegiate debut in season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, playing 22 minutes off the bench ... scored 11 points, including 3-of-6 from 3-point range, and grabbed three rebounds ... highest-scoring debut against a D-I opponent by a Valpo freshman since 2014 ... tallied two points, three rebounds and three assists Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois ... pulled down six rebounds at Southern Miss Nov. 21 ... Valpo was a +2 in her 28:13 on the court against the Lady Eagles, versus a -14 in her 11:47 on the bench ... recorded six points and six rebounds at Western Michigan Nov. 29 ... registered seven points, four rebounds and two blocked shots in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... scored five points and led team with nine rebounds Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... scored 10 points, grabbed three rebounds and tied for team-high honors with three steals and two blocked shots at Murray State Dec. 30 ... hit a pair of 3-pointers for six points at Missouri State Jan. 4 ... dished out season-best five assists to pace Valpo Jan. 12 versus Drake ... scored seven points while also tallying four rebounds and two steals against UNI Jan. 14 ... recorded second-highest scoring quarter by a Valpo player since the move to quarters Jan. 19 versus Illinois State, scoring 17 points in the second quarter ... went 6-of-8 from the floor, including 3-of-3 from 3-point range, in the second period against the Redbirds and scored all 17 of her points in a span of 6:30 ... finished game with a season-high 19 points while also tying her season best with a game-high three steals ... tallied seven points, four rebounds, two assists and two blocked shots in win over Bradley Jan. 21.

Prep: An ICGSA First Team All-State selection as a senior ... Second Team All-State honoree as a junior ... two-time First Team All-Conference honoree ... helped Northrop earn a conference title in 2022-23, conference, sectional and regional championships in 2020-21 and a sectional title in 2019-20.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	19, Illinois St. (1/19/24)
Rebounds	9, vs. Bethune-Cookman (12/19/23)
Assists	5, Drake (1/12/24)
Steals	3, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
Blocks	2, three times (M.R. 1/21/24)
FG Made	7, Illinois St. (1/19/24)
3PT Made	3, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
FT Made	4, Bradley (1/21/24)



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#12 Saniya Jackson

Guard/Forward * 6'0" * Freshman

Fort Wayne, Ind.

Northrop H.S.



2023-24: Made collegiate debut in season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, playing 18 minutes off the bench ... went 3-of-5 from the field for seven points against the Panthers ... scored four points and tallied a pair of steals Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois ... racked up eight steals Nov. 25 at UAB, tied for second-most in a single game in program history ... tallied one steal in the first quarter, three in the second quarter and four in the fourth quarter ... also scored 13 points (5-9 FG; 2-3 3PT) against the Blazers ... scored 11 points, grabbed four rebounds and dished out two assists in first collegiate start Nov. 29 at Western Michigan ... was a perfect 6-of-6 from the field, including two 3-pointers, to finish with 14 points to go with four rebounds and two steals in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... scored five points and grabbed six rebounds Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... followed the next day with 10 points and a team-best seven rebounds at Stetson ... notched 11 points on 5-of-9 shooting while also picking up three steals and two blocked shots Dec. 30 at Murray State ... paced Valpo with 15 points on 6-of-12 shooting and also led team with six rebounds and three steals Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... connected on a pair of 3-pointers in 8-point, 3-rebound effort Jan. 12 versus Drake ... tied for game-high honors with season-best 16 points (6-8 FG; 3-4 3PT) and came up with three steals Jan. 14 against UNI ... scored five points, grabbed three rebounds and tallied two steals against Illinois State Jan. 19 ... scored nine points on 4-of-6 shooting in Jan. 21 win over Bradley.

Prep: Standout at Northrop H.S., was an IBCA Large School All-State selection and an ICGSA First Team All-State choice as a senior ... earned Second Team All-State honors as a junior ... three-time First Team All-Conference honoree ... surpassed 1,000 career points for her prep career during her senior season ... helped Northrop earn a conference title in 2022-23, conference, sectional and regional championships in 2020-21 and a sectional title in 2019-20.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	16, UNI (1/14/24)
Rebounds	7, at Stetson (12/20/23)
Assists	2, twice (M.R. 12/30/23)
Steals	8, at UAB (11/25/23)
Blocks	2, at Murray St. (12/30/23)
FG Made	6, three times (M.R. 1/14/24)
3PT Made	3, UNI (1/14/24)
FT Made	3, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)



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#20 Katie Beyer

Forward * 6'1" * Junior
McHenry, Ill.
McHenry H.S.



2023-24: Started season opener Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois, knocking down a 3-pointer for Valpo's first points of the season ... scored two points against Western Illinois Nov. 18 ... played 12 minutes off the bench at Purdue Dec. 3, scoring seven points (2-3 FG; 3-3 FT) and grabbing three rebounds ... registered a rebound and an assist at Missouri State Jan. 4 ... tied season high with three rebounds Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... knocked down a pair of free throws and grabbed a rebound versus Drake Jan. 12 ... scored season-high eight points (3-5 FG; 2-2 FT) in 11 minutes off the bench Jan. 14 against UNI.

2022-23: Appeared in 25 games, making five starts ... played 7.9 minutes/game ... averaged 2.0 points and 1.2 rebounds per contest ... played 17 minutes off the bench in season-opening win Nov. 7 at Central Michigan ... scored career-best 11 points on 5-of-6 shooting from the field and grabbed five rebounds ... scored two points and grabbed two rebounds in six minutes of action Nov. 12 in win over Southern Miss ... knocked down lone shot attempt Jan. 1 at Murray State ... knocked down a 3-pointer, grabbed an offensive rebound and dished out an assist in Jan. 14 win over Missouri State ... tallied two points, a rebound and a steal Jan. 19 at UNI ... knocked down three free throws (3-4) at Drake Jan. 21 ... posted four points and two rebounds Jan. 25 at Wisconsin ... made first career start versus Illinois State Jan. 27 ... hit a 3-pointer and grabbed two boards Feb. 1 versus UIC ... went 3-of-4 from the floor and 2-of-2 at the foul line, scoring eight points to go with two rebounds Feb. 4 at Southern Illinois ... hit a 3-pointer March 2 against Murray State.

2021-22: Saw action in five games ... played nine minutes ... made season debut at Illinois State Jan. 13 ... grabbed a rebound in four minutes of action at UNI Feb. 6 ... secured a board in MVC Tournament quarterfinal versus UNI March 11 in three minutes of playing time.

2020-21: Enrolled mid-year for spring 2021 semester ... appeared in one game, playing final two minutes of Feb. 20 win over Evansville and grabbing a rebound.

Prep: Played at McHenry H.S. ... an All-Area honoree in 2019-20 ... led Fox Valley Conference with 17.4 points and 10.8 rebounds per game ... shot 51.6% from the field in helping to lead Warriors to a 24-win season ... earned All-Conference accolades each of her final two years and was also an Honorable Mention All-Area selection in 2018-19 ... concluded prep career with 946 points and 597 rebounds ... played AAU basketball for Illinois Elite ... completed high school graduation requirements early.

Personal: Daughter of Joe and Erin Beyer ... major is health care leadership.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	11, at Central Michigan (11/7/22)
Rebounds	5, at Central Michigan (11/7/22)
Assists	1, nine times (M.R. 1/14/24)
Steals	1, seven times (M.R. 1/14/24)
Blocks	1, five times (M.R. 12/3/23)
FG Made	5, at Central Michigan (11/7/22)
3PT Made	1, five times (M.R. 11/12/23)
FT Made	3, twice (M.R. 12/3/23)

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	8, UNI (1/14/24)
Rebounds	3, twice (M.R. 1/6/24)
Assists	1, four times (M.R. 1/14/24)
Steals	1, four times (M.R. 1/14/24)
Blocks	1, twice (M.R. 12/3/23)
FG Made	3, UNI (1/14/24)
3PT Made	1, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
FT Made	3, at Purdue (12/3/23)



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#21 Layla Gold

Guard/Forward * 5'11" * Freshman
Indianapolis, Ind.
Cathedral H.S.



