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CONFERENCE STANDINGS

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	BIG 12 GAMES				OVERALL									
	W-L	Pct.	PF	PA	W-L	Pct.	PF	PA	Home	Road	Neutral	Streak	vs. Top 10	vs. Top 25
Texas Tech	8-1	.889	344	100	11-1	.917	518	135	7-0	4-1	0-0	W 5	1-0	2-0
BYU	8-1	.889	278	197	11-1	.917	408	213	6-0	5-1	0-0	W 3	0-1	1-1
Utah	7-2	.778	356	199	10-2	.833	493	224	5-1	5-1	0-0	W 5	0-0	2-2
Arizona	6-3	.667	280	201	9-3	.750	391	227	6-1	3-2	0-0	W 5	0-0	1-2
Houston	6-3	.667	251	229	9-3	.750	340	262	3-3	6-0	0-0	W 1	0-0	1-1
Arizona State	6-3	.667	204	218	8-4	.667	296	276	5-2	3-2	0-0	L 1	1-0	2-0
Iowa State	5-4	.556	234	206	8-4	.667	329	242	4-2	3-2	1-0	W 1	0-0	1-1
TCU	5-4	.556	244	243	8-4	.667	369	302	5-1	3-3	0-0	W 2	0-0	1-1
Cincinnati	5-4	.556	260	258	7-5	.583	381	298	5-2	2-2	0-1	L 4	0-0	1-2
Kansas State	5-4	.556	277	238	6-6	.500	353	320	4-2	2-3	0-1	W 1	0-0	0-2
Baylor	3-6	.333	259	301	5-7	.417	373	391	3-4	2-3	0-0	L 3	0-0	1-2
Kansas	3-6	.333	229	265	5-7	.417	337	321	4-2	1-4	0-0	L 3	0-1	0-2
UCF	2-7	.222	173	257	5-7	.417	292	283	5-2	0-5	0-0	L 1	0-1	0-1
West Virginia	2-7	.222	175	326	4-8	.333	261	370	3-3	1-5	0-0	L 2	0-1	1-2
Colorado	1-8	.111	163	312	3-9	.250	251	366	3-4	0-5	0-0	L 5	0-0	1-1
Oklahoma State	0-9	.000	128	305	1-11	.083	170	400	1-6	0-5	0-0	L 11	0-1	0-3

2025 EDWARD JONES BIG 12 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

A DIFFERENT LEAGUE

Saturday, December 6
#11/11/11 BYU vs. #4/5/6 Texas Tech
AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas

Kickoff: 11:07 a.m. CT/10:07 a.m. MT

TV: ABC
Joe Tessitore (Play by Play)
Jesse Palmer (Analyst)
Kris Budden (Sideline)
Katie George (Sideline)

Radio: ESPN
Mike Couzens (Play by Play)
Max Starks (Analyst)
Mike Peasley (Sideline)

Bench Assignments:
Texas Tech - South (Home)
BYU - North (Away)

Pregame Radio: Big 12 Radio on TuneIn
Ari Temkin & Taylor McHargue

Halftime Performer: Award-winning country music star Jon Pardi
alongside both schools' marching bands

National Anthem Performer: Lanie Gardner

Sideline Host: Hannah Wing

Musical Host: DJ EJ, the official DJ of the NFL's Dallas Cowboys

Tickets: Exclusively available through SeatGeek

- The Big 12 Conference placed five programs in the College Football Playoff's Top 25 rankings this week. Three programs were ranked in the top 15 with Texas Tech (4th), BYU (11th) and Utah (15), who have all been featured in every CFP ranking this season. Arizona (18th) moved up seven spots, and Houston (21st) climbed to its highest ranking of the season.
- With 11-1 BYU and Texas Tech clinching berths, the Edward Jones Big 12 Football Championship will feature a pair of one-loss teams for the first time since 2019.
- Saturday's Edward Jones Big 12 Football Championship matchup between BYU and Texas Tech will feature a pair of programs making their first-ever Big 12 Conference Championship appearance.
- The Big 12 will crown its sixth different Conference champion in six seasons on Saturday, which is the longest such streak among Power Four conferences.
- The Conference has had 12 different teams defeat an AP Top 25 opponent this season, which is the most among all FBS conferences and the most in Conference history.
- The Big 12 has 10 bowl-eligible teams this season for the first time in Conference history after expanding to 14 teams in 2023 and 16 teams in 2024.
- Texas Tech has 11 wins by 20 points or more this season, which leads the FBS. The only other Big 12 team to tally as many such victories in a single season was Oklahoma in 2008.
- Among all FBS teams with just one loss this season, BYU is one of two teams whose only defeat came on the road against a current CFP Top-10 team.

