## Early Signing Period: Three-Star Safety Cody Haddad Signs With Ohio State



Get to know Cleveland, St. Ignatius three-star safety Cody Haddad, who signed with Ohio State on Wednesday.

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Height, Weight: 6-1, 175

**247 Composite Rankings:** He is rated as the No. 499 overall recruit, No. 27-ranked athlete and No. 18-ranked player in Ohio.

Commitment Date: Haddad committed to Ohio State on April 13.

**Other Offers:** Boston College, Cincinnati, Duke, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan State, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Texas A&M, Wisconsin.

**How he did in high school:** Haddad played with great instincts and with physicality during his time with St. Ignatius, showing showed off plenty of positional versatility but was signing as a safety with Ohio State.

Where he fits into 2025: Haddad is unlikely to see substantial playing time in his freshman season with the Buckeyes. For one, sophomore safety Caleb Downs will certainly take up at least one of the

starting safety positions, and a younger player like freshman safety Jaylen McClain has shown great potential in his first year with the Buckeyes. Haddad is likely going to have to be a difference-maker on the special teams unit if he wants to get on the field for plenty of snaps during his freshman season.