2023-24: Made collegiate debut Nov. 18 versus Western Illinois, hitting a free throw and grabbing two rebounds in seven minutes of action ... tallied a steal Nov. 29 at Western Michigan ... knocked down first career field goal against Chicago State Dec. 9, connecting on a 3-pointer ... also grabbed two rebounds in the win over the Cougars ... hit a pair of shots from the field and finished with five points, three rebounds and two blocked shots against Bethune-Cookman Dec. 19 ... followed the next day by hitting a 3-pointer and tallying a steal at Stetson ... knocked down a 3-pointer and also recorded two rebounds and two assists at Murray State Dec. 30 ... tallied three rebounds and two blocked shots at Missouri State Jan. 4 ... earned first collegiate start Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois, finishing with four points and a season-high four rebounds ... matched season high with five points against Drake Jan. 12 ... posted two points and two rebounds in Jan. 21 win over Bradley.

Prep: Named an Indiana All-Star following her senior season, one of just 13 players in the Hoosier State to earn the distinction ... first Valpo signee since 2017 to earn Indiana All-Star honors ... an IBCA Large School All-State and ICGSA First Team All-State selection as well ... averaged 22 points and nine rebounds per game as a senior for the Fighting Irish ... posted 12 double-doubles while shooting 78% from the foul line and 37% from the 3-point line ... surpassed 1,000-point milestone for her high school career as a junior and closed prep career with 1,565 career points and 525 rebounds ... two-time member of the Indy Star Super Team ... named to the All-City Team and the All-City Tournament First Team each of her final two seasons ... played her first two seasons at Park Tudor H.S., where she was an Honorable Mention Underclassman All-State selection as a sophomore and helped the team to a pair of sectional semifinals, averaging 20 points/game.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	5, twice (M.R. 1/12/24)
Rebounds	4, at Southern Illinois (1/6/24)
Assists	2, at Murray St. (12/30/23)
Steals	2, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
Blocks	2, twice (M.R. 1/4/24)
FG Made	2, three times (M.R. 1/12/24)
3PT Made	1, four times (M.R. 1/12/24)
FT Made	2, Illinois St. (1/19/24)



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#22 Leah Earnest

Guard/Forward * 5'10" * Senior
Stevens Point, Wis.
Stevens Point Area Senior High



2023-24: Opened season with team highs of 13 points (6-9 FG), nine rebounds and four assists Nov. 12 at Eastern Illinois ... scored 10 points versus Western Illinois Nov. 18 ... matched career bests with four assists, three steals and two blocks against the Leathernecks ... recorded first double-double of the season Nov. 21 at Southern Miss, racking up 12 points and a game-high 12 rebounds ... smashed previous career high, scoring a game-high 26 points (9-19 FG; 3-6 3PT) Nov. 25 at UAB ... also set career best for field goals made and tied career high for 3-pointers made ... followed that effort with second-highest scoring game of her career Nov. 29 at Western Michigan, going 10-of-16 from the floor for 22 points ... set career high for field goals made ... also grabbed game-high 11 rebounds for second double-double of the year ... tied for team-high honors with 14 points (3-4 3PT) and paced team with five rebounds at Purdue Dec. 3 ... scored 21 points (7-11 FG), grabbed four rebounds, set career best with game-high six assists and tied career high with three steals in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... scored 10 points, grabbed four rebounds and handed out five assists Dec. 20 at Stetson ... led all players with 17 points, nine rebounds and three steals Dec. 30 at Murray State ... scored 10 points and led all players with nine rebounds Jan. 4 at Missouri State ... surpassed 500 career rebounds against the Lady Bears ... tied career best with game-high six assists and scored 12 points Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... led Valpo with 14 points on 6-of-11 shooting Jan. 12 against Drake ... tied for team-high honors with five rebounds Jan. 14 versus UNI ... posted fourth double-double of the season, going for 20 points and 10 rebounds Jan. 19 against Illinois State ... had highest-scoring quarter of her career versus the Redbirds, scoring 13 points in the fourth quarter ... had best game of career Jan. 21 win in win over Bradley, leading all players with 24 points (7-11 FG; 3-6 3PT; 7-7 FT), 14 rebounds and six assists ... matched her career bests for 3-pointers, rebounds and assists and set new career high for free throws.

2022-23: Appeared in all 30 games, making 22 starts ... ranked third on team in scoring with 9.8 points/game and led the team in rebounding with 7.4 rebounds/game ... shot at a .470 clip from the floor ... also ranked third on the team with 28 steals ... finished year sixth among MVC players in rebounding ... reached double figures in rebounds nine times and paced Valpo in rebounding on 22 occasions ... posted eight double-doubles on the season, most by a Valpo player since 2016-17 ... set career high with 20 points (8-11 FG) and grabbed 10 rebounds in season-opening win at Central Michigan Nov. 7 ... hit 6-of-10 from the field for 12 points and paced Valpo with eight rebounds Nov. 12 in win over Southern Miss ... set career high with 14 rebounds and scored 11 points as well for double-double Nov. 16 against Eastern Illinois ... 14 boards is the most by a Valpo player since January 2018 ... recorded another double-double Nov. 21 versus UAB, scoring 13 points and leading all players with 13 rebounds ... became first player in Valpo history with three double-doubles in the first four games of a season ... set career high by making all three of her 3-point attempts Nov. 27 at Northwestern, finishing with a team-high 13 points while also grabbing five rebounds ... knocked down three triples as part of 13-point effort Dec. 2 versus Bowling Green ... continued double-digit scoring streak with 12 points against Western Michigan Dec. 7 while also pacing Valpo with seven rebounds ... posted a double-double at Western Illinois Dec. 9, notching 10 points and 10 rebounds ... reached double figures in rebounding with team-best 10 boards at Murray State Jan. 1 and added eight points ... scored 11 points and tied for team-high honors with five rebounds Jan. 5 against Evansville ... notched another double-double versus Indiana State Jan. 7, finishing with 10 points and 10 rebounds while also dishing out three assists ... scored 18 points (6-9 FG; 6-6 FT) and grabbed six rebounds in Jan. 14 win over Missouri State ... scored team-best 16 points and came up one board shy of career best with 13 rebounds for sixth double-double of the season Jan. 25 at Wisconsin ... posted seventh double-double of the year in Jan. 29 win over Bradley, finishing one point shy of her career best with 19 points and tying for game-high honors with 11 rebounds ... also set career high with four assists and matched career best with three steals in the win over the Braves ... led Valpo with 13 points and a game-high eight rebounds Feb. 4 at Southern Illinois ... picked up eighth double-double of the year Feb. 12 against UNI, coming off the bench to deliver 10 points and a game-high 12 rebounds ... went 6-of-8 from the field for 14 points and also grabbed five rebounds Feb. 19 in win at Evansville ... scored four critical points in the final 30 seconds to finish off 11-point, five-rebound night in win at Bradley Feb. 23.

2021-22: Played in all 30 games, starting on 17 occasions ... averaged 7.7 points and 4.6 rebounds per game in 22 minutes/game of action ... ranked second on the team in rebounding and third in blocked shots ... finished year 12th in MVC-only play in field goal percentage ... scored in double figures nine times ... led Valpo in rebounding nine times and in scoring three times ... exploded for a career-best 17 points on 7-of-9 shooting to lead Valpo Nov. 14 against Central Michigan ... tallied 12 points Nov. 21 at Xavier ... scored eight points and grabbed seven rebounds versus #22/23 Notre Dame Dec. 8 ... narrowly missed double-double in Dec. 21 win over Detroit Mercy, finishing with nine points and eight rebounds ... win over the Titans started a stretch where she averaged 11.5 points and 6.8 rebounds per game over an eight-game stretch ... matched career best with team-high 17 points to open MVC play at Southern Illinois Dec. 31 ... scored 10 points two days later at Missouri State ... poured in 15 points (7-11 FG) and added seven boards in Valpo's first-ever win over Drake Jan. 9 ... recorded second career double-double in win at Bradley Jan. 15, posting 11 points and tying her career high with 10 rebounds ... went 6-of-9 from the field for a team-best 15 points against Indiana State Jan. 21 ... scored 10 points (4-6 FG) and grabbed six rebounds against Illinois State Feb. 12 ... finished with 12 points (4-5 FG; 4-5 FT) in win at Indiana State Feb. 20.

