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JAYLINN HAWKINS

COLLEGE: CALIFORNIA

AGE: 28 HOMETOWN: BUENA PARK, CA

EXP. (NFL/RAVENS): 7/1

GP/GS (PLAYOFFS): 81/44 (4/4)



— KEY TRANSACTIONS —

- Signed a two-year contract with the Ravens on 3/12/26
- Signed a one-year contract extension with the Patriots (through 2025) on 3/13/25
- Signed to a one-year contract with the Patriots on 3/21/24
- Waived by Atlanta on 10/17/23 and claimed by the Chargers on 10/18/23
- Originally drafted by the Atlanta Falcons in the fourth round (134th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft

— CAREER HIGHLIGHTS —

- Started in all 15 games he appeared in for the AFC Champion New England Patriots in 2025, registering 70 tackles (44 solo), 3 TFL, 1.5 sacks, 4 INTs, 6 PD, 1 FF and 1 FR...Also started in each of the Patriots' four postseason contests, including Super Bowl LX, notching 15 tackles (8 solo)
- Appeared in all 17 games (seven starts) at S in 2024, finishing the season with 43 tackles (25 solo), including 3 TFL, 1 FR and 1 PD...Contributed on special teams, notching 5 ST tackles and 1 FR
- Saw action in 16 games (three starts) with the Falcons and Chargers in 2023, totaling 13 tackles (5 solo) and 1 PD
- Started in all 16 games he appeared in during the 2022 season, notching a career-best 82 tackles (43 solo), 2 INTs, 6 PD, 1 FF and 1 FR-TD, while also notching 2 ST tackles
- Appeared in 14 games (four starts) in 2021, registering 19 tackles (11 solo), 2 INTs and 3 PD
- Appeared in 12 games (two starts) in his first season with the Falcons in 2020, notching 7 tackles (3 solo), 0.5 sack and 5 ST tackles

— PERSONAL —

- Graduated with a bachelor's degree in American studies from California
- Married his wife, Jayda, in March 2025...The two met while both were student-athletes at California
- Son of Jermaine and Angie Hawkins
- Played alongside his uncle, WR Jeremiah Hawkins, over three seasons (2017-19) at California

2025: (NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS – 15/15, 4/4)

- Started in all 15 games for the AFC Champion New England Patriots, registering 70 tackles (44 solo), 3 TFL, 1.5 sacks, 4 INTs, 6 PD, 1 FF and 1 FR...Started in each of the Patriots' four postseason contests, including Super Bowl LX, totaling 15 tackles (8 solo)

- Registered back-to-back INTs in the final two regular season games at NYJ (12/28) and vs. Mia. (1/4/26)
- Notched 1 FF vs. Bal. (12/21)
- Posted a career-high 11 combined tackles vs. Buf. (12/14)
- Tallied 5 tackles (4 solo) and 1 INT vs. Cle. (10/26)
- Totaled 7 tackles (5 solo) at Mia. (9/14)
- Notched 5 tackles (5 solo), including 1 sack, 2 TFL, 1 INT and 1 PD in the season opener vs. LV (9/7)

2024: (NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS – 17/7)

- Appeared in all 17 games (seven starts) at safety, finishing the season with 43 tackles (25 solo), including 3 TFL, 1 FR and 1 PD...Contributed on special teams, notching 5 ST tackles and 1 FR
- Totaled 8 tackles (6 solo) and 1 TFL vs. Mia. (10/6)
- Notched 6 tackles (3 solo) at SF (9/29)
- Recorded 1 tackle and 1 FR at Cin. (9/8)

2023: (ATLANTA FALCONS/LOS ANGELES CHARGERS – 16/3)

- Was waived by the Atlanta Falcons midway through the season and claimed off waivers by the Los Angeles Chargers...Appeared in 16 games (three starts), totaling 13 tackles (5 solo) and 1 PD

2022: (ATLANTA FALCONS – 16/16)

- Started in all 16 games he appeared in, notching a career-best 82 tackles (43 solo), 2 INTs, 6 PD, 1 FF and 1 FR-TD...Also notched 2 ST tackles
- Totaled 6 tackles (4 solo) and 2 PD at NO (12/18)
- Tallied 10 tackles (7 solo), 1 PD and 1 ST tackle at Cin. (10/23)
- Registered 4 tackles (1 solo), 1 INT, 1 PD and the first defensive TD of his career on a FR vs. SF (10/16)
- Notched 10 tackles (6 solo) and 1 ST tackle at TB (10/9)

2021: (ATLANTA FALCONS – 14/4)

