



2021 All-Big 12 Football Awards Announced

IRVING, Texas - The All-Big I2 Conference football teams and individual award winners have been announced. Selections are made by the league's IO head coaches, who are not permitted to vote for their own players.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR Breece Hall, Iowa State, RB, Jr.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR Jalen Pitre, Baylor, DB, Sr.

OFFENSIVE NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR Jaylen Warren, Oklahoma State, RB, Sr.

DEFENSIVE NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR Siaki Ika, Baylor, DL, So.

OFFENSIVE FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR Xavier Worthy, Texas, WR DEFENSIVE FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR Collin Oliver, Oklahoma State, DE #

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE YEAR Trestan Ebner, Baylor, Sr.

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN OF THE YEAR Connor Galvin, Baylor, Sr.

CO-DEFENSIVE LINEMEN OF THE YEAR Will McDonald IV, Iowa State, Jr. Felix Anudike-Uzomah, Kansas State, So.

CHUCK NEINAS COACH OF THE YEAR Mike Gundy, Oklahoma State (I7th year)

Denotes unanimous choice.

All-Big 12 Honors Notebook:

- Breece Hall is the fourth player to earn two Big I2 Offensive Player of the Year honors and the third to do it in consecutive years. He is the second Iowa State student-athlete to win the honor, joining Troy Davis who was the Conference's first honore in 1996.
- Jalen Pitre is the third Baylor player to be recognized as Big I2 Defensive Player of the Year along with James Lynch (2019) and Andrew Billings (2015). He is the first DB since 2013 (Jason Verrett, TCU).
- > Jaylen Warren is Oklahoma State's third Offensive Newcomer of the Year along with Tyreek Hill (2014) and Adarius Bowman (2006).
- Siaki Ika captured Baylor's first Defensive Newcomer of the Year.
- > Xavier Worthy is the sixth Texas player to earn Offensive Freshman of the Year and the first since Colt McCoy in 2006.
- > Collin Oliver picked up OSU's third Defensive Freshman of the Year, joining Shaun Lewis (2010) and Andre Sexton (2006).
- Trestan Ebner is the third player to earn consecutive Special Teams Player of the Year honors since the award was added in 2005. He is Baylor's second winner along with Daniel Sepulveda (2006).
- Connor Galvin is the third Bear to collect Offensive Lineman of the Year. Spencer Drango (2014, 2015) and Cyril Richardson (2012, 2013) are previous Baylor winners.
- Co-Defensive Linemen were selected for the first time since the award was added in 2006. Felix Anudike-Uzomah is K-State's fourth honoree while Will McDonald IV picked up Iowa State's first award.
- > Mike Gundy has been named Chuck Neinas Big I2 Coach of the Year for the second time in his career.
- Oklahoma has won the most individual awards in the 26-year history of the Big I2 with 47. K-State is second (36), followed by Texas (32), Oklahoma State (24), Baylor (23), Iowa State (21), TCU (10), West Virginia (9) Kansas (8) and Texas Tech (8).

The All-Big 12 First, Second and Honorable Mention teams continue on the following pages.

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2021 All-Big 12 Football First Team

