

2023 FANTASY LAW GUIDE

Draft Board

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KEY:

Player's rank on this platform is lower than my ranking. Therefore, I am more likely to target and draft this player on this particular platform.

Player's rank on this platform is fairly in line with my ranking, so I'm neutral toward this player on this platform. I'll draft in the right circumstance.

Player's rank on this platform is higher than my ranking. Therefore, it's unlikely that I'm drafting this player on this platform unless he slides.

EXAMPLE: I am more likely to draft RB Nick Chubb (#7) in ESPN leagues because his ranking on ESPN is 18th overall, as opposed to Yahoo! leagues, where his ranking on that platform (7th overall) is more in line with my ranking of Chubb.

APPLICATION: If I have pick 10/12 in an ESPN league, it's possible that I can draft Stefon Diggs (#8) before Chubb (#7) and get both players, in order to maximize value on my Draft Board.

WORKING THE BOARD: Deviations from the FLG Draft Board may be prudent depending on positions drafted, stacking, scoring/format, etc.

ROSTER CONSTRUCTION: Rule of thumb = Draft 1 QB, 4 RBs, 4 WRs, and 1 TE by Rd. 11 (in no specific order; try not to triple one position early)

NOTES: Rankings assume default roster and scoring settings on ESPN & Yahoo! (PPR/half PPR). Board will be UPDATED REGULARLY until kickoff.

Rd. 1

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
1	Justin Jefferson, MIN	WR1	1	1	1
	Consensus #1 overall pick has no real weaknesses.				
2	Ja'Marr Chase, CIN	WR2	3	3	2
	Incredible Randy Moss-like talent tied to great QB. Continuing to improve as he enters his prime.				
3	Austin Ekeler, LAC	RB1	2	4	7
	Checks all boxes for #1 overall pick: elite past production (top 5 PPG last two szns), role, offense, skillset, etc.				
4	Christian McCaffrey, CAR	RB2	4	2	3
	Fantasy cheatcode every year he's healthy. RB1 in PPG in the last 3 seasons. Worse splits w/ Elijah Mitchell noteworthy.				
5	Tyreek Hill, MIA	WR3	8	6	4
	Weekly gamebreaker was WR2 in PPG in full games w/ Tua. Riskier bet w/ Tua's health.				
6	Nick Chubb, CLE	RB3	18	7	16
	NFL's best runner locked and loaded for career yr. w/o Hunt stealing catches. Stefanski running scheme & strong O-Line.				

7	Derrick Henry, TEN	RB4	10	15	20
	Top 5 in PPG in each of last 3 szns. Has added more receiving work lately. League-worst OL a bigger concern than age/milage.				
8	Saquon Barkley, NYG	RB5	9	12	11
	Faded in efficiency down the stretch but zero competition for touches in improving offense. Contract year.				
9	Stefon Diggs, BUF	WR4	13	9	8
	Late season numbers impacted by Josh Allen's midseason elbow injury. Safer selection.				
10	Travis Kelce, KC	TE1	5	10	6
	Consistently among the most valuable players in FF for 5 years. Age 34 & coming off Super Bowl win gives me hesitation in Rd. 1.				

Rd. 2

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
11	Bijan Robinson, ATL	RB6	7	8	14
	Versatile rookie enters ideal running system w/ great OL and coach who engineered Derrick Henry as workhorse in TEN. Will Allgeier frustrate?				
12	Amon-Ra St. Brown, DET	WR5	16	17	12
	Tackled inside 5-yard line a whopping 7 times last szn. Jared Goff has long history of peppering slot WR.				
13	Tony Pollard, DAL	RB7	12	13	17
	RB7 Pace in final 11 gms last szn. Experts have waited for the efficient Pollard to carry load. Can he hold up? Goal line?				
14	CeeDee Lamb, DAL	WR6	14	11	9
	Coming off breakout 2022, but more target competition this season w/ HC McCarthy wanting to play slower, run more.				
15	Jaylen Waddle, MIA	WR7	21	21	18
	Splits w/ Tua at QB drive this high ranking. WR6 pace in 10 starts w/ Tua last szn. Entering prime.				
16	A.J. Brown, PHI	WR8	17	14	13
	Impressive first season with Hurts. Nothing has changed, so little reason to expect decline.				
17	Garrett Wilson, NYJ	WR9	15	18	15
	High industry ranking assumes breakout. Averaged 17.3 PPG (WR17 pace) in 8 gms w/ non-Zach Wilson QBs. Now Rodgers.				
18	Josh Jacobs, LVR	RB8	19	20	23
	Major props to 2022 fantasy MVP, but things aren't off to strong start in '23. Hold out, team, QB concerns.				
19	Davante Adams, LVR	WR10	11	16	10
	Major team tanking and QB concerns for the best WR in football. I see Garoppolo as a major downgrade. So does Davante.				