Weekly National Rankings
(CFP/AP/Coaches)

	ARIZ	ASU	BU	BYU	UCF	UC	CU	UH	ISU	KU	K-State	OSU	TCU	TTU	UTAH	WVU
Preseason	--	11/11	RV/RV	RV/23	--	--	RV/RV	--	22/21	--/RV	17/20	--	RV/RV	23/24	RV/RV	--
9/2	--	12/10	RV/--	RV/25	--	--	--	--	16/18	--/RV	RV/RV	--	RV/RV	24/23	25/RV	--
9/7	--	RV/24	RV/RV	RV/25	--	--	--	--	14/14	--/RV	--	--	RV/RV	21/20	20/21	--
9/14	--	RV/RV	RV/RV	RV/RV	--	--	--	--	12/13	--/RV	--	--	RV/RV	17/16	16/18	--
9/21	--	RV/RV	--	25/24	RV/--	--	--	--/RV	14/13	--/RV	--	--	24/25	12/14	RV/RV	--
9/28	--	25/24	--	23/23	--	--	--	--/RV	14/12	--	--	--	RV/RV	11/14	RV/25	--
10/5	--	21/23	--	18/18	--	RV/RV	--	--	22/21	--	--	--	RV/RV	9/10	RV/RV	--
10/12	--	--/RV	--	15/14	--	24/24	--	--/RV	--/RV	--	--	--	--/RV	7/8	23/22	--
10/19	--	24/25	--	11/10	--	21/21	--	RV/RV	--/RV	--	--	--	RV/RV	14/15	RV/RV	--
10/26	--	--/RV	--	10/10	--	17/16	--	22/22	--	--	--	--	--/RV	13/13	24/24	--
11/2	--	RV/RV	--	7/8/8	--	25/25	--	RV/RV	--	--	--	--	--/RV	8/9/9	13/17/19	--
11/9	--/RV	RV/RV	--	12/12/12	--	25/22/22	--	RV/RV	--	--	--	--	--	6/8/8	13/15/15	--
11/16	RV/RV	25/RV/RV	--	11/11/11	--	--	--	23/25/24	--	--	--	--	--	5/6/7	12/13/14	--
11/23	25/RV/RV	20/RV/RV	--	11/11/11	--	--	--	--/RV	--	--	--	--	--	5/7/7	13/14/14	--
11/30	18/22/22	RV/RV	--	11/11/11	--	--	--	21/RV/RV	--	--	--	--	--/RV	4/5/6	15/15/15	--
Final	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

RECENT BIG 12 WEEKLY AWARDS

Week 14

Offensive Player of the Week:	RB Jeremy Payne (TCU)
Defensive Player of the Week:	QB Conner Weigman (Houston) LB Caleb Bacon (Iowa State) DB Dalton Johnson (Arizona)
Special Teams Player of the Week:	PR Parker Kingston (BYU)
Freshman of the Week:	QB Bear Bachmeier (BYU)
Offensive Line of the Week:	TCU
Defensive Line of the Week:	Texas Tech

Week 13

Offensive Player of the Week:	RB Joe Jackson (K-State) RB LJ Martin (BYU)
Defensive Player of the Week:	DB Will James (Houston) DB Dalton Johnson (Arizona)
Special Teams Player of the Week:	K Kyle Konrardy (Iowa State) K Noe Ruelas (UCF)
Freshman of the Week:	QB Bear Bachmeier (BYU)
Offensive Line of the Week:	K-State
Defensive Line of the Week:	BYU

Week 12

Offensive Player of the Week:	QB Bear Bachmeier (BYU) QB Jeff Sims (Arizona State)
Defensive Player of the Week:	LB Jordan Crook (Arizona State) LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Special Teams Player of the Week:	K Will Ferrin (BYU) K Jesus Gomez (Arizona State)
Freshman of the Week:	QB Byrd Ficklin (Utah)
Offensive Line of the Week:	Utah
Defensive Line of the Week:	BYU

