

# Ohio State Replaces Southern Mississippi On 2024 Schedule, Will Face Akron On Aug. 31



Ohio State announced a shift on Tuesday to the school's non-conference schedule for the 2024 season, with a previously scheduled matchup with Southern Mississippi on Aug. 31 now replaced with a game against in-state Akron on that same date.

According to a release from Ohio State, the schools mutually agreed to cancel the game to modify their respective schedules. The rest of Ohio State's non-conference schedule includes home games against Western Michigan on Sept. 7 and Marshall on Sept. 21.

This will be the 10th time that Ohio State and Akron have faced off, with the Buckeyes holding an 8-1 lead in the series. The schools first played on Dec. 5, 1891 in a 4-0 win for Ohio State, and Akron's lone win came on Sept. 5, 1894, in a 12-6 win in Columbus. The teams most recently played on Sept. 25, 2021, in a 59-7 win for Ohio State in Columbus.

Date	Opponent	Location	Time/Results	TV
Aug. 31	Akron	Columbus	3:30	CBS
Sept. 7	Western Michigan	Columbus	7:30	BTN
Sept. 14	Off	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sept. 21	Marshall	Columbus	TBA	TBA
Sept. 28	at Michigan State	East Lansing, Mich.	TBA	TBA
Oct. 5	Iowa	Columbus	TBA	TBA
Oct. 12	at Oregon	Eugene, Ore.	TBA	TBA
Oct. 19	Off	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oct. 26	Nebraska	Columbus	TBA	TBA
Nov. 2	at Penn State	State College, Pa.	TBA	TBA
Nov. 9	Purdue	Columbus	TBA	TBA
Nov. 16	at Northwestern	Chicago, Ill.	TBA	TBA
Nov. 23	Indiana	Columbus	TBA	TBA
Nov. 30	Michigan	Columbus	Noon	FOX