20 **Cooper Kupp, LAR** WR11 6 5 5

2021 fantasy football MVP was also on WR1 pace last szn. Stafford's health (+ Rams tank) are legit concerns.

Rd. 3

FLG Pos. Rk. Vs. ESPN Vs. Yahoo! Vs. Expert ADP

21 **Jalen Hurts, PHI** QB1 28 (QB3) 28 (QB1) 24 (QB1)

Averaged 3 PPG more than Mahomes. Completed only 2.6 passes per game in 4th Quarter due to constant blowouts.

22 **Josh Allen, BUF** QB2 27 (QB2) 33 (QB3) 27 (QB3)

27.21 PPG in first 7 games prior to wk 9 elbow injury (QB1 Pace). Still averaged 22.2 PPG in 11 games after. Annual top-5 finisher.

23 **Chris Olave, NO** WR12 25 22 19

WR31 in C.PPG last szn as rookie but QB upgrade could elevate. Red zone usage a concern; Vegas over/under on TDs only 4.5.

24 **Patrick Mahomes, KC** QB3 26 (QB1) 29 (QB2) 26 (QB1)

Hate ranking NFL's best player as QB3 for fantasy, but he finished there in PPG last szn. What if Kelce (34) wears down?

25 **Mark Andrews, BAL** TE2 40 35 29

Buy-low candidate was going mid-2nd round (and ahead of Kelce) in some drafts last August. Was unlucky w/ TDs, health.

26 **Deebo Samuel, SF** WR13 36 44 40

Trying to land Deebo in Rd. 4 of all of my drafts. WR2 finisher in '21 battled injuries last szn but in better shape now. Expecting bounceback.

27 **D.K. Metcalf, SEA** WR14 22 32 28

Strong bet for positive TD regression this szn. Easy selection Rd. 4 selection.

28 **Tee Higgins, CIN** WR15 23 30 25

WR18 in C.PPG last szn w/ unchanged role and tied to great QB.

29 **DeVonta Smith, PHI** WR16 24 24 21

WR25 in C.PPG in gms w/ Hurts. Great talent but slightly prefer No. 1 targets.

30 **Calvin Ridley, JAX** WR17 46 38 33

Missed all of last szn (gambling suspension) but was top-12 WR beforehand. Now Lawrence's top target. Is this a gambling discount or a trap?

Rd. 4

FLG Pos. Rk. Vs. ESPN Vs. Yahoo! Vs. Expert ADP

31 **Lamar Jackson, BAL** QB4 41 (QB4) 42 (QB4) 39 (QB4)

New pass-first offense under OC Monken a far departure from Roman's run-heavy system. Improved pass catchers. Carries risk but playing to win.

32 Joe Burrow, CIN QB5 42 (QB5) 60 (QB6) 47 (QB5)

Had him slotted in Rd. 3 AHEAD OF Mahomes before calf injury. Should be fine but approaching more cautiously. Could explode if all systems go.

33 Rhamondre Stevenson, NE RB9 34 31 31

Won't handle volume he did last szn but should remain focal point. Plus receiving and tackle-breaking ability. Will Zeke siphon goal line?

34 Travis Etienne Jr., JAX RB10 30 23 38

Another year removed from Lisfranc. Basically a rookie last szn. Concerned about goal line usage (Tank Bigsby), but remains lead back in good O.

35 Najee Harris, PIT RB11 31 25 34

RB4 finish as rookie in '21. Hampered by foot injury in first half of last szn but finished strongly. Former 1st rounder on run-heavy O.