2020-21: Appeared in 23 games in her first season at Valpo, making a pair of starts ... averaged 3.4 points and 2.9 rebounds per game in 13.5 minutes/game of action ... led Valpo in rebounding and blocked shots twice apiece ... debuted with a game-high 10 rebounds in 25 minutes at Bowling Green Nov. 29 ... became just the second Valpo freshman in the last 25 years with double-digit rebounds in debut ... grabbed six rebounds in Dec. 6 win at Purdue ... went 3-for-4 from the field for seven points in Dec. 16 win against Xavier ... scored season-best 11 points to go with four rebounds at Wisconsin Dec. 20 ... went 3-for-4 from the floor for six points Jan. 19 against Loyola ... posted seven points and five rebounds Feb. 5 versus Bradley ... grabbed six rebounds in win at Loyola Feb. 24.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	26, at UAB (11/25/23)
Rebounds	14, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
Assists	6, three times (M.R. 1/21/24)
Steals	3, five times (M.R. 12/30/23)
Blocks	2, four times (M.R. 11/18/23)
FG Made	10, at Western Michigan (11/29/23)
3PT Made	3, five times (M.R. 1/21/24)
FT Made	7, Bradley (1/21/24)

Prep: A four-year letterwinner for the Panthers ... two-time First Team All-State honoree ... program's all-time leading scorer and rebounder ... finished career with 2,084 points and over 1,000 rebounds ... led Panthers to conference and regional titles in each of her final three seasons ... averaged 27.8 points and 14.5 rebounds per game as a senior ... four-time All-Conference choice and two-time Conference Player of the Year ... a versatile athlete, also earned First Team All-State honors in softball and advanced to state tournament in golf.

Personal: Major is exercise science, minors in human biology and digital media ... daughter of Brian and Brenda Earnest.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	26, at UAB (11/25/23)
Rebounds	14, Bradley (1/21/24)
Assists	6, three times (M.R. 1/21/24)
Steals	3, three times (M.R. 12/30/23)
Blocks	2, Western Illinois (11/18/23)
FG Made	10, at Western Michigan (11/29/23)
3PT Made	3, three times (M.R. 1/21/24)
FT Made	7, Bradley (1/21/24)



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#24 Kayla Preston

Forward * 6'0" * Freshman

Omaha, Neb.

Millard North H.S.



2023-24: Made collegiate debut off the bench in season opener at Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, playing 11 minutes ... scored five points and pulled down five rebounds ... hit both her free throw attempts and grabbed a rebound Dec. 19 against Bethune-Cookman ... tallied a rebound and blocked a shot in four minutes of action Jan. 12 versus Drake ... connected on both her free throw attempts versus UNI Jan. 14 ... scored three points and tallied a rebound in Jan. 21 win over Bradley.

Prep: Averaged a team-high 10.2 points per game as a senior ... also averaged 2.9 rebounds, 1.6 assists and 1.5 steals ... hit at a 50% clip from the floor ... helped Mustangs to 23 wins as they advanced to the state semifinals.

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	5, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Rebounds	5, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Assists	
Steals	
Blocks	1, Drake (11/12/24)
FG Made	2, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
3PT Made	1, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
FT Made	2, twice (M.R. 1/14/24)



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#25 Ella Van Weelden

Forward * 6'2" * Sophomore
Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Marion H.S.



2023-24: Played 26 minutes off the bench in season opener against Eastern Illinois Nov. 12, pulling down five rebounds and tallying a pair of steals ... racked up four rebounds, two blocked shots and a steal in just eight minutes of action Nov. 21 at Southern Miss ... scored five points Nov. 25 at UAB ... recorded four rebounds at Purdue Dec. 3 ... scored five points and tied for team-high honors with six rebounds - four on the offensive end - in Dec. 9 win over Chicago State ... picked up two points and three rebounds Dec. 30 at Murray State ... exploded in fourth quarter Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois, going 4-of-6 from behind the arc in the final period for 12 points ... set career highs for points in a game, field goals made and 3-pointers made with her effort against the Salukis ... connected on a 3-pointer and grabbed three rebounds Jan. 12 versus Drake ... scored five points, tied for game-high honors with five rebounds and blocked a pair of shots Jan. 14 versus UNI ... went a perfect 4-for-4 from 3-point range - all in the second quarter - to match her career best with 12 points in Jan. 21 win over Bradley ... second time this season she has scored 12 points in a quarter ... became first Valpo player since February 2022 to hit at least four triples in a game without a miss ... also grabbed four rebounds in the win over the Braves.

2022-23: Appeared in 17 games off the bench, averaging 8.9 minutes/game ... scored 1.6 points/game and grabbed 2.0 rebounds/game ... made Valpo debut in second half of Nov. 12 win over Southern Miss after not playing in the first three halves of the season ... saw 11 minutes of action, hitting 2-of-3 from 3-point range and 3-of-4 from the foul line for nine points ... also grabbed six rebounds and blocked a shot, finishing +6 in plus/minus for her stint ... set season high with seven rebounds in 19 minutes of action off the bench Nov. 21 against UAB ... tallied five points and a team-best six rebounds Nov. 27 at Northwestern ... knocked down a 3-pointer against Bowling Green Dec. 2 ... hit a 3-pointer and grabbed a rebound in seven minutes of action Jan. 19 at UNI ... registered three rebounds Jan. 21 at Drake ... scored two points and tallied a rebound and a steal Jan. 27 versus Illinois State ... grabbed a rebound Feb. 4 at Southern Illinois ... grabbed a rebound, blocked a shot and drew a charge in fourth quarter of Feb. 17 win at Indiana State ... pulled down three rebounds March 2 against Murray State.

2021-22: Redshirted in her first year at Valpo.

Prep: A four-year letterwinner for the Indians ... a First Team All-State honoree as a senior by the IPSWA and a Second Team All-State honoree from the IGCA after averaging career highs of 16.4 points and 8.6 rebounds per game ... Second Team All-State as a sophomore and Third Team All-State as a junior ... four-time All-Conference and All-Metro selection ... helped team to a successful four-year stretch, including a 2018 state title ... Marion was state runners-up in 2019 and made the class 4A regional finals in 2021 as well ... Indians won 84 games over her four seasons ... played AAU for Martin Brothers.

Personal: Daughter of Brian and Melanie Van Weelden ... major is marketing.

CAREER HIGHS

Points	12, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
Rebounds	7, UAB (11/21/22)
Assists	1, six times (M.R. 1/21/24)
Steals	2, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Blocks	2, twice (M.R. 1/14/24)
FG Made	4, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
3PT Made	4, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
FT Made	3, Southern Miss (11/12/22)

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	12, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
Rebounds	6, Chicago St. (12/9/23)
Assists	1, five times (M.R. 1/21/24)
Steals	2, at Eastern Illinois (11/12/23)
Blocks	2, twice (M.R. 1/14/24)
FG Made	4, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
3PT Made	4, twice (M.R. 1/21/24)
FT Made	



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#33 Olivia Sims

Guard * 5'9" * Junior

Toledo, Ohio.

Notre Dame Academy [Oakland]



2023-24: Started Nov. 12 season opener at Eastern Illinois, scoring four points ... scored two points, grabbed two rebounds and handed out three assists Nov. 21 at Southern Miss ... tallied four points, three rebounds and three assists at UAB Nov. 25 ... set career high by scoring 14 points at Purdue Dec. 3 ... matched career best with five made field goals against the Boilermakers as well ... missed Dec. 9 game versus Chicago State due to illness ... scored four points at Stetson Dec. 20 ... finished with two points and two assists, while team was a +8 in her eight minutes of action Jan. 6 at Southern Illinois ... scored six points in 14 minutes off the bench Jan. 12 against Drake ... scored four points Jan. 14 against UNI ... scored two points and grabbed three rebounds versus Illinois State Jan. 19.

2022-23: Appeared in 29 games, making 16 starts and averaging 18.1 minutes/game ... scored 5.0 points/game and tallied 1.6 rebounds/game ... scored in double figures three times ... started her Valpo debut Nov. 7 at Central Michigan, scoring five points in the season-opening win ... dished out a career-best four assists to go with four points in win over Southern Miss Nov. 12 ... scored nine points, all in the first quarter, Nov. 16 against Eastern Illinois ... matched career best with 12 points Nov. 21 against UAB ... scored seven points off the bench Jan. 1 at Murray State ... tied career high with team-best 12 points on 4-6 FG and 4-5 FT, while also tallying two steals at UIC Jan. 11 ... scored nine points (2-3 FG; 1-1 3PT; 4-4 FT) and shared team-high honors with four rebounds Feb. 10 versus Drake ... tallied three points and three rebounds in return to starting lineup Feb. 12 versus UNI ... again matched career high with 12 points (4-7 FG; 2-3 3PT) and tied season best with four rebounds in Feb. 17 win at Indiana State ... scored eight first-quarter points, knocking down both of her 3-point attempts, March 4 against Belmont ... finished with seven points in MVC Tournament game against UIC March 9.