Week 11

Offensive Player of the Week:	RB Quincy Craig (Arizona) RB Cameron Dickey (Texas Tech)
Defensive Player of the Week:	DB Phillip Dunnam (UCF) LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Special Teams Player of the Week:	RETURN Aiden Flora (Iowa State) K Stone Harrington (Texas Tech)
Freshman of the Week:	RB Diore Hubbard (West Virginia)
Offensive Line of the Week:	Iowa State
Defensive Line of the Week:	Texas Tech

Week 10

Offensive Player of the Week:	QB Noah Fifita (Arizona) QB Jeff Sims (Arizona State)
Defensive Player of the Week:	DB Fred Perry (West Virginia) LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Special Teams Player of the Week:	RETURN Mana Carvalho (Utah) K Stone Harrington (Texas Tech)
Freshman of the Week:	QB Scotty Fox Jr. (West Virginia)
Offensive Line of the Week:	Arizona State
Defensive Line of the Week:	Utah

CONFERENCE NEWS & NOTES

- Texas Tech is the only team to rank among the top five in the FBS this season in scoring offense, scoring defense and takeaways per game. The last FBS team to finish a season top five in all three categories was Florida during its 2008 national championship season.
- Since the beginning of the 2024 season, BYU has posted an overall record of 22-3. It marks the fourth-best record in FBS over the last two seasons.
- Red Raider linebacker Jacob Rodriguez is the first FBS player in 20 years to have five forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and four interceptions in the same season.
- BYU quarterback Bear Bachmeier is the only FBS player this season with at least 2,500 passing yards, 10 rushing touchdowns with four or fewer interceptions. The other Big 12 players to hit those marks through 12 team games of a season are Texas' Sam Ehlinger (2018), Baylor's Bryce Petty (2013) and Kansas State's Michael Bishop (1998).
- After allowing 34.8 points per game last season, the Red Raiders are giving up just 11.3 points per game in 2025. The 23.5 points per game difference is the biggest single-year improvement by any FBS team since 2000.
- BYU's LJ Martin is on pace to become just the third Cougar in the last 30 years to finish in the top 10 nationally in rushing yards. He enters Saturday's game in 12th with 1,229 yards this season.



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NATIONAL LEADERS IN THE BIG 12

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Name	School	Statistic	Big 12 Rank (National)
Sawyer Robertson	Baylor	304 completions	1st (3rd)
Behren Morton	Texas Tech	67.5% comp.	1st (22nd)
Sawyer Robertson	Baylor	3,681 pass. yards	1st (2nd)
Sawyer Robertson	Baylor	306.8 pass ypg	1st (2nd)
Sawyer Robertson	Baylor	31 passing TD's	1st (2nd)
Behren Morton	Texas Tech	165.3 QB rating	1st (9th)
LJ Martin	BYU	1,229 rush yards	1st (12th)
LJ Martin	BYU	102.4 rush ypg	1st (14th)
Cameron Dickey	Texas Tech	13 rush TD's	1st (T-22nd)
Josh Cameron	Baylor	69 receptions	1st (T-14th)
Eric McAlister	TCU	1,121 rec. yards	1st (5th)
Eric McAlister	TCU	93.4 rec. ypg	1st (6th)
Cyrus Allen	Cincinnati	12 rec. TD's	1st (T-3rd)
LJ Martin	BYU	121.1 scrim. ypg	1st (8th)
Sawyer Robertson	Baylor	3,698 total off. yards	1st (5th)
Brendan Sorsby	Cincinnati	36 total TD's	1st (T-3rd)
Kaleb Elarms-Orr	TCU	119 total tackles	1st (T-10th)
Kaleb Elarms-Orr	TCU	9.9 tackles per game	1st (T-10th)
John Henry Daley	Utah	17.5 tackles for loss	1st (T-3rd)
David Bailey	Texas Tech	12.5 sacks	1st (1st)
Preston Hodge	Colorado	13 PBU's	1st (T-2nd)
Brice Pollock	Texas Tech	5 interceptions	1st (T-3rd)
Will Ferrin	BYU	22 made field goals	1st (T-5th)
Noe Ruelas	UCF	88.2% FG Made	1st (T-18th)
Wes Pahl	Oklahoma State	46.5 punt avg.	1st (8th)
Mana Carvalho	Utah	14.1 punt ret. avg.	1st (8th)
Multiple Players	Big 12	1 punt return TD	1st (T-6th)
Bryce Norenberg	K-State	29.0 kick ret. avg	1st (3rd)
Multiple Players	Big 12	1 kick return TD	1st (T-5th)