36 Dameon Pierce, HOU RB12 35 39 67

Love his game but weary of situation in HOU (not a Stroud stan). Seems to go later in non-ESPN/Yahoo! Drafts, where ADP palatable.

37 Jahmyr Gibbs, DET RB13 33 34 37

Speedy, smallish back surprisingly drafted 12th overall by DET despite signing RB Montgomery. Replacing Swift, who was drafted in Rd. 2 last szn...

38 Alexander Mattison, MIN RB14 61 47 60

Fantasy expert community scared to death of projecting Mattison. Admittedly risky selection, but has positive role, skillset, offense, etc.

39 Ken Walker III, SEA RB15 60 41 56

Believer in the player despite SEA spending 2nd Rd. pick on RB Charbonnet. RB10 Pace in C.PPG last szn as rookie starter. Favorable ESPN rk.

40 Joe Mixon, CIN RB16 29 27 35

Opportunity remains but struggling to get on-board after painfully inefficient szn. Steering clear unless he falls.

Rd. 5

FLG Pos. Rk. Vs. ESPN Vs. Yahoo! Vs. Expert ADP

41 Darren Waller, NYG TE3 58 80 70

Comfortable betting on change-of-scenary bounceback for Waller in midrounds. Should stand out among weaker WRs for Daniel Jones.

42 T.J. Hockenson, MIN TE4 49 43 49

Impressively TE3 Pace in C.PPG in 10 gms following midsn trade to MIN. Not reaching for Hock bc Waller goes 1-2 Rds. later.

43 Justin Herbert, LAC QB6 65 (QB7) 74 (QB8) 52 (QB7)

Anticipating big szn. New OC Moore, WR Johnston help. 3.3% TD rate, injuries to LT Slater, WR Williams & Allen, Herbert himself, crippled '22.

44 **Justin Fields, CHI** **QB7** **64 (QB6)** **55 (QB5)** **46 (QB6)**

Added WR D.J. Moore. Added RT Darnell Wright, RG Nate Davis to OL that made only 63/85 possible starts (25th).

45 **Keenan Allen, LAC** **WR18** **37** **49** **30**

Outstanding WR12 Pace in 9 healthy gms last szn, but concerns include role in new O, more target comp (Johnston), and age.

46 **Mike Williams, LAC** **WR19** **56** **72** **57**

Perhaps my favorite midround WR selection. Tied to explosive QB, faster pass-first offense and could benefit from new role.

47 **Christian Watson, GB** **WR20** **45** **62** **51**

Averaged 18.07 PPG (WR11 Pace) in final 7 gms as starter in rookie szn. Great size/speed combo. Downgrade at QB, but GB lacks legit WRs.

48 **Breece Hall, NYJ** **RB17** **59** **36** **53**

Exploded as a rookie, but coming off torn ACL, so ramp-up period expected w/ Dalvin Cook signing. Could excel down the stretch in Rodgers-led O.

49 **Chris Godwin, TB** **WR21** **51** **63** **42**

Second year removed from ACL = buy-low opp. Offense will be centered around short-area pass game, Godwin's specialty. QB play caps ceiling.

50 **Drake London, ATL** **WR22** **67** **50** **43**

Aggressive ranking bakes in yr. 2 improvement. Mariota averaged crazy low 23 pass attempts per gm wks 1-13.

Rd. 6

FLG Pos. Rk. **Vs. ESPN** **Vs. Yahoo!** **Vs. Expert ADP**

51 **DeAndre Hopkins, FA** **WR23** **50** **58** **45**

WR8 Pace in 8 gms last szn shows Hopkins still has it. Titans have no defense or target-commanding pass catchers.

52 **DJ Moore, CHI** **WR24** **53** **57** **48**

11.7 PPG was WR38 in C.PPG w/ 3 different QBs. How much will Fields upgrade? I'm not sure, want to stay neutral/open here.

53 **Amari Cooper, CLE** **WR25** **39** **40** **36**

A more consistent player last year, but numbers weak in 5 Watson starts. Unclear if he'll be favorite w/ more target comp. CLE is run-first.