2021-22 (Oakland): Averaged 5.4 points/game and hit at a 46.9% clip from the 3-point line in 12 appearances, making three starts ... scored in double figures four times ... posted a season-best 12-point (4-6 3PT), five-rebound performance against Michigan State ... scored 10 points versus Michigan.

Prep: Played for Ohio powerhouse Notre Dame Academy ... Second Team All-State selection as a senior ... Third Team All-State choice as a junior ... multiple time All-District and All-League pick ... helped the Eagles claim four straight league and district titles, win three consecutive regional championships and make three straight appearances in the state semifinals.

Personal: Daughter of Andrea and Charles Sims ... major is communication.

CAREER HIGHS (Oakland: 2021-22)

Points	14, at Purdue (12/3/23)
Rebounds	5, Michigan St. (11/26/21)
Assists	4, Southern Miss (11/12/22)
Steals	2, five times (M.R. 12/3/23)
Blocks	1, five times (M.R. 12/3/23)
FG Made	5, twice (M.R. 12/3/23)
3PT Made	4, Michigan St. (11/26/21)
FT Made	4, four times (M.R. 2/10/23)

2023-24 SEASON HIGHS

Points	14, at Purdue (12/3/23)
Rebounds	3, twice (M.R. 1/19/24)
Assists	3, twice (M.R. 11/25/23)
Steals	2, at Purdue (12/3/23)
Blocks	1, twice (M.R. 12/3/23)
FG Made	5, at Purdue (12/3/23)
3PT Made	2, at Purdue (12/3/23)
FT Made	2, six times (M.R. 1/6/24)



2023-24 Valparaiso Women's Basketball Combined Team Statistics In Conference games

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	1-6	1-3	0-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	1-6	1-3	0-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Valparaiso	93	107	107	121	0	428
Opponents	139	107	158	119	0	523

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point			F-Throw		Rebounds				PF DQ A TO BLK STL PTS AVG								
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
22	EARNEST, Leah	7-7	216:31	30.9	37-83	.446	7-27	.259	20-27	.741	15	39	54	7.7	12	0	22	17	1	11	101	14.4
2	BROWN, Olivia	3-2	87:03	29.0	12-20	.600	6-12	.500	11-13	.846	3	3	6	2.0	4	0	7	13	0	2	41	13.7
12	JACKSON, Saniya	7-7	182:19	26.0	25-50	.500	7-21	.333	10-18	.556	7	10	17	2.4	26	2	5	14	6	15	67	9.6
11	JACKSON, Nevaeh	7-7	181:40	26.0	17-50	.340	11-31	.355	9-10	.900	2	15	17	2.4	25	1	11	20	6	10	54	7.7
3	INTERRANTE, Ava	7-7	143:54	20.6	16-46	.348	7-19	.368	6-8	.750	2	13	15	2.1	24	1	8	19	0	7	45	6.4
25	VAN WEELDEN, Ella	6-0	86:25	14.4	12-24	.500	10-20	.500	0-0	.000	4	13	17	2.8	10	0	2	3	2	1	34	5.7
1	TECCA, Emma	7-0	129:36	18.5	9-22	.409	6-19	.316	5-5	1.000	1	9	10	1.4	14	0	4	6	3	1	29	4.1
33	SIMS, Olivia	6-0	60:18	10.0	4-17	.235	2-8	.250	4-5	.800	3	5	8	1.3	12	0	5	9	0	1	14	2.3
21	GOLD, Layla	7-5	143:57	20.6	6-17	.353	2-5	.400	2-3	.667	2	12	14	2.0	5	0	3	9	4	4	16	2.3
5	RAYE-REDMOND, Raeven	7-0	99:36	14.2	4-27	.148	0-7	.000	4-10	.400	6	5	11	1.6	21	0	7	18	0	11	12	1.7
20	BEYER, Katie	6-0	48:05	8.0	3-12	.250	0-5	.000	4-4	1.000	1	6	7	1.2	4	0	3	4	0	1	10	1.7
24	PRESTON, Kayla	6-0	20:37	3.4	1-4	.250	0-2	.000	3-7	.429	0	2	2	0.3	5	0	0	4	1	0	5	0.8
Team											7	13	20					6				
Total		7	1400		146-372	.392	58-176	.330	78-110	.709	53	145	198	28.3	162	4	77	142	23	64	428	61.1
Opponents		7	1400		168-375	.448	43-117	.368	144-179	.804	75	192	267	38.1	122	1	95	124	18	73	523	74.7

Team Statistics

	VALPO	OPP
Scoring	428	523
Points per game	61.1	74.7
Scoring margin	-13.6	-
Field goals-att	146-372	168-375
Field goal pct	.392	.448
3 point fg-att	58-176	43-117
3-point FG pct	.330	.368
3-pt FG made per game	8.3	6.1
Free throws-att	78-110	144-179
Free throw pct	.709	.804
F-Throws made per game	11.1	20.6
Rebounds	198	267
Rebounds per game	28.3	38.1
Rebounding margin	-9.9	-
Assists	77	95
Assists per game	11.0	13.6
Turnovers	142	124
Turnovers per game	20.3	17.7
Turnover margin	-2.6	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.5	0.8
Steals	64	73
Steals per game	9.1	10.4
Blocks	23	18
Blocks per game	3.3	2.6
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	1597	4543
Home games-Avg/Game	4-399	3-1514
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
12/30/2023	at Murray St.	L	62-90	2652
01/04/2024	at Missouri St.	L	47-67	1656
01/06/2024	at Southern Ill.	L	66-75	235
01/12/2024	Drake	L	54-83	233
01/14/2024	UNI	L	52-76	521
01/19/2024	Illinois St.	L	68-77	295
01/21/2024	Bradley	W	79-55	548



**2023-24 Valparaiso Women's Basketball
Team Game-by-Game
All games**

Opponent	Date	Score		Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds				PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG							
at Eastern Ill.	11/12/2023	62-75	L	23-54	.426	10-24	.417	6-9	.667	7	24	31	31.0	21	16	18	3	7	62	62.0
Western Ill.	11/18/2023	54-76	L	18-46	.391	5-20	.250	13-21	.619	7	18	25	28.0	28	10	24	3	18	54	58.0
at Southern Miss.	11/21/2023	49-61	L	15-55	.273	5-25	.200	14-17	.824	9	26	35	30.3	21	8	19	4	8	49	55.0
at UAB	11/25/2023	68-78	L	24-61	.393	9-25	.360	11-18	.611	11	12	23	28.5	19	12	13	1	16	68	58.3
at Western Mich.	11/29/2023	71-75	Lot	27-57	.474	4-16	.250	13-20	.650	8	26	34	29.6	24	13	20	2	10	71	60.8
at Purdue	12/03/2023	56-83	L	19-55	.345	8-23	.348	10-16	.625	1	24	25	28.8	22	8	20	2	13	56	60.0
Chicago St.	12/09/2023	83-64	W	29-59	.492	11-33	.333	14-21	.667	16	15	31	29.1	11	17	14	2	14	83	63.3
vs Bethune-Cookman	12/19/2023	35-61	L	11-49	.224	2-23	.087	11-20	.550	12	27	39	30.4	14	4	22	3	8	35	59.8
at Stetson	12/20/2023	62-78	L	20-52	.385	9-27	.333	13-23	.565	7	18	25	29.8	26	11	20	2	8	62	60.0
at Murray St.	12/30/2023	62-90	L	22-54	.407	8-26	.308	10-14	.714	9	22	31	29.9	25	12	28	4	11	62	60.2
at Missouri St.	01/04/2024	47-67	L	17-44	.386	5-18	.278	8-17	.471	6	17	23	29.3	25	7	21	3	8	47	59.0
at Southern Ill.	01/06/2024	66-75	L	24-55	.436	7-19	.368	11-21	.524	8	21	29	29.3	22	13	22	2	10	66	59.6
Drake	01/12/2024	54-83	L	18-51	.353	11-32	.344	7-7	1.000	6	18	24	28.8	24	11	25	3	7	54	59.2
UNI	01/14/2024	52-76	L	18-57	.316	8-30	.267	8-11	.727	8	18	26	28.6	18	11	19	5	11	52	58.6
Illinois St.	01/19/2024	68-77	L	23-58	.397	7-23	.304	15-18	.833	9	18	27	28.5	30	8	13	2	12	68	59.3
Bradley	01/21/2024	79-55	W	24-53	.453	12-28	.429	19-22	.864	7	31	38	29.1	18	15	14	4	5	79	60.5
Total		968		332-860	.386	121-392	.309	183-275	.665	131	335	466	29.1	348	176	312	45	166	968	60.5
Opponents		1174		398-874	.455	93-268	.347	285-379	.752	182	444	626	39.1	276	226	301	38	134	1174	73.4

