

Buckeye Sports Bulletin's 2023 Early Signing Period Hub



Get to know each member of Ohio State's new class of 2023 signees as they flow in through the Early Signing Period, which runs from Dec. 21-23. Buckeye Sports Bulletin will update this post as each player signs their national letter of intent with the Buckeyes.

- Fittingly, the first prospect to announce his signing with Ohio State is Findlay, Ohio, four-star offensive lineman Luke Montgomery, one of building blocks of the class for the Buckeyes. Learn more about Montgomery.

The Buckeyes are at their best when the best stay home. The kid from Findlay, OH is ready to protect the blindside and be a nightmare for opposing defensive lineman. Welcome to The Brotherhood Luke Montgomery#CHO23N | @lukeMonty8 pic.twitter.com/xafFAYJZ5V

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- Next up is West Chester (Ohio) Lakota West four-star safety Malik Hartford, who has been committed to Ohio State since April. Learn more about Hartford.

The Ohio co-defensive player of the year has been waiting to become a Buckeye his entire life. The kid from West Chester, OH is bringing his hard hat and the boom to Columbus to get to work. Welcome to The Brotherhood Malik Hartford#CHO23N | @MalikHartford pic.twitter.com/HRJqa2m8Je

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- Middletown (Ohio) Lakota East four-star offensive lineman Austin Siereveld is the second offensive lineman to sign with Ohio State. Learn more about Siereveld.

The kid from Liberty Township, OH won't have to go far for his next home. He's bringing all the physicality and toughness to Columbus and representing the Buckeye State at the highest level. Welcome to The Brotherhood Austin Siereveld#CHO23N | @SiereveldAustin pic.twitter.com/Mlb0TWVmhj

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- The first defensive lineman to sign is Suwanee (Ga.) North Gwinnett four-star defensive tackle Kayden McDonald. Learn more about McDonald.

The kid from Suwanee, GA is making his way north and poised to dominate the Big10 trenches. A part time running back, a full-time big human. All we can say is good luck everybody else and welcome to The Brotherhood Kayden McDonald#CHO23N | @KMac_DT pic.twitter.com/KPCaIS7LVV

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- The third man in the offensive trenches to sign is Huber Heights (Ohio) Wayne four-star offensive lineman Joshua Padilla, Ohio State's initial commitment on the offensive line in this class. Learn more about Padilla.

The gem of the "Gem City", Mr. All-State himself is locked in and ready to set the tone as the future of the Buckeye offensive line. Welcome to The Brotherhood Josh Padilla#CHO23N | @JoshuaPadilla66 pic.twitter.com/XfuMxX0Tam

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- The first wide receiver to sign with Ohio State is Fort Lauderdale (Fla.) American Heritage five-

star wide receiver Brandon Inniss, which ends any speculation that the top-flight receiver might wait to sign with the Buckeyes. Learn more about Inniss.

When those lights come on you know what time it is. The kid from Hollywood, FL is primed and ready to put on a show for the Buckeye faithful by making Big Ten defenses look like a bunch of extras. Welcome to The Brotherhood Brandon Innis. #CHO23N | @brandon5star2
pic.twitter.com/YCEwEbu0u3

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- Next up at wideout is Rolesville, N.C., four-star wide receiver Noah Rogers. Learn more about Rogers.

The pride and joy of the 919, he dominated the competition in the Triangle. Now he's looking to feast on Big Ten secondaries. The best from the Tarheel state is headed north. The kid from Raleigh, welcome to The Brotherhood Noah Rogers. #CHO23N | @noah1rogers
pic.twitter.com/D1Jt82d86i

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- Next up is the legacy, as Dublin (Ohio) Coffman four-start defensive lineman Will Smith Jr. has signed with Ohio State. Learn more about Smith Jr.

The hometown hero is ready to take on the mantle and continue the legacy. A buckeye through and through, the pride of Dublin is raring to get after opposing QBs. Welcome to The Brotherhood Will Smith Jr. #CHO23N | @iwillsmithjr pic.twitter.com/pEElfKVsj

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- The next wide receiver to sign is Zephyrhills (Fla.) Wiregrass Ranch four-star Bryson Rodgers. Learn more about Rodgers.