54 **Diontae Johnson, PIT** **WR26** **52** **52** **54**

WR44 in C.PPG on unlucky 0 TDs last szn. Wouldn't surprise me if Pickens/Johnson post similar #s; Pickens goes 2+ rds. later.

55 **Michael Pittman Jr., IND** **WR26** **75** **65** **62**

Flying under the radar w/ Richardson at QB. I'm embracing the uncertainty w/ "bet on talent" stance. Minimal target comp. No defense, indoors.

56	Terry McLaurin, WSH	WR27	55	48	41
Underwhelming WR30 in C.PPG last szn. More QB uncertainty. Dotson (WR28 in C.PPG) seems like better value: similar output 3+ rds. later.					
57	James Cook, BUF	RB18	62	64	78
Breakout candidate is a priority, ideally after Rd. 5. Should blow by Bills other RBs. Capable pass catcher. Will lose goal line to Allen & co.					
58	David Montgomery, DET	RB19	81	54	80
Highly undervalued on platforms aside from Yahoo! Beneficiary of change of scenery, improved O-Line, QB. Ticketed for valuable goal line work.					
59	Cam Akers, LAR	RB20	63	46	61
Carries sizable risk, but could be tank-proof. Impressively averaged 17.68 PPG (RB8 Pace) in final 6 gms w/o Stafford/Kupp. O-Line will be healthier.					
60	James Conner, ARI	RB21	48	61	69
Quietly awesome (16.89 PPG, RB10 Pace) when healthy last szn despite QB issues and O-Line 32nd in health. Actually scored more PPG w/o Kyler.					

Rd. 7

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
61	Jonathan Taylor, IND	RB22	20	19	22
Hesitant to draft until he's back at camp and healthy. Could be a discount. Instinct tells me he'll be ready Wk 1.					
62	Miles Sanders, CAR	RB23	47	51	58
Stereotype for "dead zone RB," where his value solely based on opportunity. Was RB28 pace in breakout '22 szn w/ Philly. CAR not as nice.					
63	Aaron Jones, GB	RB24	32	26	32
Criminally low ranking may make a fool out of me. But red zone usage (re: AJ Dillon) and life w/o Rodgers are major concerns. Nearing 30 too.					
64	Alvin Kamara, NO	RB25	44	77	84
Suspended 3 gms, but expecting efficiency to return. Pass catching back in committee. Glory days w/ Drew gone, but asset in PPR formats.					
65	Rachaad White, TB	RB26	43	76	73
Nursing w/ August injury, but anticipating bell cow role once healthy. Concerns about O-Line, QB. Opp/usage will be there. Is talent?					
66	Tyler Lockett, SEA	WR29	66	45	50
Still great real-life player, and this rank may undersell, but negative regression expected on TDs. Increased target comp. w/ 1st Rd. rookie JSN.					
67	Jahan Dotson, WSH	WR30	86	79	71
Dotson (WR28) outscored McLaurin (WR30) in C.PPG as a rookie last szn. Undersized but can play. Possibly similar output 3+ rounds later.					
68	George Pickens, PIT	WR31	76	83	72

Uber athletic breakout candidate flashed at times as rookie. 1st Rd. talent who slid due to knee/character flags. Now 2 yrs removed from ACL.

69 **Khalil Herbert, CHI** RB27 82 81 94

Worried about receiving usage but running w/ 1s in pre-szn. Efficient and elusive runner who has taken advantage of starting opps.

70 **Mike Evans, TB** WR32 54 68 65

Feels odd ranking Evans this low, but he was WR23 in C.PPG last snz w/ Brady. Now gets Baker Mayfield and/or Kyle Trask.

Rd. 8

FLG Pos. Rk. Vs. ESPN Vs. Yahoo! Vs. Expert ADP

71 **Dallas Goedert, PHI** TE5 71 67 76

TE5 in C.PPG last snz in 13 gms w/ Hurts. Clearcut 3rd target behind 2 stud WRs, but room for growth if something happens to one.

72 **George Kittle, SF** TE6 69 56 63

Ran hot on TDs last late last snz; expecting regression there. 2 best gms w/ Purdy came sans Deebo. Could be 4th target (Deebo, Aiyuk, CMC).