2025 Edward Jones Big 12 Championship
Saturday, December 6 at 11 a.m. CT on ABC
AT&T Stadium - Arlington, Texas
Halftime Performance by Jon Pardi

NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Week 11

Bronko Nagurski Def. Player of the Week: LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Walter Camp FBS Def. Player of the Week: LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)

Week 10

AP National Off. Player of the Week: QB Jeff Sims (Arizona State)

Week Seven

AP National Off. Player of the Week: RB Cameron Dickey (Texas Tech)
Walter Camp FBS Off. Player of the Week: RB Cameron Dickey (Texas Tech)

Week Four

Bronko Nagurski Def. Player of the Week: LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Walter Camp FBS Def. Player of the Week: LB Jacob Rodriguez (Texas Tech)
Walter Camp FBS Off. Player of the Week: WR Eric McAlister (TCU)

Week Two

AP National Off. Player of the Week: QB Sawyer Robertson (Baylor)
Walter Camp FBS Off. Player of the Week: QB Sawyer Robertson (Baylor)

SCHEDULING NOTES

With 16 institutions in a nine-game conference schedule, below are each Big 12 school's missed conference opponents this season.

Arizona - UCF, K-State*, TCU, Texas Tech, Utah, WVU

Arizona State - BYU, UCF, Cincinnati, Kansas, K-State, OSU

Baylor - BYU, Colorado, Iowa State, Kansas, Texas Tech, WVU

BYU - Arizona State, Baylor, Houston, Kansas, K-State, OSU

UCF - Arizona, Arizona State, Colorado, Iowa State, TCU, Utah

Cincinnati - Arizona State, Colorado, Houston, K-State, Texas Tech, WVU

Colorado - Baylor, BYU, UCF, Cincinnati, Kansas, Texas Tech

Houston - BYU, Cincinnati, Iowa State, Kansas, K-State, Utah

Iowa State - Baylor, UCF, Houston, Texas Tech, Utah, WVU

Kansas - Arizona State, Baylor, BYU, Colorado, Houston, TCU

Kansas State - Arizona*, Arizona State, BYU, Cincinnati, Houston, WVU

Oklahoma State - Arizona State, BYU, Colorado, TCU, Utah, WVU

TCU - Arizona, UCF, Kansas, OSU, Texas Tech, Utah

Texas Tech - Arizona, Baylor, Cincinnati, Colorado, Iowa State, TCU

Utah - Arizona, UCF, Houston, Iowa State, OSU, TCU

West Virginia - Arizona, Baylor, Cincinnati, Iowa State, K-State, OSU

*Arizona and K-State are playing in a non-conference game to fulfill scheduling agreement before Arizona joined the Big 12 Conference.

PRESEASON ALL-BIG 12 TEAM

Offensive Player of the Year: Sam Leavitt, Arizona State, QB, R-So., West Linn, Ore.

Defensive Player of the Year: Jacob Rodriguez, LB, Texas Tech, Sr., Wichita Falls, Texas

Newcomer of the Year: Devon Dampier, QB, Utah, Jr., Phoenix, Ariz.

Offense

Pos	Name	School	Class	Hometown
QB	Sam Leavitt	Arizona State	RS-So.	West Linn, Ore.
RB	Bryson Washington	Baylor	RS-So.	Franklin, Texas
RB	Jahiem White	West Virginia	Jr.	York, Penn.
FB/HB	Will Swanson	Kansas State	Sr.	Papillion, Neb.
WR	Eric McAlister	TCU	Sr.	Azle, Texas
WR	Chase Roberts	BYU	RS-Sr.	Highland, Utah
WR	Jordyn Tyson	Arizona State	RS-Jr.	Allen, Texas
TE	Joe Royer	Cincinnati	RS-Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio
OL	Ben Coleman	Arizona State	Gr.	Temecula, Calif.
OL	Spencer Fano	Utah	Jr.	Spanish Fork, Utah
OL	Bryce Foster	Kansas	RS-Jr.	Katy, Texas
OL	Caleb Lomu	Utah	RS-So.	Gilbert, Ariz.
OL	Jordan Seaton	Colorado	So.	Washington, D.C.
PK	Will Ferrin	BYU	RS-Sr.	Kaysville, Utah
KR/PR	Josh Cameron	Baylor	RS-Sr.	Cedar Park, Texas

