

KDS Players Make All-State Football Team

This year, during what was an amazing football season for KDS DAR High School, two players who excelled earned spots on the All-State Football Team. Seniors Brayden Lewis and Will Bailey were selected for First Team All-State, which is a special honor. Brayden is a wide receiver, and Will plays quarterback.

"To be on the All-State Team means everything," says Brayden Lewis. "We work so hard all season to make All-State, not just for ourselves, but for our team."

The All-State Team doesn't actually play games, but selections for the team are made based on a player's accomplishments during the football season. Players are chosen based on their statistics and how well they performed throughout the season. Only the best in the state are able to make All-State.

"They chose me out of the best in the 4A classification," said Will Bailey, noting that a big part of making the team is hard work, leadership, and of course, stats. "I was excited to be selected and hopefully the recognition will help me get a football scholarship."

"When I found out I was on the team, it meant everything to me. I felt like all the work I put in had finally paid off, and I was proud to be one of the first ones from our school to ever be on the team," Brayden said about finding out he made All-State.

With only thirty players from all around the state being selected for First Team All-State, it is truly one of the highest honors a high school player can achieve.

"I am so thankful for my team because without them, I wouldn't have been able to receive this recognition, and I want to thank all of them and my coaches for believing in me," Brayden said.

Congratulations to Brayden and Will for being chosen for the 2018-2019 All-State football team.



KDS Senior Will Bailey



KDS Senior Brayden Lewis