73 **Gabriel Davis, BUF** WR33 106 85 122

Doubling down on Davis, whose chances of breakout '22 were derailed by Wk 2 high ankle. Still in same role, 3+ Rds. cheaper. Buying at discount.

74 **Marquise Brown, ARI** WR34 57 73 64

Averaged 17.15 PPG (WR13 Pace!) in 7 gms w/ Murray but 6.4 PPG in 2 gms w/ McCoy. So when is Murray returning? New HC/OC likely hurts.

75 **Brandon Aiyuk, SF** WR35 68 53 55

WR39 Pace in gms w/ Purdy last snz. 1st Rd. talent may be overshadowed by Deebo, CMC, Kittle at times. He'll get his, but which weeks?

76 **Christian Kirk, JAX** WR36 74 75 59

Impressive breakthrough snz (WR22 in C.PPG) as Lawrence's top target, but now relegated behind Ridley in pecking order.

77 **Zay Flowers, BAL** WR37 108 122 95

Undersized worker bee drew rave reviews throughout NFL Draft process (teams LOVED him). New OC Monken may feature him underneath.

78 **Jordan Addison, MIN** WR38 98 95 82

Jefferson & Hockenson are target hogs but will put Addison in constant single coverage. Vikings pass-happy. K.J. Osborn an initial speed bump.

79 **Treyton Burks, TEN** WR39 77 108 81

Raw and unhealthy as rookie b4 showing 1st Rd. flashes late. Was slated for larger role b4 Hopkins signing. Big play ability, but will be inconsistent

80 **Jerry Jeudy, DEN** WR40 38 59 44

Strong finish last snz, but deals w/ injuries on annual basis. DEN may run conservatively. I expect numbers to be closer to Sutton (goes 5 rds later).

Rd. 9

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
81	Trevor Lawrence, JAX	QB8	73 (QB9)	69 (QB7)	68 (QB8)
	Ascending player entering second year under Doug Pederson. Added WR Ridley. OL may be obstacle (lost RT Taylor, LT Robinson SUSP, iOL weak).				
82	Daniel Jones, NYG	QB9	95 (QB12)	91 (QB9)	98 (QB12)
	QB9 in C.PPG & improved down stretch in 1st year w/ HC Daboll (developed Josh Allen) and dust at WR/TE. Added TE Waller, WRs Hyatt, Campbell.				
83	J.K. Dobbins, BAL	RB28	92	37	66
	Strange offseason, leaving a lot to unpack. Contract and health sitch + new offense make him a wildcard (see ranking disparities). OK risk on ESPN.				
84	Brian Robinson, WAS	RB29	101	89	103
	Likely in timeshare w/ Antonio Gibson, but I think B-Rob more likely to endear coaching staff. Year removed from getting shot in leg.				
85	Deshaun Watson, CLE	QB10	72 (QB8)	93 (QB10)	88 (QB9)
	Came in COLD w/ 1 legit weapon and 2 weather gms, but still QB17 in C.PPG bc rushing. Supporting cast (HC, OL, WR, RB, TE) sneaky good.				
86	Jaxon Smith-Njigba, SEA	WR41	87	84	71
	1st Rd. rookie slated to start in the slot, but playing in only 3WR sets will suppress ceiling. Likely needs injury to Metcalf/Lockett to hit top 24.				
87	Anthony Richardson, IND	QB11	123 (QB17)	102 (QB13)	109 (QB16)
	Named starter. Rookies w/ elite rushing have historically provided fantasy floor. OC Steichen developed Hurts. Think Trey Lance, but starting...				
88	Kyle Pitts, ATL	TE7	70	66	74
	Planned to buy dip before knee issues cropped up in camp. Will HC Smith continue to tease w/ Pitts' odd usage? May move up if proven healthy.				
89	A.J. Dillon, GB	RB30	100	87	101
	Expecting more usage due to stylistic changes to offense sans Rodgers. Gets red zone usage over Aaron Jones, who is 29.				
90	Kirk Cousins, MIN	QB12	98 (QB11)	118 (QB16)	110 (QB13)
	QB11 in C.PPG last season, and nothing has changed. Friendly pass-game environment (dome, bad defense, unproven run game) and scheme.				