OFFENSE				
Pos.	Player	School	Class	Hometown/Previous School
QB	Spencer Sanders	Oklahoma State	Jr.	Denton, Texas/ Ryan
RB	Breece Hall ¹	Iowa State	Jr.	Wichita, Kan./Northwest
RB	Bijan Robinson	Texas	So.	Tucson, Ariz./ Salpointe
FB	Jeremiah Hall ¹	Oklahoma	Sr.	Charlotte, N.C./Zebulon B. Vance
FB	Jared Rus	Iowa State	Jr.	Eldridge, Iowa/North Scott
WR	Xavier Hutchinson ¹	Iowa State	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Bartram/Trail/Blinn JC
WR	Quentin Johnston	TCU	So.	Temple, Texas/Temple
WR	Xavier Worthy	Texas	Fr.	Fresno, Calif./Central East
TE	Charlie Kolar ^{I#}	Iowa State	Sr.	Norman, Okla./North
OL	Connor Galvin	Baylor	Sr.	Katy, Texas/Katy
OL	Trevor Downing	Iowa State	Jr.	Creston, Iowa/Creston
OL	Cooper Beebe	Kansas State	So.	Kansas City, Kan./Piper
OL	Josh Sills	Oklahoma State	Sr.	Sarahsville, Ohio/Meadowbrook
OL	Derek Kerstetter	Texas	Sr.	San Antonio, Texas/Reagan
PK	Jonathan Garibay	Texas Tech	Sr.	Rubidoux, Calif./Rubidoux
KR/PR	Trestan Ebner ²	Baylor	Sr.	Henderson, Texas/Henderson
KR/PR	Malik Knowles	Kansas State	Jr.	Mansfield, Texas/Lake Ridge
DEFENSE				
DL	Will McDonald IV	Iowa State	Jr.	Pewaukee, Wis./Waukesha North
DL	Eyioma Uwazurike	Iowa State	Sr.	Detroit, Mich./Southfield-Lathrup
DL	Felix Anudike-Uzomah	Kansas State	So.	Kansas City, Mo./Lee's Summit
DL	Brock Martin	Oklahoma State	Sr.	Oologah, Okla./Oologah
DL	Dante Stills	West Virginia	Sr.	Fairmont, W.Va./Fairmont Senior
LB	Terrel Bernard ²	Baylor	Sr.	La Porte, Texas/La Porte
LB	Mike Rose 1	Iowa State	Sr.	Brecksville, Ohio/Brecksville-Broadview
LB	Malcolm Rodriguez ²	Oklahoma State	Sr.	Wagoner, Okla./Wagoner
DB	Jalen Pitre	Baylor	Sr.	Stafford, Texas/Stafford
DB	Russ Yeast	Kansas State	Sr.	Danville, Ky./Center Grove/Louisville
DB	Jarrick Bernard-Converse	••••••	Sr.	Shreveport, La./Evangel Christian
DB	Kolby Harvell-Peel ²	Oklahoma State	Sr.	College Station, Texas/A&M Consolidated
DB	Tre'Vius Hodges-Tomlinson		Jr.	Waco, Texas/Midway
Р	Michael Turk	Oklahoma -	Sr.	Dallas, Texas/Ridge Point/Arizona State
Р	Cameron Dicker	Texas	Sr.	Austin, Texas/Lake Travis

Ties resulted in an extra position for FB, KR/PR and P.

- ' First Team selection in 2020.
- ² Second Team selection in 2020

[#] - Unanimous selection

Players listed at each position alphabetically by school.

2021 All-Big 12 Football Second Team

OFFENSE				
Pos.	Player	School	Class	Hometown/Previous School
QB	Brock Purdy ¹	Iowa State	Sr.	Gilbert, Ariz./Perry
RB	Abram Smith	Baylor	Sr.	Abilene, Texas/Abilene
RB	Deuce Vaughn ²	Kansas State	So.	Round Rock, Texas/Cedar Ridge
FB	Jax Dineen	Kansas State	Jr.	Lawrence, Kan./Free State
WR	Tyquan Thornton	Baylor	Sr.	Miami, Fla./Booker T. Washington
WR	Tay Martin	Oklahoma State	Sr.	Houma, La./Ellender Memorial
WR	Erik Ezukanma ^ı	Texas Tech	Jr.	Fort Worth, Texas/Timber Creek
TE	Chase Allen ²	Iowa State	Sr.	Nixa, Mo./Nixa
OL	Colin Newell	Iowa State	Sr.	Ames, Iowa/Ames
OL	Marquis Hayes	Oklahoma	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo./Pattonville
OL	Steve Avila	TCU	Jr.	Arlington, Texas/South Grand Prairie
OL	Dawson Deaton ²	Texas Tech	Sr.	Frisco, Texas/Frisco
OL	Zach Frazier	West Virginia	So.	Fairmont, W.Va./Fairmont Senior
PK	Gabe Brkic ¹	Oklahoma	Jr.	Chardon, Ohio/Notre Dame-Cathedral Latin
KR/PR	Brennan Presley	Oklahoma State	So.	Tulsa, Okla./Bixby
KR/PR	Derius Davis	TCU	Sr.	Saint Francisville, La./West Feliciana High School
DEFENSE				
DL	Siaki Ika	Baylor	So.	Salt Lake City, Utah/East/LSU
DL	Kyron Johnson	Kansas	Sr.	Arlington, Texas/Lamar
DL	Isaiah Thomas ²	Oklahoma	Sr.	Tulsa, Okla./Memorial
DL	Perrion Winfrey ²	Oklahoma	Sr.	Maywood, III./Lake Park/Iowa Western CC
DL	Collin Oliver	Oklahoma State	Fr.	Oklahoma City, Okla./Edmond Santa Fe
DL	Ochaun Mathis ²	TCU	Jr.	Manor, Texas/Manor
LB	Brian Asamoah	Oklahoma	Jr.	Columbus, Ohio/St. Francis De Sales
LB	Nik Bonitto	Oklahoma	Jr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas
LB	Colin Schooler	Texas Tech	Sr.	Dana Point, Calif./Mission Viejo
DB	Isheem Young	Iowa State	So.	Philadelphia, Pa./Imhotep Charter
DB	Kenny Logan Jr.	Kansas	Jr.	St. Augustine, Fla./Menendez
DB	Delarrin Turner-Yell	Oklahoma	Sr.	Hempstead, Texas/Hempstead
DB	Christian Holmes	Oklahoma State	Sr.	Leland, Miss./McNair
DB	DaMarcus Fields	Texas Tech	Sr.	Taylor, Texas/Taylor
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	Austin McNamara	Texas Tech	Jr.	Gilbert, Ariz./Highland

Ties resulted in an extra position for KR/PR and DL.