Valparaiso Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
16	60.5	38.6	30.9	66.5	29.1	11.0	19.5	0.6	10.4	2.8



**2023-24 Valparaiso Women's Basketball
Opponents Game-by-Game
All games**

Opponent	Date	Score	Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds											
			FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
at Eastern Ill.	11/12/2023	62-75 L	29-59	.492	3-15	.200	14-19	.737	10	26	36	36.0	9	18	14	1	6	75	75.0	
Western Ill.	11/18/2023	54-76 L	25-52	.481	9-18	.500	17-25	.680	13	25	38	37.0	20	15	24	2	9	76	75.5	
at Southern Miss.	11/21/2023	49-61 L	20-54	.370	4-14	.286	17-26	.654	12	32	44	39.3	16	10	19	4	2	61	70.7	
at UAB	11/25/2023	68-78 L	28-47	.596	4-14	.286	18-21	.857	9	28	37	38.8	17	18	23	2	4	78	72.5	
at Western Mich.	11/29/2023	71-75 Lot	24-62	.387	10-23	.435	17-24	.708	14	23	37	38.4	18	15	20	1	6	75	73.0	
at Purdue	12/03/2023	56-83 L	28-57	.491	8-24	.333	19-24	.792	8	38	46	39.7	16	20	21	3	10	83	74.7	
Chicago St.	12/09/2023	83-64 W	26-52	.500	5-11	.455	7-16	.438	13	18	31	38.4	17	12	22	2	6	64	73.1	
vs Bethune-Cookman	12/19/2023	35-61 L	23-65	.354	2-18	.111	13-18	.722	18	31	49	39.8	19	11	14	3	11	61	71.6	
at Stetson	12/20/2023	62-78 L	27-51	.529	5-14	.357	19-27	.704	10	31	41	39.9	22	12	20	2	7	78	72.3	
at Murray St.	12/30/2023	62-90 L	29-63	.460	11-25	.440	21-27	.778	16	26	42	40.1	19	20	17	0	13	90	74.1	
at Missouri St.	01/04/2024	47-67 L	23-52	.442	5-11	.455	16-25	.640	14	26	40	40.1	18	12	16	5	6	67	73.5	
at Southern Ill.	01/06/2024	66-75 L	22-51	.431	5-16	.313	26-29	.897	9	29	38	39.9	23	14	21	3	14	75	73.6	
Drake	01/12/2024	54-83 L	27-52	.519	9-24	.375	20-22	.909	8	27	35	39.5	12	18	19	1	13	83	74.3	
UNI	01/14/2024	52-76 L	28-53	.528	3-12	.250	17-21	.810	8	33	41	39.6	12	14	21	4	12	76	74.4	
Illinois St.	01/19/2024	68-77 L	23-49	.469	6-13	.462	25-32	.781	10	27	37	39.5	17	9	16	4	7	77	74.6	
Bradley	01/21/2024	79-55 W	16-55	.291	4-16	.250	19-23	.826	10	24	34	39.1	21	8	14	1	8	55	73.4	
Total		1174	398-874	.455	93-268	.347	285-379	.752	182	444	626	39.1	276	226	301	38	134	1174	73.4	
Valparaiso		968	332-860	.386	121-392	.309	183-275	.665	131	335	466	29.1	348	176	312	45	166	968	60.5	

Opponents Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
16	73.4	45.5	34.7	75.2	39.1	14.1	18.8	0.8	8.4	2.4



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Opponent	Date	Score		0	1	2	3	5	11	12	20	21	22	24
				HARRIS,JIL	TECCA,EMMA	BROWN,OLIV	INTERRANTE	RAYE-REDMO	JACKSON,NE	JACKSON,SA	BEYER,KATI	GOLD,LAYLA	EARNEST,LE	PRESTON,KA
at Eastern Ill.	11/12/2023	62-75	L	12-3-3	0-1-2	6-2-3	0-0-0	DNP	11-3-2	7-1-0	4-0-0	DNP	13-9-4	5-5-0
Western Ill.	11/18/2023	54-76	L	13-0-0	1-2-0	2-0-1	2-2-0	9-1-1	2-3-3	4-1-0	2-1-0	1-2-0	10-4-4	0-1-0
at Southern Miss.	11/21/2023	49-61	L	14-1-0	0-0-1	13-2-2	6-2-0	0-1-0	2-6-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	12-12-1	0-0-0
at UAB	11/25/2023	68-78	L	8-1-1	DNP	6-2-3	3-1-1	0-2-2	3-1-0	13-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	26-6-2	DNP
at Western Mich.	11/29/2023	71-75	Lot	DNP	DNP	16-4-2	4-2-2	7-5-5	6-6-1	11-4-2	DNP	0-0-0	22-11-1	0-0-0
at Purdue	12/03/2023	56-83	L	DNP	DNP	8-2-2	9-1-2	0-1-0	1-2-2	3-0-0	7-3-1	0-0-0	14-5-1	0-0-0
Chicago St.	12/09/2023	83-64	W	DNP	0-1-1	23-2-3	9-6-2	0-1-1	7-4-2	14-4-0	1-0-0	3-2-1	21-4-6	0-0-0
vs Bethune-Cookman	12/19/2023	35-61	L	DNP	0-2-2	7-2-0	8-4-2	3-1-0	5-9-0	5-6-0	0-1-0	5-3-0	0-2-0	2-1-0
at Stetson	12/20/2023	62-78	L	DNP	6-4-1	14-3-2	9-1-1	6-3-0	0-0-1	10-7-0	0-0-0	3-0-0	10-4-5	DNP
at Murray St.	12/30/2023	62-90	L	DNP	5-2-1	9-0-3	5-4-0	0-1-0	10-3-2	11-2-2	DNP	3-2-2	17-9-2	0-0-0
at Missouri St.	01/04/2024	47-67	L	DNP	4-3-0	15-4-2	4-0-0	5-0-0	6-1-0	3-0-1	0-1-1	0-3-0	10-9-3	0-0-0
at Southern Ill.	01/06/2024	66-75	L	DNP	8-0-1	DNP	5-1-0	6-4-2	2-0-1	15-6-0	0-3-1	4-4-1	12-3-6	DNP
Drake	01/12/2024	54-83	L	DNP	3-3-0	DNP	10-2-2	0-2-1	3-2-5	8-3-1	2-1-0	5-0-0	14-4-0	0-1-0
UNI	01/14/2024	52-76	L	DNP	0-0-1	DNP	5-2-1	1-2-3	7-4-1	16-2-1	8-2-1	0-2-0	4-5-2	2-0-0
Illinois St.	01/19/2024	68-77	L	DNP	6-0-0	DNP	14-2-3	0-2-0	19-3-0	5-3-0	0-0-0	2-1-0	20-10-3	0-0-0
Bradley	01/21/2024	79-55	W	DNP	3-2-1	17-2-2	2-4-2	0-0-1	7-4-2	9-1-0	0-0-0	2-2-0	24-14-6	3-1-0

