63 Former Ohio State Players Begin 2019 NFL Season On Training Camp Rosters



According to Ohio State sports information director Jerry Emig, 62 former Buckeyes were on an NFL roster at the beginning of training camp this month.

Emig left off former Ohio State defensive end Noah Spence but mentioned running back Rod Smith, though both of their careers in Columbus ended because of a failed drug test. The only difference is that Spence was ruled ineligible by the Big Ten and finished his career at Eastern Kentucky, while Smith was a senior at the time of his indiscretion.

With Spence on the list, the Buckeyes are represented on 29 teams. A complete list:

Arizona Cardinals LB Dante Booker

Atlanta Falcons

DT Michael Bennett CB Kendall Sheffield

Buffalo Bills S Kurt Coleman

Carolina Panthers

TE Marcus Baugh WR Curtis Samuel

Cincinnati Bengals

DE Sam Hubbard OG Michael Jordan C Billy Price LB Chris Worley

Cleveland Browns

CB Denzel Ward

Dallas Cowboys

WR Noah Brown RB Ezekiel Elliott WR Devin Smith RB Mike Weber

Denver Broncos

TE Jeff Heuerman DT Dre'mont Jones

Detroit Lions OT Taylor Decker

Green Bay Packers C Corey Linsley

Houston Texans

WR Johnnie Dixon S Tyvis Powell CB Bradley Roby OG Malcolm Pridgeon

Indianapolis Colts

WR Parris Campbell S Malik Hooker DE Tyquan Lewis

Jacksonville Jaguars

OG Andrew Norwell WR Terrelle Pryor

Kansas City Chiefs

RB Carlos Hyde LB Darron Lee

Los Angeles Chargers DE Joey Bosa QB Cardale Jones

Los Angeles Rams LS Jake McQuaide

Miami Dolphins

LB Jerome Baker LB Raekwon McMillan OT Isaiah Prince DT Adolphus Washington

Minnesota Vikings

OG Pat Elflein DT Jalyn Holmes

New England Patriots

S Nate Ebner DE John Simon

New Orleans Saints

CB Eli Apple QB J.T. Barrett S Vonn Bell WR Ted Ginn Jr. **CB** Marshon Lattimore WR Michael Thomas

New York Giants RB Rod Smith

Oakland Raiders

CB Gareon Conley DT Jonathan Hankins

Philadelphia Eagles

S Malcolm Jenkins P Cameron Johnston WR Braxton Miller

Pittsburgh Steelers

DE Cameron Heyward LB Ryan Shazier

San Francisco 49ers

DE Nick Bosa

Seattle Seahawks

OT Jamarco Jones OG Demetrius Knox **TE Nick Vannett**

Tennessee Titans

S Damon Webb

Washington Redskins

QB Dwayne Haskins WR Terry McLaurin

That leaves just three teams — the Baltimore Ravens, Chicago Bears, New York Jets — without a former Ohio State player on the training roster.

The 2019 NFL season — unofficially — begins on Thursday when the Atlanta Falcons and Denver Broncos square off in the Hall of Fame Game in Canton. The remaining teams begin their four-game exhibition slate the following weekend.