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BREWERS 2025 FIRST-YEAR PLAYER DRAFT CAPSULES

Round 1 (20th Overall)

INF ANDREW FISCHER

B/T: L/R **AGE:** 21, 5/25/05 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'1"/210

SCHOOL: University of Tennessee

NOTES: Fischer, 21, batted .341/.497/.760 (74-for-217) with 16 doubles, 25 HR, 65 RBI and 70 runs for the University of Tennessee as junior in 2025, reaching base in all 65 games he played. He led the SEC in HR (25) and ranked among leaders in slugging percentage (2nd, .760), on-base percentage (2nd, .497), OPS (2nd, 1.257), runs (5th, 70) and RBI (9th, 65). The left-handed hitter was named First Team All-American by *Baseball America*, *D1 Baseball* and the American Baseball Coaches Association and was a 2025 All-SEC First Team selection. During his freshman season at Duke University in 2023 he set a Blue Devils record for home runs by a freshman, notching 11. After transferring to the University of Mississippi in 2024, he earned All-SEC Second Team honors after leading the Rebels in homers (20), hits (59), RBI (57) and total bases (133).

Round 1 - Compensation (32nd Overall)

SS BRADY EBEL

B/T: L/R **AGE:** 17, 7/25/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'3"/195

SCHOOL: Corona High School (CA)

NOTES: Ebel, who will turn 18 on July 25, batted .341/.504/.484 (31-for-91) with 7 doubles, 2 HR, 17 RBI and 27 runs in 31 games for Corona High School (CA) in 2025. He was one of three players from the school selected within the first 32 picks, joining right-handed pitcher **Seth Hernandez** (6th overall to Pittsburgh) and shortstop **Billy Carlson** (10th overall to Chicago-AL). They are the first trio of prep teammates to ever be selected in the first round of the same MLB draft. The Louisiana State University commit was ranked as the 13th-best prep player in the class of 2025 by Perfect Game after posting a .988 OPS and recording nearly twice as many walks (27) as strikeouts (14). He is the son of Dodgers third base coach **Dino Ebel**.

Round 2 (59th Overall)

LHP JD THOMPSON

B/T: R/L **AGE:** 21, 9/28/03 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/199

SCHOOL: Vanderbilt University (TN)

NOTES: Thompson, 21, started 16 games for Vanderbilt University (TN) in 2025, pitching to a 4.00 ERA (90ip, 40er) with 122 strikeouts for the Commodores. He recorded 6 quality starts and 6 games with 10+ strikeouts during his junior season after being ranked as the No. 12 starting pitcher in the country by *D1 Baseball* on its preseason rankings. Thompson was named to the Preseason All-SEC First Team after a sophomore season in which he amassed 74 punchouts with just 18 walks across 52.0 innings in 2024. He was the first Vanderbilt player selected in the 2025 First-Year Player Draft. In 164.0 innings over the past three seasons in Nashville, he recorded 219 punchouts while allowing just 61 walks, good for 3.59 strikeout-to-walk-ratio.

Round 2 – Supplemental Pick (68th Overall)

LHP FRANK CAIRONE

B/T: R/L **AGE:** 17, 9/14/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'2"/195

SCHOOL: Delsea Regional High School (NJ)

NOTES: Cairone, 17, struck out 94 batters over 44.0 innings at Delsea Regional High School (NJ) in 2025. The southpaw posted a 0.48 ERA (44ip, 3er) during his senior season while generating a 0.91 WHIP, allowing just 19 hits and 21 walks. The Coastal Carolina University (SC) commit was a First Team All-South Jersey selection by the *Courier-Post* (NJ) newspaper and was invited to the 2025 MLB Combine at Chase Field in Phoenix, Arizona. In 141.1 innings during his high school career, he amassed 238 strikeouts, good for 15.1 strikeouts-per-9 innings while logging a 1.78 ERA (141.1ip, 36er).

Round 3 (94th Overall)

RHP JACOB MORRISON

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 21, 9/13/03 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'8"/245

SCHOOL: Coastal Carolina University (SC)

NOTES: Morrison, 21, finished the 2025 season with 12 wins for the Chanticleers, tied for third most in NCAA Division I. The right-hander was named the 2025 Sun Belt Conference Pitcher of the Year and was selected as the National Pitcher of the Year by the American Baseball Coaches Association after finishing his redshirt sophomore season with a 2.42 ERA (107.2ip, 29er), amassing 104 strikeouts with just 23 walks. During the season, he had 10 starts of at least 6.0 innings of work and one or fewer runs allowed. In the last 5 years, the only collegiate pitcher to best that mark was LSU's **Paul Skenes** in 2023 (12). His 107.2 innings of action ranked second in the nation and his 18 starts were tied for fifth.