Defense

DL	David Bailey	Texas Tech	Sr.	Irvine, Calif.
DL	Dontay Corleone	Cincinnati	RS-Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio
DL	C.J. Fite	Arizona State	Jr.	Tatum, Texas
DL	Lee Hunter	Texas Tech	Sr.	Mobile, Ala.
DL	Domonique Orange	Iowa State	Sr.	Kansas City, Mo.
LB	Jacob Rodriguez	Texas Tech	Sr.	Wichita Falls, Texas
LB	Austin Romaine	Kansas State	Jr.	Hillsboro, Mo.
LB	Keaton Thomas	Baylor	RS-Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla.
DB	Xavion Alford	Arizona State	RS-Sr.	Pearland, Texas
DB	Bud Clark	TCU	Sr.	Alexandria, La.
DB	Jeremiah Cooper	Iowa State	Sr.	El Paso, Texas
DB	DJ McKinney	Colorado	Jr.	Colleyville, Texas
DB	Jontez Williams	Iowa State	RS-Jr.	Starke, Fla.
P	Palmer Williams	Baylor	Jr.	Advance, N.C.

(Players listed alphabetically by last name)

PREVIOUS RESULTS

Week 14

#14/14 Utah 31, Kansas 21
Arizona 23, Arizona State 7
Houston 31, Baylor 24
K-State 24, Colorado 10
Iowa State 20, Oklahoma State 13
#7/7 Texas Tech 49, West Virginia 0
#11/11 BYU 41, UCF 21
TCU 45, Cincinnati 23

Week 13

Iowa State 38, Kansas 14
Arizona 41, Baylor 17
#13/14 Utah 51, K-State 47
UCF 17, Oklahoma State 14
TCU 17, #25/24 Houston 14
Arizona State 42, Colorado 17
#11/11 BYU 26, Cincinnati 14

Week 12

K-State 14, Oklahoma State 6
Arizona 30, #22/22 Cincinnati 24
Arizona State 25, West Virginia 23
#8/8 Texas Tech 48, UCF 9
#15/15 Utah 55, Baylor 28
#12/12 BYU 44, TCU 13

Week 11

Houston 30, UCF 27
West Virginia 29, Colorado 22
#9/9 Texas Tech 29, #8/8 BYU 7
Arizona 24, Kansas 20
Iowa State 20, TCU 17

Week 10

West Virginia 45, #22/22 Houston 35
Baylor 30, UCF 3
Arizona State 24, Iowa State 19
#13/13 Texas Tech 43, K-State 20
Kansas 38, Oklahoma State 21
Arizona 52, Colorado 17
#24/24 Utah 45, #17/16 Cincinnati 14

Week Nine

K-State 42, Kansas 17
#11/10 BYU 41, Iowa State 27
#21/21 Cincinnati 41, Baylor 20
#14/15 Texas Tech 42, Oklahoma State 0
TCU 23, West Virginia 17
Houston 24, #22/25 Arizona State 16
Utah 53, Colorado 7



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Big 12 On National Award Season & Midseason Watch Lists

All-Americans

AP Midseason All-Americans

First Team

Baylor - Michael Trigg, TE, Texas Tech - David Bailey, LB, Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez, LB,

Second Team

Arizona State - Jordyn Tyson, WR, Cincinnati - Evan Tengesdahl, G, TCU - Jamael Johnson, S, Utah - Spencer Fano, OL, Utah - John Henry Daley, Edge.

Walter Camp Preseason All-America Teams

First Team

Utah - Spencer Fano, OL

Second Team

Arizona State - Sam Leavitt, QB, Arizona State - Jordyn Tyson, WR, Cincinnati - Dontay Corleone, DL, Colorado - Jordan Seaton, OL

Offense

Walter Camp Award Semifinalist Watch List (Most Outstanding Player)

Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez, LB

Davey O'Brien Award Midseason Watch List (Top QB)

Baylor - Sawyer Robertson, BYU - Bear Bachmeier, Cincinnati - Brendan Sorsby, TCU - Josh Hoover.

