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CARSON VINSON

COLLEGE: ALABAMA A&M

AGE: 24 HOMETOWN: CARY, NC

EXP. (NFL/RAVENS): 2/2 GP/GS (PLAYOFFS): 7/0



— KEY TRANSACTIONS —

- Carson Vinson was selected by the Ravens in the fifth round (141st overall) of the 2025 NFL Draft

— CAREER HIGHLIGHTS —

- Saw action in seven games as a rookie in 2025, contributing on offense and special teams...Helped pave the way for an offense that ranked No. 1 in the NFL in yards per rush (5.3), No. 2 in rushing yards per game (156.6) and No. 3 in rushing TDs (23)

— PERSONAL —

- Graduated with a degree in urban planning (Dec. 2024)
- Vinson, who has an older brother (Chandler), grew up outside of Raleigh, NC
- His mother, Tonya, who was an English teacher, died in November 2017 at age 46...Vinson plays every day in honor of his mother
- Vinson played multiple sports throughout childhood and wanted to be a quarterback when he started in football...He then hoped to play WR, but his size led the coaches to put him on the offensive and defensive lines

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— COLLEGE —

- Became the first and only HBCU player invited to the 2025 Reese's Senior Bowl
- Five-year starter at Alabama A&M, Vinson was a pillar at LT in the Bulldogs' balanced run scheme
- Started all 48 games of his collegiate career at LT while contributing to an offense that led the SWAC in total yards (444.5 per game) and passing offense (260.5 yards per game)

- As a senior, allowed just 1 sack against SEC competition while maintaining an 89 percent offensive line grade and recording 61 knockdowns
- After his first season was pushed to the spring of 2021 because of the COVID-19 pandemic, earning the starting LT job and helping Alabama A&M to the SWAC championship
- His 2024 campaign earned him first-team All-SWAC honors, FCS All-American recognition, and a BOXTOROW All-American Honorable Mention while being named a finalist for the HBCU+ National Player of the Year...Was also named to the 2024 NCAA FCS Athletic Directors Association Academic All-Star Team
- Became the first player selected in the NFL Draft from Alabama A&M since 2011 (Frank Kearse) and the first Bulldog O-lineman taken since Joe Patton was selected in the third round by Washington in 1994

— HIGH SCHOOL —

- Attended Panther Creek (Cary, NC) HS, where he was a four-year varsity letterman
- Became the starting LG on varsity as a sophomore while also seeing snaps on the defensive line
- As a junior, he returned as the starting LG and helped lead the team to six wins (after going 0-11 in 2017) and a spot in the 2018 Class 4AA state playoffs
- Showed his versatility as a senior by splitting starts between LT, LG and center (also seeing some time on defense as a DT), earning All-Conference honors and helping Panther Creek to another postseason appearance
- Also lettered in basketball
- The two-star recruit was the 247th-ranked guard in the 2020 recruiting class and the No. 121 recruit in North Carolina
- Vinson played his entire senior season without a Division I offer, until FCS North Carolina Central offered him in December 2019...Over the next few weeks, Alabama A&M and VMI entered the mix, and Vinson officially committed to Alabama A&M on signing day

CARSON VINSON'S NFL REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS			
DATE	TEAM	GP	GS
2025	Ravens	7	0
NFL TOTALS		7	0