Rd. 10

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
91	Geno Smith, SEA	QB13	121 (QB15)	103 (QB14)	106 (QB14)
	Added Rd. 1 WR (JSN), Rd. 2 pass catching RB (Charbonnet) + stud WRs Metcalf & Lockett. Inexpensive potential top-10 QB w/ great support cast.				

92	Juwan Johnson, NO	TE8	246 (TE21)	204 (TE25)	162 (TE18)
	Has a similar to Darren Waller's breakout story. WR playing TE. Carr at QB. Market is mispricing him. Love grabbing as my TE2 after Rd. 10.				
93	Dalton Kincaid, BUF	TE9	137	121	156
	Josh Allen vouched for Bills drafting Kincaid in Rd. 1. Will be utilized as WR. An auto-draft after Rd. 10. and ideal "punt-TE" target.				
94	Dak Prescott, DAL	QB14	93 (QB10)	94 (QB11)	97 (QB10)
	Nice weaponry (added WR Cooks), but uses his legs less and concerns w/ loss of OC Kellen Moore (re: scheme/pace). Expecting similar fantasy szn.				
95	Tua Tagovailoa, MIA	QB15	119 (QB13)	99 (QB12)	105 (QB11)
	Tyreek & Waddle provide explosive spiked weeks but ceiling lowered by lack of rushing. Annual durability issues.				
96	Javonte Williams, DEN	RB31	78	72	83
	Sean Payton O will be RB-friendly, but Williams recovering from torn ACL+. Is fading Williams (and targeting Samaje Perine) is the play?				
97	Courtland Sutton, DEN	WR42	85	107	85
	Tim Patrick injury creates opp to play "big X" role that MT and Colston previously played in Payton's offense. Needs to bring back 2019 form.				
98	Michael Thomas, NO	WR43	84	115	92
	Carr's passing location preference makes injury discount appealing, but waiting for positive camp reports b4 crowning comeback. Fluid sitch.				
99	Quentin Johnston, LAC	WR44	109	124	114
	Downfield and YAC threat will play behind Mike Williams, Keenan Allen. Early szn stash could do some damage later in the szn w/ Herbert.				
100	Sky Moore, KC	WR45	97	113	99
	Felt odd leaving all Mahomes' WRs out of Top 100. Moore is my preferred dart throw w/ helps his role grows in yr. 2.				

Rds. 11-17 (Picks 100+)

(Expected roster construction through 10 rounds: 1 QB, 4 RBs, 4 WRs, and 1 TE)

Running Back Sleepers

(Draft 2-3 between Rds. 10-17. Prioritize Sleeper RBs over Sleeper WRs)

		FLG Pos. Rk.	Vs. ESPN	Vs. Yahoo!	Vs. Expert ADP
1	Zach Charbonnet, SEA	RB36	119	100	113 (RB37)
	2nd Rd. rookie has 3-down skillset (receiving + goal line). Will open in committee behind Ken Walker.				

2	Elijah Mitchell, SF	RB37	161	120	135 (RB43)
	Ultimate CMC handcuff would take lead RB role in Kyle Shanahan's run-friendly O and vault into top-12 RB status if CMC goes down (again).				
3	Jaylen Warren, PIT	RB38	165	138	141 (RB47)
	Should push Najee Harris for playing time. Will be tough to keep him off field. Lotto ticket if Harris gets hurt.				
4	Tyler Allgeier, ATL	RB39	162	117	143 (RB48)
	Averaged 17 PPG (RB9 pace) in 4 Ridder starts to end last szn. The guy behind Bijan.				
5	Tank Bigsby, JAX	RB40	196	129	159 (RB51)
	Rookie 3rd rounder drafted to complement Etienne, possibly seeing majority of goal line work. Can contribute as receiver too.				
6	Tyjae Spears, TEN	RB41	202	207	228 (RB61)
	Derrick Henry's insurance policy. 3rd round rookie has flourished at Tulane and this pre-szn. Henry's milage may catch up to him.				
7	Jerome Ford, CLE	RB42	206	172	193 (RB56)
	Nick Chubb's insurance policy. CLE has no one behind Ford, and he would be set up in very appealing situation something happens to Chubb.				
8	Zamir White, LVR	RB43	276	149	210 (RB60)
	Could see the majority of the RB touches if Josh Jacobs (hold out) misses time or gets hurt. Raiders seem high on him entering 2nd year.				
9	Deuce Vaughn, DAL	RB44	294	247	294 (RB74)
	Longshot for deep leagues, but DAL prefers starter Pollard at 30-35 SPG. Minimal comp behind him, and father on coaching staff.				
10	Zack Moss, IND	RB45	294	247	294 (RB74)
	Great final round flier in case Jonathan Taylor extends his hold out into the regular szn or gets traded.				

