10 #NHLSTATS ABOUT CONNOR McDAVID AHEAD OF HIS FIRST STANLEY CUP FINAL

- McDavid is one of three players in League history with a career points-per-game of 1.50 or higher in both the <u>regular season</u> (1.52) and <u>playoffs</u> (1.58; min. 10 GP), along with **Wayne** Gretzky and Mario Lemieux. On the playoff list, McDavid trails only Gretzky (1.84) and Lemieux (1.61) and sits just ahead of teammate Leon DraisaitI (1.57).
- McDavid has 126 assists in 2023-24 (<u>100 regular season</u>, <u>26 playoffs</u>), one of 10 instances in NHL history of a player posting <u>125+ assists in a season</u>, including playoffs – Wayne Gretzky accounts for the other nine.
- 3. McDavid's next point will put him into sole possession of 99th place in NHL history, including playoffs. In the regular season alone, McDavid has 982 points (645 GP) which is tops among all players dating to the start of 2013-14 despite that he did not make his League debut until two seasons later. He is on track to become the 99th player in NHL history with 1,000 career regular season points and could be the third-fastest to get there behind Wayne Gretzky (424 GP) and Mario Lemieux (513 GP).
- 4. McDavid has never gone more than three games without a point in his NHL career (spanning regular season and playoffs). The last time he was held of the score sheet in consecutive playoff games was in the 2021 First Round, a span of 48 contests since.
- 5. McDavid ranked as low as <u>131st in League scoring</u> in November 2023. He then tallied <u>122</u> points over his final 65 games to finish third in the Art Ross Trophy race the first time since his rookie season (2015-16) that he finished outside the top two.
- 6. McDavid has more <u>playoff games with 3+ points</u> (16) than he does with 0 points (15). More than half his career playoff contests have been multi-point showings (51%; 34 of 67 GP); he carries a similar rate in his regular season career (47%; 300 of 645 GP).
- 7. McDavid has an active run of eight consecutive seasons with 100+ points, including playoffs dating to 2016-17 one of four players in League history to achieve that feat after **Wayne Gretzky** (15), **Jari Kurri** (8) and **Mike Bossy** (8).
- 8. In 2022-23, McDavid recorded the point that would see him clinch his fifth career Art Ross Trophy on March 14 31 days before the conclusion of the regular season. He finished that regular season with 153 points thanks in large part to the fact he had more multi-point games (45) than contests with one point or fewer (37).
- 9. In 2023-24, McDavid (32-100—132 in 76 GP) became the <u>seventh player in NHL history with consecutive 130-point regular seasons</u>. Earlier this postseason, he eclipsed 160 points in 2023-24, including playoffs for the second time in his career, joining **Wayne Gretzky** (10x) and **Mario Lemieux** (5x) as the only players in NHL history to do so.
- 10. McDavid has factored on 44% of his team's regular-season goals since 2015-16. The only player in NHL history with a higher percentage during his tenure with a franchise is **Wayne Gretzky** (48% with Edmonton from 1979-80 to 1987-88).

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