

THE 2004-05 BULLDOGS



ANDREW WINNIK

6-4 ♦ 229 ♦ Junior ♦ Defenseman
Mississauga, Ontario



2004-05: A big, strong "defensive" defenseman... Has displayed significant improvement in skating ability... Starting to come into his own and is expected to play a greater role in key game situations... A stay-at-home defender... Will definitely receive action in even-strength and penalty-kill situations... May also receive power-play time... Possesses a strong shot from the blue line and has good puckhandling skills for his size... Brings a physical presence to the defensive zone.

2003-04: Appeared in 22 games... Registered an assist apiece in league home contests against Western Michigan (10/11), Nebraska-Omaha (11/22) and Miami (1/17)... Played in season's initial six outings before missing 13 of the next 15 games... Saw action in 13 consecutive games during one stretch... Received a +6 plus/minus rating in a six-game span (10/11-11/22).

2002-03: Saw ice time in 24 of team's 42 contests... Registered first collegiate goal in 7-1 series-opening win at Niagara (1/3) and then added an assist in the next night's (1/4) 8-1 victory... Garnered an assist in home game against Wayne State (11/8)... Produced a +7 efficiency rating in a six-game stretch (12/30-1/11).

HIGH SCHOOL/JUNIOR: Starred for the Ontario Provincial Junior A Hockey League's Wexford Raiders in Scarborough, Ontario... Coached by Kevin Burkett... Compiled a career-high 44 points with 13 goals and 31 assists in 45 contests in the 2001-02 season as the Raiders won the OPJHL South Division Championship title... A 2001-02 OPJHL All-Star Game participant... Scored four goals and picked up six assists in a three-game period in '01-02, which included his first career hat trick (three goals in a game)... Racked up 23 points (1-22-23) in 39 outings for the 2000-01 campaign after recording eight points (2-6-8) in 36 games the previous season... Selected to a tryout with Team Ontario in the under 17 hockey development camp in 1997-98... Amassed 35 points with 14 goals and 21 assists in 41 encounters for the AAA Mississauga Rebels in 1998-99 and competed in the Midget All-Star Game... Honored as the MVP of the 1994-95 North Stars AA Team and guided squad to the Silver Stick Championship crown... Graduated in 2000 from Loyola Catholic Secondary School in Mississauga, Ontario and played varsity hockey for two seasons (1996-98).

PERSONAL: Born 12/14/82 in Toronto, Ontario... Son of Walter and Elaine Winnik... His father is employed as an accountant and mother is a housewife... Has a younger brother (Dan), who plays hockey for New Hampshire... Hobbies include golf, football and soccer... One of top athletic moments was getting a hole-in-one at Burlington Springs Golf Course in 2001... Shoots: Right... FSU Letters: Two... Majoring in business administration.

WINNIK'S CAREER STATISTICS

CAREER

YEAR	GP	G	A	Pts	+/-	PP	SH	GW	PN/PIM
2002-03	24	1	2	3	+7	0	0	0	6/12
2003-04	22	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	4/8
TOTALS	46	1	5	6	+7	0	0	0	10/20

CCHA

YEAR	GP	G	A	Pts	+/-	PP	SH	GW	PN/PIM
2002-03	15	0	0	0	+2	0	0	0	4/8
2003-04	16	0	3	3	+1	0	0	0	3/6
TOTALS	31	0	3	3	+3	0	0	0	7/14

CAREER BESTS

Goals (Game): 1 (1/3/03 at Niagara)
Assists (Game): 1 (5 times, last 1/17/04 vs. Miami (Ohio))
Points (Game): 1 (6 times, last 1/17/04 vs. Miami (Ohio))

BY THE NUMBERS AGAINST 2004-05 OPPONENTS

Alaska Fairbanks	2 GP, 0-0-0	Nebraska-Omaha	3 GP, 0-1-1
Bemidji State	0 GP	Northern Michigan	4 GP, 0-0-0
Bowling Green State	0 GP	Notre Dame	4 GP, 0-0-0
Clarkson	0 GP	Ohio State	2 GP, 0-0-0
Colgate	2 GP, 0-0-0	Western Michigan	6 GP, 0-1-1
Connecticut	1 GP, 0-0-0	Wisconsin	0 GP
Lake Superior State	4 GP, 0-0-0	Yale	0 GP
Miami (Ohio)	4 GP, 0-1-1		
Michigan	3 GP, 0-0-0	POSTSEASON	
Michigan State	1 GP, 0-0-0	CCHA Tournament	2 GP, 0-0-0
		NCAA Tournament	2 GP, 0-0-0