Wide Receiver Sleepers (Draft 2 between Rds. 12-17)

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
1	Elijah Moore, CLE	WR50	118	96	87
	Unlike Jets, CLE should use in variety of ways. Could be 1B to Amari Cooper. Goes later than he should in ESPN drafts.				
2	Rashod Bateman, BAL	WR51	178	98	97 (WR49)
	A lot of uncertainty in BAL receiving room. Bateman a former 1st Rd. pick w/ plagued by injuries. Great value on ESPN w/ very low ranking.				

3	Van Jefferson, LVR	WR52	179	180	161 (WR71)
	Fave late-round WR. Will open szn as starter opposite target-hog Kupp. Has shown flashes, big plays. Flying under radar following lost szn.				
4	Alec Pierce, IND	WR53	205	174	155 (WR67)
	2022 2nd Rd. pick entering second szn. Size/speed skillset meshes w/ Anthony Richardson's (re: downfield). No target comp behind Pittman.				
5	Marvin Mims, DEN	WR54	300+	250+	160 (WR69)
	Sean Payton's first draft pick will start in 3-WR sets behind the oft-injured Jeudy and inconsistent Sutton. Could make second-half impact.				
6	Jonathan Mingo, CAR	WR55	171	191	167 (WR72)
	Early 2nd Rd. rookie drafted to fit Bryce Young's preferred route tree. Best case: overtake Thielen/Chark as team's go-to by season's end.				
7	Nathaniel "Tank" Dell, HOU	WR56	197	236	185 (WR78)
	Undersized third rounder a favorite of rookie QB C.J. Stroud. Could be an asset in PPR leagues down the stretch.				
8	Michael Wilson, ARI	WR57	300+	250+	297 (WR97)
	3rd Rd. rookie quietly earning starting role opposite Marquise Brown. There may be something there as deep league flyer.				

Defenses & Kickers

(Draft 1 of each in the final 3 rounds. Listed in order in which I'd draft them)

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
1	Justin Tucker, BAL	K1	K1	K1	K1
	The only kicker worth a selection before final 2 rounds. Anywhere near Pick 150 is fair game for Hall of Famer.				
2	Dallas Cowboys	DST1	DST6	DST2	DST2
	DPOY candidate Micah Parsons leads strong unit. NOTE I'm NOT trying to be among 4 teams to select D/ST; can wait for NO/PHI.				
3	New Orleans Saints D/ST	DST2	DST5	DST11	DST10
	Disappointed last szn but plays extraordinarily soft schedule filled w/ subpar opposing QBs. Targeting aggressively in non-ESPN leagues.				
4	Philadelphia Eagles D/ST	DST3	DST18	DST3	DST3
	Talented defense will play with constant leads as NFC's best team. Stacked D-Line should feast. MASSIVE bargain on ESPN.				
5	Jason Myers, SEA	K2	K6	K10	K10
	Unless it's Tucker, I'm waiting for final 2 Rds. to take kicker. Myers is a consistent kicker attached to possibly great offense on winning team.				
6	Tyler Bass, BUF	K3	K7	K4	K2

Buffalo winter weather can get wonky, but Josh Allen always leads to best fishing spots. Easier to obtain in ESPN leagues.

7	Harrison Butker, KC	K4	K5	K5	K3
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Will frustrate some games w/ only XPs instead of FGs, but a safe bet for scoring opps on Mahomes' offense.

8	Brandon McManus, JAX	K5	K15	K9	K8
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Former Broncos kicker w/ huge leg joins the Jags. Trevor Lawrence, soft division will provide him w/ ample chances. Low ESPN rk.