Manning Award Midseason Watch List (Top QB)

Arizona - Noah Fifita, Arizona State - Sam Leavitt, Baylor - Sawyer Robertson, BYU - Bear Bachmeier, Cincinnati - Brendan Sorsby, Iowa State - Rocco Becht, Kansas - Jalon Daniels, Kansas State - Avery Johnson, TCU - Josh Hoover, Texas Tech - Behren Morton

Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Midseason Watch List (Top QB)

Arizona State - Sam Leavitt, Baylor - Sawyer Robertson, Cincinnati - Brendan Sorsby, Iowa State - Rocco Becht, TCU - Josh Hoover, Texas Tech - Behren Morton

Doak Walker Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top RB)

Texas Tech - Cameron Dickey

Biletnikoff Award Midseason Watch List (Top WR/TE)

Arizona - Luke Wyong, WR, Arizona State - Jordyn Tyson, WR, Baylor - Josh Cameron, WR, Baylor - Michael Trigg, TE, BYU - Chase Roberts, WR, Houston - Tanner Koziol, TE, Houston - Amare Thomas, WR, Kansas - Emmanuel Henderson Jr., Kansas State - Jayce Brown, WR, TCU - Eric McAlister, WR, Texas Tech - Caleb Douglas, WR, Texas Tech - Reggie Virgil, WR, West Virginia - Cam Vaughn, WR

Mackey Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top TE)

Baylor - Michael Trigg, Houston - Tanner Koziol, Iowa State - Benjamin Brahmer, Utah - Dallen Bentley

Rimington Trophy Preseason Watch List (Top Center)

Arizona State - Ben Coleman, Baylor - Coleton Price, Cincinnati - Gavin Gerhardt, Houston - Demetrius Hunter, Iowa State - Dylan Barrett, Kansas - Bryce Foster, Kansas State - Sam Hecht, Texas Tech - Sheridan Wilson, Utah - Jaren Kump

Defense

Bronko Nagurski Trophy Preseason Watch List (Top Defensive Player)

Arizona State - C.J. Fite, DL, Baylor - Keaton Thomas, LB, BYU - Jack Kelly, LB, Cincinnati - Dontay Corleone, DL, Iowa State - Jeremiah Cooper, DB, Iowa State - Jontez Williams, DB, Kansas State - Austin Romaine, LB, TCU - Bud Clark, DB, Texas Tech - Lee Hunter, DL, Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez, LB

Bednarik Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top Defensive Player)

Texas Tech - David Bailey - DL, Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez, LB

Butkus Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top LB)

Cincinnati - Jake Golday, Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez

Paycom Jim Thorpe Award Midseason Watch List (Top DB)

Cincinnati - Antwan Peek Jr., TCU - Jamel Johnson

Special Teams and Other

Lombardi Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top Lineman or Linebacker)

Texas Tech - David Bailey, DL, Texas Tech - Jacob Rodriguez, LB, Utah - Spencer Fano, OL

Outland Trophy Preseason Watch List (Standout Interior Lineman)

Utah - Spencer Fano, OL

Lou Groza Award Semifinalist Watch List (Top Kicker)

UCF - Noe Ruelas, Houston - Ethan Sanchez, Kansas - Laith Marjan, Oklahoma State - Gabe Panikowski, Texas Tech - Stone Harrington

Ray Guy Award Midseason Watch List (Top Punter)

Baylor - Palmer Williams, Iowa State - Tyler Perkins

Paul Hornung Award Preseason Watch List (Most Versatile Player)

Texas Tech - J'Koby Williams RB

Allstate Wuerffel Trophy Preseason Watch List (All-Around Excellence)

Arizona - Genesis Smith, DB, Arizona State - Coben Bourguet, WR, Baylor - Sawyer Robertson, QB, BYU - Tanner Wall, DB, UCF - Paul Rubelt, OL, Cincinnati - Gavin Gerhardt, OL, Colorado - Charlie Offerdahl, RB, Iowa State - Rocco Becht, QB, Kansas - Leyton Cure, TE, Kansas State - Damian Ilalio, DT, TCU - Paul Oyewale, DL, Texas Tech - Behren Morton, QB, Utah - Devon Dampier, QB, West Virginia - Nicco Marchiol, QB