THE WINNIK FILE

ONE WORD THAT DESCRIBES THIS SEASON'S TEAM:

Motivated

WHY I CHOSE FERRIS STATE:

To be part of a competitive program

THE MOST DIFFICULT ASPECT OF HOCKEY:

Overcoming your fears

MY PREGAME RITUAL:

Taking a big nap

MY WORST FEAR IS:

Snakes

SOMETHING UNUSUAL ABOUT ME:

My second toe is bigger than my first

MY BEST NON-ATHLETIC TALENT:

Cooking a great steak on the BBQ

ONE WORD THAT DESCRIBES ME:

Outgoing

IF I HAD ONE WISH, I WOULD:

Wish for a billion dollars

THE BEST PART ABOUT OUR ARENA:

The student section

FAVORITE MOVIE:

Braveheart

MOST MEMORABLE COLLEGE HIGHLIGHT:

Playing in front of 20,000 fans at the Joe

MOST IMPORTANT THING I'VE LEARNED AT FSU:

Try your hardest at whatever you do

DESIRED OCCUPATION

(OTHER THAN HOCKEY PLAYER):

Small business owner

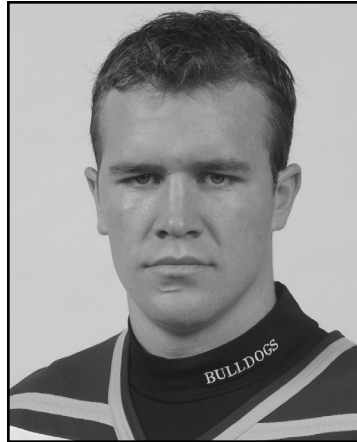


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MATT YORK

6-0 ♦ 183 ♦ Senior ♦ Defenseman
Woodhaven, Michigan



2004-05: Team captain . . . A talented "offensive" defenseman and is regarded by FSU coaching staff as one of the CCHA's best . . . Will receive playing time in all game situations . . . Physical player who's not afraid to throw his body around . . . Must reduce penalty minutes to maximize his importance to the team's success . . . Reliable defender and excellent penalty-kill performer . . . Skillful puckhandler . . . Ranks second on Ferris State's career penalty minutes leaders list.

2003-04: Suited up for 27 games . . . Tied for 10th in team scoring and finished second among Bulldog defensemen in most points . . . Turned in a multi-point game (0-2-2) against Lake Superior State (2/28) . . . Scored the game-winning marker on the power play versus Alaska Fairbanks (1/2) . . . Notched four points (1-3-4) in a three-game scoring span (2/27-3/5) . . . Assessed 92 minutes in penalties which tied for the eighth highest all-time on the program's all-time single-season charts for defensemen . . . Ranks fifth among Ferris' defensemen with 114 career penalties . . . Totaled a season-best four points (2-2-4) in six November contests.

2002-03: Placed ninth in team points and was third among the squad's top-scoring defensemen . . . Recorded a career-best +39 rating which was third highest on the team . . . Paced the Bulldogs in penalties (50) and penalty minutes (119) . . . Compiled three multi-point games to tie for 10th on the squad . . . Posted two-point games (0-2-2) at Lake Superior State (2/8), vs. Nebraska-Omaha (3/1) and (1-1-2) at Western Michigan (2/16) . . . Totaled nine points (3-6-9) in seven games.

2001-02: An All-CCHA Rookie Team honoree . . . FSU Rookie of the Year Award co-winner and recipient of team's Plus/Minus Award with a team-best +24 efficiency rating . . . Placed third in team scoring and was tops among Ferris defensemen . . . Tied for first in CCHA assists by a defenseman with 15 and tied for 34th overall in league points . . . Ranked fourth among the CCHA's top scoring freshmen and tied for fourth in defensemen scoring . . . His seven multi-point game outings were third best on the squad . . . Had three points (0-3-3) against Bemidji State (1/26) . . . Compiled 14 points (3-11-14) during a 10-game span, which included a five-game point streak (3-4-7) . . . Tallied the game-winner at Northern Michigan (2/2).