Opponent	Date	Score		25	33	41
				VAN WEELDE	SIMS,OLIVI	JOHNSTON,J
at Eastern Ill.	11/12/2023	62-75	L	0-5-1	4-0-1	DNP
Western Ill.	11/18/2023	54-76	L	0-0-1	0-0-0	8-1-0
at Southern Miss.	11/21/2023	49-61	L	0-4-0	2-2-3	DNP
at UAB	11/25/2023	68-78	L	5-0-0	4-3-3	DNP
at Western Mich.	11/29/2023	71-75	Lot	2-0-0	3-0-0	DNP
at Purdue	12/03/2023	56-83	L	0-4-0	14-1-0	DNP
Chicago St.	12/09/2023	83-64	W	5-6-1	DNP	DNP
vs Bethune-Cookman	12/19/2023	35-61	L	0-0-0	0-2-0	DNP
at Stetson	12/20/2023	62-78	L	0-0-0	4-0-1	DNP
at Murray St.	12/30/2023	62-90	L	2-3-0	0-0-0	DNP
at Missouri St.	01/04/2024	47-67	L	DNP	DNP	DNP
at Southern Ill.	01/06/2024	66-75	L	12-2-0	2-2-1	DNP
Drake	01/12/2024	54-83	L	3-3-1	6-1-1	DNP
UNI	01/14/2024	52-76	L	5-5-0	4-1-1	DNP
Illinois St.	01/19/2024	68-77	L	0-0-0	2-3-2	DNP
Bradley	01/21/2024	79-55	W	12-4-1	0-1-0	DNP



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POINTS	26		Leah Earnest at UAB (11/25/2023)
	24		Leah Earnest vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	23		Olivia Brown vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	22		Leah Earnest at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	21		Leah Earnest vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	10		Leah Earnest at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	9		Leah Earnest at UAB (11/25/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	19		Olivia Brown vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	19		Leah Earnest at UAB (11/25/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	1.000	(6-6)	Saniya Jackson vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	.833	(5-6)	Olivia Brown vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
3 PT FG MADE	4		Ella Van Weelden vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	4		Ella Van Weelden at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	4		Olivia Brown at Stetson (12/20/2023)
	4		Olivia Brown vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	12		Olivia Brown vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	9		Olivia Brown at Stetson (12/20/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(4-4)	Ella Van Weelden vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	1.000	(2-2)	Ava Interrante vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	1.000	(2-2)	Saniya Jackson vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	1.000	(2-2)	Olivia Brown at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	7		Leah Earnest vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	7		Olivia Brown at Southern Miss. (11/21/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	9		Leah Earnest vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	8		Leah Earnest vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(7-7)	Leah Earnest vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	1.000	(7-7)	Olivia Brown at Southern Miss. (11/21/2023)
	1.000	(6-6)	Ava Interrante at Stetson (12/20/2023)
	1.000	(5-5)	Olivia Brown vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	1.000	(4-4)	Nevaeh Jackson vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	1.000	(4-4)	Olivia Brown at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	1.000	(4-4)	Olivia Brown vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Emma Tecca at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	1.000	(3-3)	Katie Beyer at Purdue (12/03/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Saniya Jackson at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
1.000	(3-3)	Jill Harris at UAB (11/25/2023)	
1.000	(3-3)	Jill Harris at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)	
REBOUNDS	14		Leah Earnest vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	12		Leah Earnest at Southern Miss. (11/21/2023)
ASSISTS	6		Leah Earnest vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	6		Leah Earnest at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	6		Leah Earnest vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
STEALS	8		Saniya Jackson at UAB (11/25/2023)
	8		Raeven Raye-Redmond vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	2		Nevaeh Jackson vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	2		Ella Van Weelden vs UNI (01/14/2024)
	2		Layla Gold at Missouri St. (01/04/2024)
	2		Saniya Jackson at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	2		Nevaeh Jackson at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	2		Layla Gold vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	2		Nevaeh Jackson vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	2		Ella Van Weelden at Southern Miss. (11/21/2023)
	2		Leah Earnest vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)



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TURNOVERS	8	Nevaeh Jackson at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	6	Olivia Brown at Missouri St. (01/04/2024)
	6	Ava Interrante vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	6	Nevaeh Jackson vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)
FOULS	5	Ava Interrante vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	5	Saniya Jackson vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	5	Nevaeh Jackson vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	5	Saniya Jackson vs UNI (01/14/2024)
	5	Saniya Jackson at Stetson (12/20/2023)
	5	Olivia Brown at Purdue (12/03/2023)
	5	Ava Interrante at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	5	Saniya Jackson at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)



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POINTS	32		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	26		Katie Dinnebier vs Drake (01/12/2024)
	24		Laniah Randle at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	22		Rashunda Jones at Purdue (12/03/2023)
	22		Lalani Ellis at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	9		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	9		Mia Moore at UAB (11/25/2023)
	9		Lalani Ellis at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	19		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	16		Lalani Ellis at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (min 5 made)	1.000	(5-5)	Laura Segues vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	.857	(6-7)	Emerson Green vs UNI (01/14/2024)
	.857	(6-7)	Evangelina Parrish vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	5		Laura Segues vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	4		Caroline Waite vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	4		Katie Dinnebier vs Drake (01/12/2024)
	4		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	4		Anna Deets vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	8		Chanel Wilson vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	8		Maggie Stutelberg at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE (min 2 made)	1.000	(5-5)	Laura Segues vs Chicago St. (12/09/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Kaiden Glenn at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	1.000	(2-2)	Katelyn Young at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	1.000	(2-2)	Carla Flores vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	11		DeAnna Wilson vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	10		Laniah Randle at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	10		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	12		Kaitlyn Zarycki at Western Mich. (11/29/2023)
	11		DeAnna Wilson vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (min 3 made)	1.000	(11-11)	DeAnna Wilson vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	1.000	(10-10)	Laniah Randle at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	1.000	(8-8)	Rashunda Jones at Purdue (12/03/2023)
	1.000	(6-6)	Katie Dinnebier vs Drake (01/12/2024)
	1.000	(5-5)	Grace Berg vs Drake (01/12/2024)
	1.000	(5-5)	Anna Miller vs Drake (01/12/2024)
	1.000	(4-4)	Halli Pooch vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	1.000	(4-4)	Kennedy Taylor at Missouri St. (01/04/2024)
	1.000	(4-4)	Khamya McNeal at Stetson (12/20/2023)
	1.000	(4-4)	D'Shantae Edwards vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	1.000	(3-3)	Nika Dorsey vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
1.000	(3-3)	Paige Clubb at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)	
1.000	(3-3)	Mallory McDermott vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)	
REBOUNDS	13		Isis Fitch vs Bradley (01/21/2024)
	13		Kayla Clark vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
ASSISTS	7		Bria Sanders-Woods at Murray St. (12/30/2023)
	7		Denim DeShields at UAB (11/25/2023)
	7		Miah Monahan at Eastern Ill. (11/12/2023)
STEALS	5		Jaidynn Mason at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	5		Laniah Randle at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)



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BLOCKED SHOTS	4	Ryley Goebel vs UNI (01/14/2024)
	2	Sydney Prochaska at Southern Ill. (01/06/2024)
	2	Angel Scott at Missouri St. (01/04/2024)
	2	Kyrah Daniels at Missouri St. (01/04/2024)
	2	Kayla Clark vs Bethune-Cookman (N) (12/19/2023)
	2	Mary Ashley Stevenson at Purdue (12/03/2023)
	2	Tracey Bershers at UAB (11/25/2023)
	2	Morgan Sieper at Southern Miss. (11/21/2023)
	2	Alissa Dins vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)
TURNOVERS	6	Kate Bullman vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	6	Denim DeShields at UAB (11/25/2023)
	6	Jade Weathersby at UAB (11/25/2023)
FOULS	5	Kate Bullman vs Illinois St. (01/19/2024)
	5	Raegan McCowan vs Western Ill. (11/18/2023)



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BEYER, Katie

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	1-0	2/1.9	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2021-22	VALPO	5-0	9/1.8	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.4	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2022-23	VALPO	25-5	197/7.9	19-52	.365	4-18	.222	7-10	.700	9	21	30	1.2	24-1	5	18	3	4	49	2.0
2023-24	VALPO	14-4	112/8.0	6-24	.250	1-10	.100	11-15	.733	1	11	12	0.9	8-0	4	10	2	4	24	1.7
TOTAL		45-9	321/7.1	25-76	.329	5-28	.179	18-27	.667	10	35	45	1.0	33-1	9	28	5	8	73	1.6

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	11	at Central Mich. 11/07/22
Rebounds	5	at Central Mich. 11/07/22
Assists	1	9 times
Steals	1	8 times
Blocks	1	5 times
FG Made	5	at Central Mich. 11/07/22
FG Attempts	7	at Wisconsin 01/25/23
3FG Made	1	5 times
3FG Attempts	3	vs Illinois St. 01/27/23, at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
FT Made	3	at Drake 01/21/23, at Purdue 12/03/23
FT Attempts	4	at Drake 01/21/23



