



NAKOBE DEAN

LINEBACKER | 17



Height: 5-11 **Weight:** 231 **DOB:** Dec. 13, 2000 (Age 22)
NFL Experience: 2nd Year (2nd with Eagles) **Draft:** D3-22 (83rd overall) by PHI
College: Georgia **Hometown (HS):** Horn Lake, MS (Horn Lake)

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP/S	TACKLES				PASS RUSH			INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES		DEF SNAPS	
			Total	Solo	Asst	TFL	Sacks	QBH	QBP	Int	Yds	Lg	TD	PD	FF	FR	No	Pct
2022	Philadelphia	17/0	6	5	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	34	3%
Totals		17/0	6	5	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	---	---

PLAYOFFS

2022	Philadelphia	3/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	9	6%
Totals		3/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	---	---

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS

Special Teams Tackles: 7 - 2022 (7) **Postseason Special Teams Tackles:** 2 - 2022 (2)

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	5	12/4/22 vs. Ten.
Sacks	--	---
INTs	--	---
PDs	--	---
FFs	--	---
FRs	--	---

What he wanted to grow up to be when he was younger: "I wanted to be an engineer, an architect, or a doctor. I always wanted to help people and I was good at math and science." ... **Surprisingly good at:** "If you ask me, I think I can sing. I can perform and dance a little bit." ... **Desired talent:** "I wish I was good at making songs, producing." ... **Favorite athletes growing up:** Troy Polamalu and James Harrison ... **Favorite music artists:** Rod Wave and Kevin Gates ... **Favorite pre-game music:** "I mix it up, but I always listen to some Lil Boosie. He gets me going." ... **Favorite food:** Salmon and chicken



BIRDSEED

- ▶ Studied mechanical engineering at Georgia and is interested in prosthetics ... His passion for the field stems from many visits to Veterans Affairs with his mother, Neketta Dean, who served in the military ... He decided at a young age that he wanted to aid veterans who lost their limbs by building prosthetics to improve their lives
- ▶ Maintained a 3.55 GPA in the mechanical engineering program during his time at Georgia ... Has a desire to complete his degree and would consider pursuing pre-med studies after his NFL career
- ▶ Raised by his mother, Neketta, in a single-parent household with his older brother, Nikolas, and younger sister, Brooklyn ... Neketta worked as the director of community affairs in Tunica County, MS, and prioritized community service in her family, bringing her children to various neighborhood events where they often volunteered
- ▶ With the help of his mother, used his NIL opportunities in college to make an impact in the community ... As a result, he was able to help local children get game tickets, provide canned foods to families in need, and sponsor a bed in an Athens homeless shelter
- ▶ Selected to the 2021 AFCA Good Works Team, which recognizes 22 college football players' community service and outstanding football play ... Also helped launch the "Dawgs for Pups" program at Georgia, raising money for students in Clarke County and the surrounding area to help donate WiFi hotspots for virtual schooling

2022 SEASON - EAGLES

- ▶ Saw action in all 17 games and finished with 6 total tackles (5 solo) ... Ranked T-2nd on the team with 7 special teams tackles

COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Played collegiately at Georgia (2019-21), where he totaled 168 tackles (89 solo), 13.5 TFLs, 10 PDs, 7.5 sacks, 3 FFs and 2 INTs in 39 career games (25 starts) ... A team captain who helped guide the Bulldogs to the CFP National Championship during the 2021 campaign



2022 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (PHI)												
Date	Opp		GP/S	Tot	Solo	Sk	Int	PD	FF	FR	Snaps	Pct
Sep 11	at Det	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	3	4%
Sep 19	Min	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Sep 25	at Was	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 2	Jax	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 9	at Ari	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 16	Dal	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 30	Pit	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 3	at Hou	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	2%
Nov 14	Was	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 20	at Ind	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 27	GB	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 4	Ten	W	1/0	5	4	0.0	0	0	0	0	15	27%
Dec 11	at NYG	W	1/0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	0	12	19%
Dec 18	at Chi	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 24	at Dal	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	1%
Jan 1	NO	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	3%
Jan 8	NYG	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Totals			17/0	6	5	0.0	0	0	0	0	34	3%
PLAYOFFS												
Jan 21	NYG	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	5	10%
Jan 29	SF	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	4	9%
Feb 12	vs. KC	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Totals			3/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	9	6%



- ▶ Voted the recipient of the 2021 Butkus Award (nation's best LB) along with first-team All-SEC honors ... Selected as the SEC Defensive Player of the Year by *Pro Football Focus* and was a semifinalist for the 2021 Chuck Bednarik Award, which recognizes the best defensive player in college football ... Finished his junior campaign with 72 tackles (career high), 10.5 TFLs (team high), 8 PDs, 6.0 sacks, 2 INTs and 2 FFs
- ▶ Named a semifinalist for the Butkus Award as a sophomore in 2020, leading Georgia in tackles (71) and producing 1.5 sacks

PERSONAL

- ▶ A five-star prospect at Horn Lake (MS) High School who won the 2018 High School Butkus Award as the top LB in the country ... Posted 438 tackles, 61.5 TFLs, 18.0 sacks, 6 INTs and 12 total TDs in his career ... Also selected to the 2019 Under Armour All-America Game
- ▶ Chosen as the 2018-19 Gatorade High School Football Player of the Year in Mississippi and was honored as 2018 Mississippi Mr. Football for Class 6A ... Finished with 175 tackles, 26 TFLs, 7.0 sacks, 3 INTs and 2 FFs along with 9 TDs at RB as a senior ... Additionally competed in baseball, basketball, and track at different points in high school

TRANSACTIONS

- ▶ **2022** - Drafted by PHI in 3rd round (83rd overall)