HIGH SCHOOL/JUNIOR: Received All-North American Hockey League First-Team accolades and was the league's Most Valuable Defenseman as a member of the Springfield (Ill.) Jr. Blues . . . Coached by Craig Haigs . . . Runner-up in team scoring with 52 points (15-37-52) in 2000-01 . . . NAHL's top-scoring defenseman . . . Graduated in 1998 from Dearborn (Mich.) Edsel Ford High School.

PERSONAL: Son of Mike and Sandy York . . . Born 5/9/80 in Dearborn, Mich. . . . His father and his brother are police officers . . . His mother is employed as a computer analyst . . . Four-year participant in wrestling . . . Nickname is "Yorkie" . . . Became a certified police officer this summer . . . FSU Letters: Three . . . Shoots: right . . . Majoring in criminal justice administration.

YORK'S CAREER STATISTICS

CAREER

YEAR	GP	G	A	Pts +/-	PP	SH	GW	PN/PIM
2001-02	34	4	22	26+24	1	0	1	26/84
2002-03	36	6	15	21+39	2	0	0	50/119
2003-04	27	4	8	12 +3	4	0	1	38/92
TOTALS	97	14	45	59+66	7	0	2	114/295

CCHA

YEAR	GP	G	A	Pts +/-	PP	SH	GW	PN/PIM
2001-02	26	4	15	19+15	1	0	1	19/62
2002-03	25	4	13	17+33	1	0	0	36/91
2003-04	20	4	6	10 -1	4	0	1	27/62
TOTALS	71	12	34	46+47	6	0	2	82/215

CAREER BESTS

Goals (Game): 1 (14 times, last 3/5/04 at Northern Michigan)
Assists (Game): 3 (1/26/02 vs. Bemidji State)
Points (Game): 3 (1/26/02 vs. Bemidji State)

BY THE NUMBERS AGAINST 2004-05 OPPONENTS

Alaska Fairbanks	10 GP, 1-2-3	Nebraska-Omaha	8 GP, 1-5-6
Bemidji State	2 GP, 0-4-4	Northern Michigan	7 GP, 2-1-3
Bowling Green State	6 GP, 1-5-6	Notre Dame	6 GP, 1-1-2
Clarkson	0 GP	Ohio State	6 GP, 2-2-4
Colgate	2 GP, 0-1-1	Western Michigan	9 GP, 2-4-6
Connecticut	1 GP, 0-0-0	Wisconsin	1 GP, 0-0-0
Lake Superior State	8 GP, 0-9-9	Yale	0 GP
Miami (Ohio)	5 GP, 0-2-2		
Michigan	7 GP, 2-3-5	POSTSEASON	
Michigan State	8 GP, 1-3-4	CCHA Tournament	8 GP, 1-2-3
		NCAA Tournament	2 GP, 0-0-0

THE YORK FILE

MY PREGAME RITUAL:

Walk around with Greg Rallo

WHY I CHOSE FERRIS STATE:

Criminal Justice program – Great recruiting visit

IF I HAD ONE WISH, I WOULD:

Fly in a fighter jet

THE MOTTO I LIVE BY:

Hard work overcomes just about anything

SOMETHING UNUSUAL ABOUT ME:

I'm a police officer in the summer

THE BEST THING ABOUT BIG RAPIDS:

The people who live there

ADVICE I WOULD GIVE TO YOUNGSTERS:

Work hard and it will pay off

FAVORITE TV SHOW:

Third Watch

FAVORITE SPORT (OTHER THAN HOCKEY):

Water Skiing

FAVORITE NHL PLAYER:

Steve Yzerman

THE BEST PART OF BEING A FSU PLAYER:

Being a part of a family

THE MOST DIFFICULT ASPECT OF HOCKEY:

Time

IF I COULD MEET ANYONE IN HISTORY:

My grandfather

MY GOAL FOR THE 2004-05 SEASON IS:

Be better than the 2002-03 team

WHAT MOTIVATES ME?:

Loud fans