Shaun Alexander Award (Freshman of the Year)

BYU - Bear Bachmeier, Oklahoma State - Wendell Gregory

George Munger Award Semifinalist

BYU - Kalani Sitake, Houston - Willie Fritz, Texas Tech - Joey McGuire



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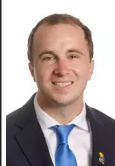
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College Football Playoff (CFP) Selection Process

The College Football Playoff (CFP) is the event that crowns the national champion in college football. The CFP Selection Committee ranks the top 25 teams at the end of the season, and the 12 playoff participants consist of the five highest-ranked conference champions, plus the next seven highest-ranked teams. The four highest ranked conference champions will be seeded one through four and receive a first-round bye. The schools seeded five through eight will host those seeded nine through 12 in first-round games. The quarterfinals and semifinals rotate annually among six bowl games – the Goodyear Cotton Bowl Classic, Vrbo Fiesta Bowl, Capital One Orange Bowl, Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl, Rose Bowl Game presented by Prudential and the Allstate Sugar Bowl. This year's quarterfinals will take place on December 31, 2025, and January 1, 2026, while the semifinals will be January 8-9, 2026. The College Football Playoff National Championship will be Monday, January 19, 2026, at Hard Rock Stadium in Miami. For additional information on the College Football Playoff, visit CollegeFootballPlayoff.com.

Big 12 Bowl Partners

Once the CFP has filled its bowl slots, Big 12 bowl partners will make selections from the remaining Conference teams.

College Football Playoff: Top 5 Conference Champions + 7 At-Large Selections

Date	Time (CT)	Bowl	Location
Dec. 31, 2025	6:30 PM	Goodyear Cotton Bowl Classic (CFP Quarterfinal)	Arlington, Texas
Jan. 1, 2026	11:00 AM	Capital One Orange Bowl (CFP Quarterfinal)	Miami, Fla.
Jan. 1, 2026	3:00 PM	Rose Bowl Game presented by Prudential (CFP Quarterfinal)	Pasadena, Calif.
Jan. 1, 2026	7:00 PM	Allstate Sugar Bowl (CFP Quarterfinal)	New Orleans, La.
Jan. 8, 2026	6:30 PM	VRBO Fiesta Bowl (CFP Semifinal)	Glendale, Ariz.
Jan. 9, 2026	6:30 PM	Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl (CFP Semifinal)	Atlanta, Ga.
Jan. 19, 2026	6:30 PM	College Football Playoff National Championship	Miami, Fla.

Big 12 Bowl Pool: Baylor, BYU, Cincinnati, UCF, Houston, Iowa State, Kansas, Kansas State, Oklahoma State, TCU, Texas Tech and West Virginia

Date	Time (CT)	Bowl	Location
Dec. 30, 2025	8:00 p.m.	Valero Alamo Bowl	San Antonio, Texas
Dec. 27, 2025	2:30 p.m.	Pop-Tarts Bowl	Orlando, Fla.
Dec. 27, 2025	8:15 p.m.	Kinder's Texas Bowl	Houston, Texas
Jan. 2, 2026	3:30 p.m.	AutoZone Liberty Bowl	Memphis, Tenn.
Dec. 26, 2025	3:30 p.m.	Rate Bowl	Phoenix, Ariz.
Dec. 30, 2025	TBD	Radiance Technologies Independence Bowl	Shreveport, La.
TBD	TBD	ESPN Events Pool of Games	TBD

Pac-12 Bowl Pool: Arizona, Arizona State, Colorado and Utah

Date	Time (CT)	Bowl	Location
Dec. 30, 2025	8:00 p.m.	Valero Alamo Bowl	San Antonio, Texas
Jan. 2, 2026	7:00 p.m.	Holiday Bowl	San Diego, Calif.
Dec. 31, 2025	2:30 p.m.	SRS Distribution Las Vegas Bowl	Las Vegas, Nev.
Dec. 31, 2025	1:00 p.m.	Tony The Tiger Sun Bowl	El Paso, Texas
Dec. 13, 2025	8:00 p.m.	Bucked Up LA Bowl Hosted by Gronk	Inglewood, Calif.
TBD	TBD	ESPN Events Pool of Games	TBD