Blink and you will miss him. The kid from Warren, OH is due for a homecoming. Always been about the scarlet & grey from the start, he's ready to leave his mark as one of the best from the Buckeye state to do it. Welcome to The Brotherhood Bryson Rodgers#CHO23N | @IBryson13 pic.twitter.com/E1rGRR6R1c

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- The final offensive lineman to sign is Greenwich (Conn.) Brunswick School three-star Miles Walker, capping off Ohio State's class in the trenches. Learn more about Walker.

Steady as they come and trained to go, all the kid from Greenwich, CT knows is work. He can't wait to clear paths and keep QB1 upright. He's ready to leave an unforgettable legacy in the scarlet and grey. Welcome to The Brotherhood Miles Walker#CHO23N | @mileswalker76 pic.twitter.com/fXXZbJkkpZ

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- Ohio State's lone tight end in the class has signed, with Fairburn (Ga.) Langston Hughes four-star Jelani Thurman now part of the Buckeyes' class. Learn more about Thurman.

He leaps tall buildings and moves immovable objects. The Buckeyes' next hero will trade in his spidey suit for the scarlet and grey. The kid from Michigan is coming to Columbus to use his powers with the good guys. Welcome to The Brotherhood Jelani Thurman#CHO23N | @jelani3345 pic.twitter.com/b4i81beS0u

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- Ohio State's first cornerback to sign is Cincinnati's Winton Woods four-star Jermaine Mathews. Learn more about Mathews.

A Winton Woods legend. He's got Championship pedigree, dominated his contemporaries,

and he is O-H-I-O as they come. The kid from Cincinnati is on his way north to bring the juice to the Buckeye faithful. Welcome to The Brotherhood Jermaine Mathews Jr #CHO23N | @Jr2Maine pic.twitter.com/PdNtmV7t9l

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- Ohio State's signal caller is now a member of the class, as Pierre (S.D.) T.F. Riggs four-star quarterback Lincoln Kienholz has signed. Learn more about Kienholz.

He rewrote the state of South Dakota's football history books by hand, they may need to make room for him on Mt. Rushmore. The kid from Pierre, SD is making his way to Columbus. Welcome to The Brotherhood Lincoln Kienholz #CHO23N | @LincolnKienholz pic.twitter.com/yzEAIH8aHt

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- Hyattsville (Md.) DeMatha Catholic four-star defensive lineman Jason Moore is the next man in the trenches to sign with Ohio State. Learn more about Moore.

A young man of few words. He prefers to let the pads talk for him. The kid from Fort Washington, MD is going to be a menace for Big Ten offensive gameplans for years to come. The next great Buckeye from DeMatha Catholic. Welcome to The Brotherhood Jason #CHO23N | @jayymoneyy32_ pic.twitter.com/tyn3dunmAn

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- Ohio State's lone linebacker in the class has officially joined the team, as Cleveland Glenville four-star Arvell Reese has signed with the Buckeyes. Learn more about Reese.

The wait is over, the next great Tarblooder turned Buckeye is here. The kid from Cleveland is heading to Columbus ready to represent his family and the 216. Welcome to The

Brotherhood Arvell Reese#CHO23N | @arvxll pic.twitter.com/k5uxtCwqcv

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- The next cornerback to sign with Ohio State is Waxahachie, Texas, four-star Calvin Simpson-Hunt. Learn more about Simpson-Hunt.

QBs & WRs in the Lone Star state fear him and offensive coordinators hated game planning against him. The kid from Waxahachie, TX is bringing his elite cover skills to Columbus. Welcome to The Brotherhood Calvin Simpson-Hunt#CHO23N | @CSimpsonHunt pic.twitter.com/9KHZ5LjksD

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- Another defensive back has signed with Ohio State, as Titusville, Fla., four-star safety Cedrick Hawkins has put ink on his National Letter of Intent. Learn more about Hawkins.

Did it the right way and came out on top. A Florida state champion, all the grit and savvy you could ask for. The kid from Titusville, FL is on the way to Columbus and he's ready to make a difference for BIA. Welcome to The Brotherhood Cedrick Hawkins#CHO23N | @cedrick_hawkins pic.twitter.com/C0qH26U7Zm

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- The final wide receiver of Ohio State's class has signed, as Bradenton (Fla.) IMG Academy four-star wideout Carnell Tate is now a Buckeye. Learn more about Tate.

As smooth as the jazz music that his hometown is known for. The kid from Chicago is on the way back to the Midwest ready to rewrite Big Ten and Buckeye record books. Welcome to The Brotherhood Carnell Tate#CHO23N | @carnelltate_ pic.twitter.com/9a37MuU0XM

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