9	Denver Broncos D/ST	DST4	DST20	DST6	DST8
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Opens w/ two attractive matchups on paper: LVR, WSH. Expect improvement from talented unit. Nice consolation prize in ESPN drafts.

10	Washington Commanders	DST5	DST15	DST14	DST15
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Opens w/ a home matchup against the Cardinals, making them a viable Wk. 1 streaming option.

Tight End Sleepers

(Draft 1 in final 4 rounds)

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
1	Juan Johnson, NO	TE8	246 (TE21)	204 (TE25)	162 (TE18)

Has a similar to Darren Waller's breakout story. WR playing TE. Carr at QB. Market is mispricing him. Love grabbing as my TE2 after Rd. 10.

2	Dalton Kincaid, BUF	TE9	137	121	156
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Josh Allen vouched for Bills drafting Kincaid in Rd. 1. Will be utilized as WR. An auto-draft after Rd. 10. and ideal "punt-TE" target.

3	Luke Musgrave, GB	TE10	311 (TE31)	194 (TE23)	276 (TE36)
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One of my favorite last-round picks. Talented rookie immediately steps into everydown role for WR-needy Packers. Stash as TE2.

4	Sam LaPorta, DET	TE11	188 (TE19)	128 (TE15)	171 (TE19)
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Opening day rookie starter who DET drafted in Rd. 2. DET doesn't have much behind ARSB. Goff loves to target middle of field.

5	Jake Ferguson, DAL	TE12	292 (TE30)	179 (TE20)	264 (TE31)
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Dak Prescott made Dalton Schultz a top-6 TE in PPG. More target comp now, but affinity for position makes Ferguson bet to crush TE31 ADP.

Backup Quarterbacks

(Draft 1 or 2 in Super Flex formats. Otherwise, it is NOT NECESSARY to draft a backup QB)

		<u>FLG Pos. Rk.</u>	<u>Vs. ESPN</u>	<u>Vs. Yahoo!</u>	<u>Vs. Expert ADP</u>
1	Anthony Richardson, IND	QB11	123 (QB17)	102 (QB13)	109 (QB16)
	Inside my Top 100 (see above). Aggressively targeting in Super Flex AND standard 1QB leagues as well, unlike those below, which are solely for SF.				
2	Geno Smith, SEA	QB14	121 (QB15)	103 (QB14)	106 (QB14)
	Inside my Top 100 (see above). Aggressively targeting in Super Flex. Nice "punt QB" standard 1QB leagues. Drop off for QBs is after he and AR.				
3	Jared Goff, DET	QB17	215 (QB21)	140 (QB18)	121 (QB17)
	Finished as QB15 in C.PPG last szn. Ceiling capped by minimal rushing, but an attractive home game play w/ great O-Line.				
4	Kenny Pickett, PIT	QB18	172 (QB19)	184 (QB23)	152 (QB21)
	Things started to click in final 4 gms last szn. Rushing ability provides floor. Great weapons in PIT. OC Canada a concern.				
5	Derek Carr, NO	QB19	219 (QB22)	160 (QB20)	147 (QB20)
	Conservative coaches may restrain true breakout, but controlled environment (pass catchers + O-Line + dome) keeps him in safe QB2 territory.				
6	Bryce Young, CAR	QB20	243 (QB24)	240 (QB27)	170 (QB24)
	Great value going extremely late for a No. 1 pick who has already been named the starter. Love targeting as punt QB2 or great QB3 in Super Flex.				
7	Sam Howell, WAS	QB21	244 (QB29)	177 (QB20)	165 (QB23)
	Underrated rushing ability and weaponry should keep him afloat. A great QB3 target in ESPN Super Flex leagues.				
8	Kyler Murray, ARI	QB22	173 (QB20)	268 (QB30)	173 (QB25)
	Torn ACL will set back szn debut. Viable QB2 stash IF your league has an IR spot (if not, I wouldn't bother). Was at QB6 Pace last szn in 10 gms.				
9	Ryan Tannehill, TEN	QB23	245 (QB23)	209 (QB25)	190 (QB26)
	Playing w/ scrub pass catchers last yr. Hopkins will help. Titans have no defense, soft division. Tanny a solid runner, going under radar.				

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