

C.J. GARDNER-JOHNSON

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Height: 5-11 **Weight:** 208 **DOB:** Dec. 20, 1997 (Age 26)
NFL Experience: 6th Year *(2nd with Eagles)* **Draft:** D4-19 (105th overall) by NO **Acquired:** FA-Det-24
College: Florida **Hometown (HS):** Cocoa, FL (Cocoa)

ALL-ROOKIE: 2019

CAREER STATISTICS

			TACKLES				PASS RUSH			INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES		DEF SNAPS	
Year	Team	GP/S	Total	Solo	Asst	TFL	Sacks	QBH	QBP	Int	Yds	Lg	TD	PD	FF	FR	No	Pct
2019	New Orleans	16/7	46	35	11	6	0.0	4	5	1	28	28	0	8	1	1	546	52%
2020	New Orleans	15/13	65	51	14	5	1.0	4	7	1	3	3	0	13	0	0	861	82%
2021	New Orleans	12/11	46	32	14	4	2.0	4	6	3	45	26	0	7	0	0	626	56%
2022	Philadelphia	12/12	67	61	6	5	1.0	2	5	6	54	25	0	8	0	0	729	66%
2023	Detroit	3/2	17	16	1	0	0.0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	187	17%
2024	Philadelphia	11/11	48	28	20	1	0.0	0	0	2	0	--	0	7	1	0	649	96%
Totals		**69/56**	**289**	**223**	**66**	**21**	**4.0**	**14**	**24**	**14**	**130**	**28**	**0**	**46**	**2**	**1**	**---**	**---**
PLAYOFFS																		
2019	New Orleans	1/1	3	2	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	1	0	0	50	64%
2020	New Orleans	2/2	10	7	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	1	0	0	99	85%
2022	Philadelphia	3/3	12	7	5	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	--	0	1	0	0	144	94%
2023	Detroit	3/0	12	5	7	0	0.0	0	3	1	0	--	0	1	0	0	105	56%
Totals		**9/6**	**37**	**21**	**16**	**0**	**0.0**	**0**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**--**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**---**	**---**

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS

Special Teams Tackles: 4 - 2019 (3), 2020 (1)

CAREER HIGHS		
Tackles	11	11/20/22 at Ind.
Sacks	1.0	4x, last: 10/30/22 vs. Pit.
INTs	2	10/16/22 vs. Dal.
PDs	3	12/20/20 vs. KC
FFs	1	2x, last: 11/24/24 at LAR
FRs	1	12/22/19 at Ten.



BIRDSEED

- Previously represented Boys Town and Raintree Family Services as a part of the NFL's *My Cause My Cleats* initiative ... Each group provides services to at-risk youth, including opportunities for growth ... Also supported Adopt.org through *MCMC*, an organization that supports the adoption community in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- A member of the Eagles' Super Bowl LVII defense in 2022
- Despite missing five games due to injury in 2022, finished tied for the league lead with a career-high 6 INTs ... Became the first Eagle to produce 6+ INTs in a season since **Brandon Boykin** in 2013
- Named to the PFWA **All-Rookie** Team in 2019

2024 SEASON - EAGLES

- Picked off Cowboys QB **Trey Lance** with 10:01 remaining in the fourth quarter of the 34-6 win over Dallas (11/10/24)
- Intercepted Bengals QB **Joe Burrow** in the fourth quarter of Philadelphia's 37-17 victory over Cincinnati (10/27/24)

2023 SEASON - LIONS

- Saw action in 187 defensive snaps over three games (two starts) and registered 17 tackles (16 solo) with 3 PDs and 1 INT ... Returned from injury in Week 18 and played in all three playoff contests, totaling 12 tackles (5 solo), 3 pressures, 1 PD and 1 INT in 105 snaps

2024 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (PHI)												
Date	**Opp**		**GP/S**	**Tot**	**Solo**	**Sk**	**Int**	**PD**	**FF**	**FR**	**Snaps**	**Pct**
Sep 6	GB	W	1/1	5	2	0.0	0	0	0	0	66	99%
Sep 16	Atl	L	1/1	6	3	0.0	0	0	0	0	61	100%
Sep 22	at NO	W	1/1	8	5	0.0	0	1	0	0	56	100%
Sep 29	at TB	L	1/1	2	2	0.0	0	1	0	0	72	94%
Oct 13	Cle	W	1/1	6	4	0.0	0	2	0	0	57	100%
Oct 20	at NYG	W	1/1	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	49	84%
Oct 27	at Cin	W	1/1	1	0	0.0	1	1	0	0	55	95%
Nov 3	Jax	W	1/1	4	4	0.0	0	0	0	0	54	100%
Nov 10	at Dal	W	1/1	7	2	0.0	1	1	0	0	57	95%
Nov 14	Was	W	1/1	3	2	0.0	0	1	0	0	66	100%
Nov 24	at LAR	W	1/1	5	4	0.0	0	0	1	0	56	88%
Dec 1	at Bal											
Dec 8	Car											
Dec 15	Pit											
Dec 22	at Was											
Dec 29	Dal											
TBD	NYG											
Totals			**11/11**	**48**	**28**	**0.0**	**2**	**7**	**1**	**0**	**649**	**96%**

Place he'd like to visit: The Moon ... Someone he'd like to meet one day: Joel Embiid ... Favorite athletes growing up: LeBron James and Randy Moss ... Favorite movies: The *Madagascar* series ... Favorite TV show: *SpongeBob SquarePants* ... Favorite pregame music: NBA Youngboy ... Favorite food: Hibachi seafood



COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- Played collegiately at Florida (2016-18) ... Totaled 161 tackles, 17 PDs, 9 INTs (3 TDs) and 4.0 sacks in 37 career games (26 starts)
- Was a two-time *Associated Press* All-Bowl Team selection (2016 and 2018) ... Selected the 2018 Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl Defensive MVP after recording 2 INTs and returning 1 for a score against Michigan ... Named the 2016 Outback Bowl MVP for his 2-INT performance against Iowa, which included 1 TD ... Became the second true freshman in Gators history to win a Bowl MVP Award, joining **Emmitt Smith** (1987)

TRANSACTIONS

- **2019** - Drafted by NO in 4th round (105th overall) ... **12/30/20** - Placed on Reserve/COVID-19 ... **1/8/21** - Activated from Reserve/COVID-19 ... **12/11/21** - Placed on Reserve/Injured ... **12/11/21** - Activated from Reserve/Injured ... **8/30/22** - Acquired by PHI from NO with 2025 7th-round draft choice in exchange for 2023 5th-round draft choice and later of Eagles' two 2024 6th-round draft choices ... **12/3/22** - Placed on Reserve/Injured ... **1/7/23** - Activated from Reserve/Injured ... **3/19/23** - Signed by DET to 1-year contract ... **9/19/23** - Placed on Reserve/Injured ... **1/6/24** - Activated from Reserve/Injured ... **3/13/24** - Agreed to terms with PHI on 3-year contract