



# Russell Hicks

**Full Name:** Russell Hicks

**Position:** Center

**Height/Weight:** 7-0/245

**Birthdate:** April 15, 1985 (Windsor, Ontario)

**High School:** Westlane

**College:** Florida International

## Pepperdine/Florida International

Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2004-05	30	47	78	.603	26	36	.667	94	11	19	11	48	120	4.0
2005-06	16	32	70	.457	16	19	.842	45	7	14	15	14	80	5.0
2007-08	29	152	282	.539	59	96	.615	176	18	51	12	60	363	12.5
2008-09	18	60	128	.469	37	59	.627	100	5	29	2	30	158	8.8
Totals	93	291	558	.522	138	210	.657	415	41	113	40	152	721	7.8

Three-point field goals: 2008-09, 1-1 (1.00) Totals, 1-1 (1.00)

College Highlights: Played in a total of 93 games earning 53 career starts ... averaged 7.8 points, 4.5 rebounds and 1.63 blocks per game.

Senior (2008-09) Florida International: Played in 18 games earning 13 starts ... averaged 8.8 points, 5.6 rebounds and 1.67 blocks ... missed 14 games with a stress fracture ... named Sun Belt Conference Player of the Week 11/24/08 ... scored his first-ever 3-point basket vs. Florida Atlantic...Recorded three blocked shots in the opening-round win over Louisiana-Lafayette.

Junior (2007-08) Florida International: Played in 29 games, earning 26 starts ... averaged 12.5 points, 6.1 rebounds and 2.01 blocks per contest...a third-team All-Sun Belt Conference performer who blocked a school-record 60 shots ... recorded a pair of double-doubles on the season with 17 points and 11 rebounds at Kentucky (12/31) and 16 points and 10 rebounds vs. Troy (1/9). scored his career high of 21 points against nationally-recognized George Mason (12/21)... led FIU with 18 points and four blocks in the opening round of the Sun Belt Tournament at Florida Atlantic (3/5).

Sophomore (2005-06) Pepperdine: Played in 16 games earning seven starts ... suffered a broken bone in his left foot and missed the first 11 games of his sophomore campaign...shot .457 percent from the field and .842 percent from the foul line in that injury-shortened season while averaging five points, 2.8 rebounds and 0.9 blocks per game.

Freshman (2003-04) Pepperdine: Member of the 2004-05 West Coast Conference All-Freshman team ... appeared in 30 games as a freshman and averaged 4.0 points, 3.1 rebounds and 1.6 blocked shots...ranked second in the WCC in blocked shots behind Gonzaga's Ronny Turiaf.

Personal: son of Norman Hicks and Rose Mary Stewart ... selected as one of 22 players from around Canada to compete in the adidas All-Canadian High School Basketball game ... competed on the Hamilton Wildcats AAU travel team that captured the Juvenile Division I title in Windsor, Ontario.