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## **QB Jayden Daniels**

### **On differences in his game now compared to last training camp:**

"I would just say just another year in the system, just being on the same page with [Offensive Coordinator] Kliff [Kingsbury] and knowing how he calls plays. So, I would probably say that's the biggest thing from last training camp to now, last offseason to now."

### **On ways to make up reps with WR Terry McLaurin during his absence:**

"Yeah, I mean, just constant communication and watch film, whenever that time is. But other than that, I mean, me and Terry built a rapport and it all stems from the relationship built off the field and being on the same page and checking both of our egos for the betterment of the team."

### **On how the team handles outside pressure:**

"Take it day by day and focus on what you can control and that's how can I get better each and every day? How can I help lead this team and even advance myself more within the offense."

### **On if it's easier said than done to take it one day at a time:**

"I mean, I guess. If it was easy everybody would be able to do it, so it's obviously easier said than done."

### **On his focus during the offseason break:**

"I would just say always focus on footwork, and just my control within the pocket, maneuvering, keeping my eyes down field, putting myself in different situations where I might have to try to emulate breaking a tackle, breaking the sack, keeping my eyes down field and still getting my feet under me, making throws."

### **On WR Chris Moore:**

"Yeah, [our rapport is] growing daily, just with him and how hard he works, always asking for extra work. If I need to make a couple throws after, he's always there to catch. So, just the little stuff like that, the rapport is building daily though."

### **On his communication with McLaurin:**

"I mean, I talk to Terry like if he was here, just checking up on him, but at the end of the day that's just the relationship we have on and off the field."

### **On the concern level in the locker room about McLaurin:**

"It's just business in the NFL. We know Terry's working, we don't really have to worry about him doing any of that, but at the end of the day he's still one of our brothers."

### **On how helpful last season was with McLaurin based on the current situation:**

"I mean it helps out a lot. If this was last year, it'd probably be different because we didn't know

each other, but now since we have a whole year under our belt and just the relationship we built on and off the field, we don't really have egos when it comes to our relationship with each other, so it's going to be seamless. But I know Terry's working though."

**On how much T Josh Conerly Jr. and T Laremy Tunsil can help the offense:**

"Yeah, they help out a lot. You have a rookie and you have obviously a vet that's been proven in this league. And they're two very hard workers. So, just having them and seeing how they practice and how they take care of their body, that's going to be a great thing for Josh to learn from, a great person to learn from."

**On putting on weight for a long season:**

"Yeah, I don't know too much stamina wise, obviously that just comes with your conditioning, but obviously be able to soften the blow as much as possible. That helps out because obviously those guys might get a good shot on you and they weigh a lot more than I do. So, just be able to try to build more muscle to absorb those hits."

**On the adjustment process at the start of camp:**

"Nah, it's been smooth. Obviously, now it's more so in camp, you are obviously going to lose a couple, so drop down a little bit. Hopefully not, but it's been smooth transition."

**On his connection with WR Deebo Samuel off the field:**

"Just with everything, it just starts with building a relationship outside of football. I kind of try to connect with each and every guy in the locker room, so that's kind of where it all starts and once you start with that, then you'd be able to move on foot on the field and kind of get to know how the guy works, what type of person he is and stuff like that."

**On staying grounded throughout his development:**

"That's kind of just who I am. Gratitude and humility. I don't really look too much into everything, but I would just say just my inner circle, the people I talk to, the people closest to me, they help me stay grounded."

**On where he wants to improve:**

"I would probably say just cleaning up some footwork things. That was probably just the main one that's off the top of my dome right now. Where I could be more accurate on a couple throws. But other than that, just sitting down and having a plan and that's kind of what we did this off season now. Went out back in California, put in some work with that with my quarterback coach and now we're in training camp."

**On how he approached the offseason:**

"I think it's different. Obviously, college is different because you don't have much time, but even going from last year to this year, obviously last offseason was completely different for me because I was training, preparing for the NFL in the draft and then now it's like my first one. I mean, I don't have a definitive answer to that, but hopefully next year, whenever around this time we, you can ask me that question again and I'll have an answer."

**On maintaining the chemistry with McLaurin when he is not present:**

"I think it is an overstated thing. Obviously, me and Terry have a very good relationship and that's

just the business of the NFL, stuff like that. Whenever that time comes and he's back out on the field, I don't think we'll miss a beat."

**On having LB Bobby Wagner and Von Miller around to get advice from:**

"Obviously I still have to build a relationship with Von. It is not like how me and Bobby are but I mean, at the end of the day, just be able to pick their brain on, on stuff like that, like the quarterbacks Von played with and how he's seen them approach their daily job, be able to ask questions. He won the Super Bowl, two, so you want to be able to like, what do you see on this? Or how do you, what are you looking at when you try to time up a snap and stuff like that. So just be able to pick their brains because obviously their career is self-explanatory."

**On reflecting on his impact on the city:**

"I mean it's a blessing because I remember I was one of those kids wearing my favorite players jerseys and obviously wanted to meet them. So, it's just awesome that people look up to me and obviously I try to be a good role model for people moving forward just to do good in the world."