



# JAYLIN POWELL

*How long have you been playing basketball and why did you start?*

I started playing basketball when I was about four years old. I probably didn't know what was really going on, but I'm sure my parents signed me up because they used to play.

*What does team mean to you?*

Team to me, simply means putting yourself in the back and everyone else in front. When a team does that, that's when I feel you have the best chances at success.

*What is a goal you still want to achieve?*

I would still like to achieve is just striving to meet my full potential. I'm not big on trying to gain accolades that come from the conference, even though that would be amazing. I feel like if I can prove to myself that I've worked as hard as I can, and meet my max potential, then I'm happy with that.

*Why do you love basketball?*

I love basketball because it has created so many great opportunities for me. Ever since I started playing I've always been pretty good, I just love the competitiveness, and being able to show my own individual skill and the team atmosphere that it comes with. I've made some of my best friends playing basketball. I honestly don't know where I would be without it.

*What is your favorite memory from your Elon athletic career?*

My favorite memory of my Elon career is by far winning the CAA championship my freshman year. Everything we worked for came into fruition, even though it was probably the hardest year of my life, getting adjusted to college workouts and basketball; it had one of the best outcomes.

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# HOOP, THERE IT IS

## Women's Varsity Basketball



1) *Ariel Colon '21* shares a high-five with Assistant Women's Basketball Coach *Edgar Farmer Jr.* and her teammates. Colon was a sharpshooter for the Phoenix, leading the team in scoring (11.4 PPG) and three-point shooting (37.4%). (Photo courtesy of Elon Women's Basketball.) 2) *Saadia Munford '21* makes her way down the court in an effort to score against the Northeastern Huskies. As one of the leaders of the offense, she reached double-digit scoring in 11 games. (Photo by *Clare Grant* for ENN.) 3) Head Women's Basketball Coach *Charlotte Smith* hypes up the team before the taking the court. (Photo by *Thomas Denome* for ENN.) 4) The team celebrates during a game against the Appalachian State Mountaineers. (Photo by *Thomas Denome* for ENN.)

