



EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHERS FOOTBALL FACTS



GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School	Eastern Illinois University
City/Zip	Charleston, IL 61920
Founded	1895
Enrollment.....	10,417
Nickname.....	Panthers
School Colors	Blue, Grey and White
Stadium	O'Brien Field
Capacity.....	10,000
Surface	Matrix Turf
Affiliation	NCAA FCS (formerly I-AA)
Conference.....	Ohio Valley

NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES (Since 2000 by OVC Schools)

<u>School</u>	<u># Appearances</u>
EASTERN ILLINOIS	8
Eastern Kentucky	3
Jacksonville State.....	3
Murray State.....	1
UT Martin	1
Southeast Missouri.....	1
Tennessee Tech.....	1

ALL-TIME NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES (By School)

<u>School</u>	<u># Appearances (Last)</u>
Montana	21 (2011)
Eastern Kentucky	20 (2011)
Appalachian State	20 (2012)
Georgia Southern	19 (2012)
Northern Iowa	16 (2011)
Delaware	15 (2010)
Furman	15 (2006)
EASTERN ILLINOIS	14 (2012)
McNeese State	14 (2009)
Jackson State.....	12 (1997)
New Hampshire	11 (2012)
Youngstown State	11 (2006)

OVC CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Since EIU joined OVC in 1996)

<u>School</u>	<u># Championships</u>
EASTERN ILLINOIS	6
Eastern Kentucky	4
Jacksonville State.....	3
Murray State.....	2
Tennessee State	2
UT Martin	1
Tennessee Tech.....	1
Southeast Missouri.....	1
Western Kentucky	1

POST-SEASON APPEARANCES STATE OF ILLINOIS DIVISION I (Since 1981)

<u>School</u>	<u># Appearances</u>
Illinois	14
EASTERN ILLINOIS	14
Western Illinois	9
Northwestern.....	9
Southern Illinois.....	7
Northern Illinois.....	7
Illinois State	4

Driving Distance To EIU

<u>City</u>	<u>Distance</u>
Indianapolis.....	130 miles (2 hours)
St. Louis	140 miles (2 hours)
Chicago	190 miles (3 hours)
Louisville	240 miles (4 hours)
Cincinnati.....	240 miles (4 hours)
Nashville	300 miles (5 hours)