- Appeared in 14 games (four starts), registering 19 tackles (11 solo), 2 INTs and 3 PD
- Logged 4 tackles (2 solo) at Jax. (11/28)
- Totaled 1 INT and 1 PD at Mia. (10/24)
- Notched 1 tackle, 1 INT and 1 PD vs. NYJ (10/10)

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2020: (ATLANTA FALCONS – 12/2)

- Appeared in 12 games (two starts) in his first season with the Falcons, notching 7 tackles (3 solo), 0.5 sack and 5 ST tackles
- Posted 1 tackle and a half-sack vs. LV (11/29)
- Made the start and recorded 1 ST tackle at Car. (10/29)
- Registered the first tackles of his career (2) vs. Chi. (9/27)

— COLLEGE —

- Appeared in 50 games (39 starts) over four seasons (2016-19) for California and notched 158 tackles (102 solo), including 2 sacks, 9.5 TFL, 10 INTs, 17 PD and 3 FRs
- In 2019, started in all 13 games and tallied a career-high 56 tackles (40 solo), 4.5 TFL, 2 sacks, 3 INTs, 5 PD and 2 FRs before earning an All-Pac-12 honorable mention nod
- As a junior in 2018, appeared in all 13 games (12 starts) and totaled 32 tackles (23 solo), a career- and conference-high 6 INTs, 3.5 TFL and 9 PD...Also logged 38 yards on 4 KORs

- In 2017 as a sophomore, appeared in 12 games (11 starts) and registered 41 tackles (24 solo), 1.5 TFL, 2 PD and 1 INT...Also contributed on special teams, returning 3 kicks for 44 yards
- In his first full season with the Golden Bears in 2016, appeared in all 12 games (three starts) and recorded 29 tackles (15 solo)
- Redshirted the 2015 season after appearing in one game and logging 1 PD

— HIGH SCHOOL —

- Prepped at Buena Park (CA) HS where he was a standout WR/CB...Contributed on special teams as a returner...At CB, notched 223 tackles, 2 TFL, 11 INTs, 21 PD, 1 FF and 2 FRs...Garnered first-team All-Southern Section Southwest Division, first-team All-County, first-team All-Freeway League and team MVP honors with career highs in catches (80), receiving yards (1,476 – 18.5 ypc) and receiving TDs (16), while adding three rushes for 36 yards...Reached the semifinals of the Southwest Division of the Southern Section playoffs

JAYLINN HAWKINS' NFL REGULAR SEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

		TACKLES										INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES					ST					MISC	
DATE	TEAM	GP	GS	TK	S	A	TFL	YDS	SK	YDS	QBH	NO	YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR	TD	YDS	TK	S	A	FF	FR	S	A	
2020	Falcons	12	2	7	3	4	0	0	0.5	6.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	
2021	Falcons	14	4	19	11	8	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	2	11	11	0	3	0	0	0	0	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	
2022	Falcons	16	16	82	43	39	0	0	0.0	0.0	1	2	14	14	0	6	1	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
2023	Falcons	6	0	2	1	1	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Went from Atlanta to L.A. Chargers.																												
2023	Chargers	1	0	11	4	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2023	TOTAL	7	0	13	5	8	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
2024	Patriots	17	7	43	25	18	3	12	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	2	3	0	1	0	0	
2025	Patriots	15	15	70	44	26	3	9	1.5	9.0	5	4	1	1	0	6	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
NFL TOTALS		81	44	234	131	103	7	21	2.0	15.0	7	8	26	14	0	17	2	2	1	0	20	13	7	0	1	0	0	

JAYLINN HAWKINS' NFL POSTSEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

		TACKLES										INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES				ST					MISC	
DATE	TEAM	GP	GS	TK	S	A	TFL	YDS	SK	YDS	QBH	NO	YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR	TD	YDS	TK	S	A	FF	FR	S	A
2025	Patriots	4	4	15	8	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NFL TOTALS		4	4	15	8	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

JAYLINN HAWKINS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS: DEFENSIVE

Total Tackles

10 at Cincinnati Bengals, Oct 23, 2022
...1 more at 10.

Solo Tackles

7 at Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Oct 09, 2022

Sacks

0.5 vs. Las Vegas Raiders, Nov 29, 2020

Passes Defensed

2 at New Orleans Saints, Dec 18, 2022

Forced Fumbles

1 vs. Cleveland Browns, Oct 02, 2022

Tackles For Loss

Interceptions

1 vs. Detroit Lions, Dec 26, 2021

1 vs. Chicago Bears, Nov 20, 2022

...3 more at 1.

Interception Return Yards

Special Teams Tackles

11 vs. New York Jets, Oct 10, 2021

2 at Carolina Panthers, Oct 29, 2020