' - First Team selection in 2020.

² - Second Team selection in 2020.

2021 All-Big 12 Honorable Mention

- Baylor: Gerry Bohanon (QB), Dillon Doyle (LB), TJ Franklin (DL), Jacob Gall (OL, ONoY), Siaki Ika (DLoY), Cole Maxwell (DL), Christian Morgan (DB), Xavier Newman-Johnson (OL), Ben Sims (TE), Abram Smith (OPoY), R.J. Sneed (WR), JT Woods (DB)
- Iowa State: Trevor Downing (OLoY), Greg Eisworth II (DB), Beau Freyler (DFoY), Jake Hummel (LB), Anthony Johnson (DB), Will McDonald (DPoY), Andrew Mevis (PK, STPoY), Zach Petersen (DL), Darrell Simmons (OL)
- Kansas: Earl Bostick Jr. (OL), Kwamie Lassiter II (WR), Kenny Logan Jr. (DPoY), Devin Neal (RB, OFoY), Mike Novitsky (OL, OLoY, ONoY), Rich Miller (DNoY)
- K-State: Felix Anudike-Uzomah (DPoY), Cooper Beebe (OLoY), Julius Brents (DB), Cody Fletcher (LB), Daniel Green (LB), Eli Huggins (DL), Noah Johnson (OL), Malik Knowles (WR, STPoY), Nate Matlack (DFoY), Jahron McPherson (DB), Josh Rivas (OL), Reggie Stubblefield (DB), Deuce Vaughn (OPoY), Russ Yeast (DNoY), Ty Zentner (P)
- Oklahoma: Gabe Brkic (STPoY), Pat Fields (DB), Key Lawrence (DB, DNoY), Marvin Mims (WR), Chris Murray (OL), Tyrese Robinson (OL, OLoY), Drake Stoops (WR), Danny Stutsman (DFoY), Caleb Williams (QB, OFoY, OPoY), Michael Woods II (ONoY)
- Oklahoma State: Tanner Brown (PK), Logan Carter (FB), Braden Cassity (TE), Danny Godlevske (OL), Blaine Green (OFoY), Devin Harper (LB), Tom Hutton (P, STPoY), Tyler Lacy (DL), Brock Martin (DLoY), Malcolm Rodriguez (DPoY), Josh Sills (OLoY), Jason Taylor II (DB), Jaylen Warren (RB, OPoY), Hunter Woodard (OL)
- **TCU:** Taye Barber (WR), Derius Davis (STPoY), Obinna Eze (ONoY), TreVius Hodges-Tomlinson (DPoY), Dylan Horton (DL), Quentin Johnston (OPoY)
- Texas: Cade Brewer (TE), Luke Brockermeyer (LB), Keondre Coburn (DL), Anthony Cook (DB), Cameron Dicker (PK, STPoY), B.J. Foster (DB), Byron Murphy II (DFoY), Ovie Oghoufo (DNoY), Moro Ojomo (DL), DeMarvion Overshown (LB), Bijan Robinson (OPoY), Keilan Robinson (ONoY)
- Texas Tech: Josh Burger (OL), Dawson Deaton (OLOY), Jonathan Garibay (STPOY), Kaylon Geiger (ONOY), Jaylon Hutchings (DL), Riko Jeffers (LB), Travis Koontz (TE), Reggie Pearson Jr. (DB), T.J. Storment (OL), Dadrion Taylor-Demerson (DB), Rayshad Williams (DB, DNOY), Tyree Wilson (DL)
- West Virginia: Alonzo Addae (DB), Leddie Brown (RB), Josh Chandler-Semedo (LB), Zach Frazier (OLoY), Bryce Ford-Wheaton (WR), James Gmiter (OL), Casey Legg (PK, STPoY), Sean Mahone (DB), Akheem Mesidor (DL), Wyatt Milum (OL, OFoY), Dante Stills (DLoY), Tyler Sumpter (P), Winston Wright Jr. (KR/PR, WR)