

## **Former Hartnell College student-athlete back to jail**

Authorities claim he violated probation in case of killing his brother in 2009

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Langston Williams III leaves Monterey County Superior Court in April 2010 after his sentencing for fatally stabbing his brother. / Salinas Californian  
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### **Staff report**

Langston Williams will serve the final 19 days of a year's sentence in Monterey County Jail in the 2007 killing of his brother, Thaddaeus Williams, a judge ruled today.

Langston Williams is accused of violating his probation in the case, his lawyer Thomas Worthington said.

Williams had been released from jail in December 2010 after serving nearly a year of his sentence for the unintentional killing of his brother in 2009, both of whom were students at Hartnell College at the time.

Thaddaeus Williams was stabbed with a steak knife during an argument with Langston Williams, court records show.

Worthington said his client was in court to answer to claims of violating terms of his probation.

He allegedly left the state of Texas without permission and was in possession of brass knuckles, Worthington said.

He added that Williams had booked a flight to Atlanta to attend a march in memory of Martin Luther King Jr.

Williams also had a job prospect there.

Also, Worthington said the so-called brass knuckles are a popular style of belt buckle.

Worthington said he told Judge Mark Hood that Williams' behavior since being released before Christmas 2010 has been exemplary.

He said Williams has attended church, enrolled in college, held part-time jobs and associated with wholesome people.

Williams will return to court Feb. 28 to set a hearing on the alleged probation violations, said Worthington.