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BROWN, Olivia

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Other				Scoring		
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	SBU	30-16	729/24.3	74-187	.396	42-120	.350	24-32	.750	11	70	81	2.7	68-1	32	49	1	19	214	7.1
2020-21	SBU	21-19	576/27.4	55-138	.399	39-102	.382	3-8	.375	6	33	39	1.9	31-0	17	34	1	19	152	7.2
2021-22	VALPO	30-19	721/24.0	72-148	.486	33-83	.398	22-31	.710	12	36	48	1.6	58-2	29	50	1	22	199	6.6
2022-23	VALPO	30-22	877/29.2	118-247	.478	61-147	.415	63-83	.759	17	41	58	1.9	69-0	56	69	1	11	360	12.0
2023-24	VALPO	12-11	328/27.3	41-99	.414	21-57	.368	33-38	.868	8	17	25	2.1	26-1	25	35	0	16	136	11.3
TOTAL FOR VALPO		72-52	1925/26.7	231-494	.468	115-287	.401	118-152	.776	37	94	131	1.8	153-3	110	154	2	49	695	9.7
TOTAL		123-87	3230/26.3	360-819	.440	196-509	.385	145-192	.755	54	197	251	2.0	252-4	159	237	4	87	1061	8.6

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	24	vs Oakland 12/15/19, vs Bradley 01/29/23
Rebounds	8	vs Davidson 02/09/20
Assists	5	vs Indiana St. 01/21/22, vs Indiana St. 01/07/23
Steals	4	at Fordham 01/04/20, at George Washington 02/14/21
Blocks	1	4 times
FG Made	9	vs Oakland 12/15/19
FG Attempts	19	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23
3FG Made	6	vs Oakland 12/15/19, at Belmont 12/30/22, vs Bradley 01/29/23
3FG Attempts	12	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23
FT Made	7	at Southern Miss. 11/21/23
FT Attempts	10	vs Evansville 01/23/22



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EARNEST, Leah

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	23-2	310/13.5	23-69	.333	4-26	.154	28-44	.636	10	57	67	2.9	37-0	9	35	5	9	78	3.4
2021-22	VALPO	30-17	659/22.0	89-183	.486	15-42	.357	39-60	.650	23	115	138	4.6	65-0	22	55	10	13	232	7.7
2022-23	VALPO	30-22	831/27.7	111-236	.470	22-75	.293	51-84	.607	26	196	222	7.4	58-1	39	68	5	28	295	9.8
2023-24	VALPO	16-16	493/30.8	85-175	.486	20-57	.351	39-61	.639	27	84	111	6.9	36-0	46	42	5	26	229	14.3
TOTAL		99-57	2293/23.2	308-663	.465	61-200	.305	157-249	.631	86	452	538	5.4	196-1	116	200	25	76	834	8.4

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	26	at UAB 11/25/23
Rebounds	14	vs Eastern Ill. 11/16/22, vs Bradley 01/21/24
Assists	6	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23, vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
Steals	3	5 times
Blocks	2	4 times
FG Made	10	at Western Mich. 11/29/23
FG Attempts	19	at UAB 11/25/23
3FG Made	3	5 times
3FG Attempts	6	at UAB 11/25/23, vs Bradley 01/21/24, vs Drake 01/12/24
FT Made	7	vs Bradley 01/21/24
FT Attempts	9	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23

GOLD, Layla

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	VALPO	14-5	204/14.5	10-31	.323	4-11	.364	4-9	.444	7	14	21	1.5	7-0	4	13	6	8	28	2.0
TOTAL		14-5	204/14.5	10-31	.323	4-11	.364	4-9	.444	7	14	21	1.5	7-0	4	13	6	8	28	2.0

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	5	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23, vs Drake 01/12/24
Rebounds	4	at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
Assists	2	at Murray St. 12/30/23
Steals	2	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23
Blocks	2	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23, at Missouri St. 01/04/24
FG Made	2	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23, vs Drake 01/12/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
FG Attempts	6	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23
3FG Made	1	4 times
3FG Attempts	3	vs Drake 01/12/24
FT Made	2	vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
FT Attempts	4	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23



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HARRIS, Jill

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Other Stats					Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	Mercer	31-28	991/32.0	35-115	.304	5-38	.132	26-38	.684	25	72	97	3.1	70-1	124	57	6	22	101	3.3
2020-21	Mercer	26-7	715/27.5	17-75	.227	3-22	.136	13-19	.684	7	30	37	1.4	44-1	88	39	5	17	50	1.9
2021-22	AAMU	28-28	974/34.8	47-154	.305	24-91	.264	34-47	.723	10	54	64	2.3	53-0	55	53	4	12	152	5.4
2022-23	JCS	16-14	516/32.2	44-137	.321	16-60	.267	42-61	.689	17	41	58	3.6	43-1	38	32	1	13	146	9.1
2023-24	VALPO	4-4	130/32.5	14-41	.341	8-15	.533	11-12	.917	1	4	5	1.3	12-0	4	10	0	2	47	11.8
TOTAL FOR VALPO		4-4	130/32.5	14-41	.341	8-15	.533	11-12	.917	1	4	5	1.3	12-0	4	10	0	2	47	11.8
TOTAL		105-81	3326/31.7	157-522	.301	56-226	.248	126-177	.712	60	201	261	2.5	222-3	309	191	16	66	496	4.7

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	14	at Fayetteville St. 01/14/23, at Southern Miss. 11/21/23
Rebounds	9	vs Eastern Ky. 11/24/19, at South Carolina St. 12/01/19
Assists	10	at ETSU 02/22/20, vs Ga. Southern 12/07/19
Steals	4	at Georgia 11/21/19
Blocks	2	vs LaGrange 11/05/19
FG Made	5	vs UNC Greensboro 02/29/20, at Livingstone 02/11/23, vs Winston-Salem 02/15/23
FG Attempts	15	at Elizabeth City St. 01/07/23
3FG Made	3	6 times
3FG Attempts	7	at Bethune-Cookman 02/19/22, at Fayetteville St. 01/14/23
FT Made	8	vs Livingstone 01/21/23
FT Attempts	10	vs Livingstone 01/21/23



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INTERRANTE, Ava

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Other					Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	10-0	51/5.1	3-14	.214	0-7	.000	6-10	.600	3	4	7	0.7	10-0	4	5	1	2	12	1.2
2021-22	VALPO	8-0	19/2.3	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	0.4	2-0	2	0	0	2	6	0.8
2022-23	VALPO	30-13	506/16.9	42-121	.347	22-67	.328	16-28	.571	8	52	60	2.0	59-0	16	30	2	29	122	4.1
2023-24	VALPO	16-12	328/20.5	33-88	.375	11-39	.282	18-22	.818	6	28	34	2.1	39-2	18	50	0	13	95	5.9
TOTAL		64-25	904/14.1	80-226	.354	33-113	.292	42-62	.677	18	86	104	1.6	110-2	40	85	3	46	235	3.7

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	15	at Western Ill. 12/09/22
Rebounds	6	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23
Assists	3	vs Indiana St. 01/07/23, vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
Steals	4	at Drake 01/21/23
Blocks	1	vs Evansville 02/19/21, at Northwestern 11/27/22, vs Indiana St. 01/07/23
FG Made	5	at Belmont 12/30/22, at Western Ill. 12/09/22, vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
FG Attempts	13	vs UNI 01/14/24
3FG Made	4	at Belmont 12/30/22
3FG Attempts	6	6 times
FT Made	6	at Stetson 12/20/23
FT Attempts	6	at Stetson 12/20/23

JACKSON, Nevaeh

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Other					Scoring	
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	VALPO	16-14	410/25.6	30-99	.303	17-63	.270	14-18	.778	7	44	51	3.2	43-1	23	43	11	17	91	5.7
TOTAL		16-14	410/25.6	30-99	.303	17-63	.270	14-18	.778	7	44	51	3.2	43-1	23	43	11	17	91	5.7

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	19	vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
Rebounds	9	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23
Assists	5	vs Drake 01/12/24
Steals	3	at Murray St. 12/30/23, vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
Blocks	2	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23, vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Murray St. 12/30/23
FG Made	7	vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
FG Attempts	16	vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
3FG Made	3	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23, vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
3FG Attempts	8	vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
FT Made	4	vs Bradley 01/21/24
FT Attempts	4	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23, vs Bradley 01/21/24



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JACKSON, Saniya

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	VALPO	16-12	360/22.5	52-104	.500	13-44	.295	17-34	.500	15	26	41	2.6	58-4	7	20	8	31	134	8.4
TOTAL		16-12	360/22.5	52-104	.500	13-44	.295	17-34	.500	15	26	41	2.6	58-4	7	20	8	31	134	8.4

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	16	vs UNI 01/14/24
Rebounds	7	at Stetson 12/20/23
Assists	2	at Western Mich. 11/29/23, at Murray St. 12/30/23
Steals	8	at UAB 11/25/23
Blocks	2	at Murray St. 12/30/23
FG Made	6	vs Chicago St. 12/09/23, vs UNI 01/14/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
FG Attempts	12	at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
3FG Made	3	vs UNI 01/14/24
3FG Attempts	7	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23
FT Made	3	at Western Mich. 11/29/23, vs Illinois St. 01/19/24
FT Attempts	7	at Southern Ill. 01/06/24

JOHNSTON, Jayda

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	VALPO	5-0	10/2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0.4	2-0	0	1	0	0	1	0.2
2021-22	VALPO	4-0	12/3.1	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0.5	2-0	0	0	0	0	3	0.8
2022-23	VALPO	30-0	462/15.4	44-102	.431	6-15	.400	20-31	.645	21	28	49	1.6	70-3	17	30	3	9	114	3.8
2023-24	VALPO	1-0	9/9.1	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	0-2	.000	1	0	1	1.0	2-0	0	1	0	1	8	8.0
TOTAL		40-0	493/12.3	49-114	.430	6-17	.353	22-37	.595	22	32	54	1.4	76-3	17	32	3	10	126	3.2

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	16	at Western Ill. 12/09/22
Rebounds	5	at Northwestern 11/27/22
Assists	3	vs UIC 02/01/23
Steals	2	at Murray St. 01/01/23
Blocks	1	vs Missouri St. 01/14/23, vs Bradley 01/29/23, at Illinois St. 02/25/23
FG Made	7	at Western Ill. 12/09/22
FG Attempts	12	at Western Ill. 12/09/22
3FG Made	2	at UNI 01/19/23
3FG Attempts	3	at Western Ill. 12/09/22, at UNI 01/19/23
FT Made	4	vs Illinois St. 01/27/23
FT Attempts	6	vs Illinois St. 01/27/23



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PRESTON, Kayla

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	VALPO	13-0	51/3.9	3-10	.300	1-3	.333	5-9	.556	2	7	9	0.7	9-0	0	5	1	0	12	0.9
TOTAL		13-0	51/3.9	3-10	.300	1-3	.333	5-9	.556	2	7	9	0.7	9-0	0	5	1	0	12	0.9

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	5	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
Rebounds	5	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
Blocks	1	vs Drake 01/12/24
FG Made	2	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
FG Attempts	4	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
3FG Made	1	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
3FG Attempts	1	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23, vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Murray St. 12/30/23
FT Made	2	vs Bethune-Cookman 12/19/23, vs UNI 01/14/24
FT Attempts	2	4 times

RAYE-REDMOND, Raeven

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	VALPO	15-0	230/15.4	13-59	.220	1-12	.083	10-27	.370	13	13	26	1.7	42-0	16	36	1	33	37	2.5
TOTAL		15-0	230/15.4	13-59	.220	1-12	.083	10-27	.370	13	13	26	1.7	42-0	16	36	1	33	37	2.5

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	9	vs Western Ill. 11/18/23
Rebounds	5	at Western Mich. 11/29/23
Assists	5	at Western Mich. 11/29/23
Steals	8	vs Western Ill. 11/18/23
Blocks	1	vs Western Ill. 11/18/23
FG Made	4	vs Western Ill. 11/18/23
FG Attempts	8	at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
3FG Made	1	vs Western Ill. 11/18/23
3FG Attempts	2	vs UNI 01/14/24, at Missouri St. 01/04/24
FT Made	3	at Western Mich. 11/29/23
FT Attempts	6	at Western Mich. 11/29/23



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SIMS, Olivia

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Other				Scoring		
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	Oak	12-3	169/14.1	22-56	.393	15-32	.469	6-12	.500	5	11	16	1.3	22-0	5	12	0	4	65	5.4
2022-23	VALPO	29-16	525/18.1	42-144	.292	12-58	.207	50-72	.694	9	36	45	1.6	57-0	21	54	3	13	146	5.0
2023-24	VALPO	14-2	186/13.3	13-45	.289	4-18	.222	15-21	.714	5	11	16	1.1	27-0	13	20	2	7	45	3.2
TOTAL FOR VALPO		43-18	711/16.5	55-189	.291	16-76	.211	65-93	.699	14	47	61	1.4	84-0	34	74	5	20	191	4.4
TOTAL		55-21	879/16.0	77-245	.314	31-108	.287	71-105	.676	19	58	77	1.4	106-0	39	86	5	24	256	4.7

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	14	at Purdue 12/03/23
Rebounds	5	vs Michigan St. 11/26/21
Assists	4	vs Southern Miss. 11/12/22
Steals	2	5 times
Blocks	1	5 times
FG Made	5	vs Niagara 11/12/21, at Purdue 12/03/23
FG Attempts	13	at Purdue 12/03/23
3FG Made	4	vs Michigan St. 11/26/21
3FG Attempts	6	vs Niagara 11/12/21, vs Michigan St. 11/26/21, at Purdue 12/03/23
FT Made	4	4 times
FT Attempts	6	at Illinois St. 02/25/23



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TECCA, Emma

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	UA	20-10	392/19.6	34-87	.391	33-73	.452	7-14	.500	4	34	38	1.9	33-0	19	15	0	9	108	5.4
2021-22	UA	8-0	38/4.8	3-15	.200	2-11	.182	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0.3	5-0	1	2	0	2	8	1.0
2022-23	VALPO	25-8	348/13.9	25-73	.342	11-46	.239	14-15	.933	7	26	33	1.3	31-0	8	20	3	9	75	3.0
2023-24	VALPO	13-0	193/14.8	11-36	.306	8-30	.267	6-7	.857	3	17	20	1.5	19-0	11	8	3	3	36	2.8
TOTAL FOR VALPO		38-8	541/14.2	36-109	.330	19-76	.250	20-22	.909	10	43	53	1.4	50-0	19	28	6	12	111	2.9
TOTAL		66-18	971/14.7	73-211	.346	54-160	.338	27-36	.750	15	78	93	1.4	88-0	39	45	6	23	227	3.4

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	12	vs Ball St. 12/20/20, vs UNI 02/12/23
Rebounds	5	4 times
Assists	4	vs Ohio 03/03/21
Steals	2	4 times
Blocks	2	vs UIC 03/09/23
FG Made	4	vs Ball St. 12/20/20, at Evansville 02/19/23, vs UIC 03/09/23
FG Attempts	8	at Bowling Green 01/20/21, vs Buffalo 02/03/21
3FG Made	4	vs Ball St. 12/20/20
3FG Attempts	8	vs Buffalo 02/03/21
FT Made	4	vs UNI 02/12/23
FT Attempts	4	at Ohio 01/30/21, vs UNI 02/12/23

VAN WEELDEN, Ella

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	VALPO	17-0	152/8.9	7-30	.233	5-22	.227	8-12	.667	7	27	34	2.0	21-0	1	10	7	3	27	1.6
2023-24	VALPO	15-0	191/12.7	17-43	.395	12-32	.375	0-0	.000	10	26	36	2.4	20-0	5	7	6	5	46	3.1
TOTAL		32-0	343/10.7	24-73	.329	17-54	.315	8-12	.667	17	53	70	2.2	41-0	6	17	13	8	73	2.3

Single Game Highs

Statistic	Value	
Points	12	vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
Rebounds	7	vs UAB 11/21/22
Assists	1	6 times
Steals	2	at Eastern Ill. 11/12/23
Blocks	2	at Southern Miss. 11/21/23, vs UNI 01/14/24
FG Made	4	vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
FG Attempts	6	at Northwestern 11/27/22, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
3FG Made	4	vs Bradley 01/21/24, at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
3FG Attempts	6	at Southern Ill. 01/06/24
FT Made	3	vs Southern Miss. 11/12/22
FT Attempts	4	vs Southern Miss. 11/12/22