Round 4 (125th Overall)

RHP JOSHUA FLORES

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 18, 6/14/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'1"/205

SCHOOL: Lake Central High School (IN)

NOTES: Flores, 18, struck out 70 batters across 38.0 innings of work during his senior season at Lake Central High School (IN). The University of Kentucky commit went 7-0 with a 2.76 ERA (38ip, 15er) while allowing just 20 hits in 10 appearances. He fanned 116 batters in 66.2 innings of work over three seasons in his high school career. Flores was ranked as the 18th-best prep right-handed pitcher in the class of 2025 by *Perfect Game*. He was selected out of the same high school as current Brewers prospects infielder **Josh Adamczewski** and right-handed pitcher **Griffin Tobias**.

Round 5 (155th Overall)

RHP SEAN EPISCOPE

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 21, 2/11/04 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/210

SCHOOL: Princeton University (NJ)

NOTES: Episcopo, 21, posted a 3.15 ERA (20ip, 7ip) and struck out 26 batters over 4 starts with a 0.55 WHIP at Princeton University (NJ) in 2025 before missing the remainder of the season due to injury. The right-hander allowed a .104 batting average against, surrendering just 7 hits in 67 at-bats. He was named Ivy League Pitcher of the Week twice during his sophomore campaign in 2025, (March 3, March 17) and set a career high in strikeouts (9) while allowing 1 earned run against No. 12 Wake Forest on February 28. Episcopo is the highest drafted player from Princeton since Ross Ohlendorf was selected by Arizona in the fourth round in the 2004 First-Year Player Draft.

Round 6 (185th Overall)**SS DANIEL DICKINSON****B/T:** R/R **AGE:** 21, 12/05/03 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/180**SCHOOL:** Louisiana State University

NOTES: Dickinson, 21, batted .315/.458/.525 (75-for-238) for national champion Louisiana State University as a junior in 2025, recording 14 doubles, 12 HR, 49 RBI, 67 runs and 9 stolen bases while being named All-SEC Second Team. Dickinson batted .353 (6-for-17) during the College World Series to help the Tigers win the national championship series over Coastal Carolina University. Prior to his season in Baton Rouge, Dickinson spent two seasons at Utah Valley University, earning First-Team All-WAC in both 2023 and 2024. In 113 games with Utah Valley, he batted .369/.458/.627 (172-for-466) with 33 doubles, 3 triples, 27 HR, 95 RBI and 42 stolen bases. Dickinson tied the Utah Valley single-season home run record as a sophomore in 2024, batting .363 (90-for-248) with 14 doubles, 2 triples, 18 HR, 53 RBI and 32 stolen bases in 59 games.

Round 7 (215th Overall)**OF JOSIAH RAGSDALE****B/T:** L/L **AGE:** 21, 12/21/03 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/185**SCHOOL:** Boston College (MA)

NOTES: Ragsdale, 21, batted .319/.418/.498 (66-for-207) in 56 games during his junior season at Boston College, recording 12 doubles, 5 triples, 5 HR, 30 RBI and 30 stolen bases for the Eagles. The left-handed hitter played his first two collegiate seasons at Iona University (NY) and was selected to the All-MAAC First Team in 2024 after batting .385/.470/.646 (74-for-192) with 13 doubles, 8 triples, 7 HR, 37 RBI and 22 stolen bases in 50 games for the Gaels. For his career at Iona, he batted .343/.437/.569 (112-for-327) with 17 doubles, 15 triples, 9 HR, 59 RBI, 65 runs scored and 33 stolen bases across 90 games.

Round 8 (245th Overall)**RHP HAYDEN VUCINOVICH****B/T:** R/R **AGE:** 18, 6/19/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/195**SCHOOL:** Bloomington Jefferson High School (MN)

NOTES: Vucinovich, who turned 18 on June 19, is ranked as the fourth-best prospect in Minnesota in the class of 2025 by *Prep Baseball Report* and touched 95.5 miles per hour at *Prep Baseball Report's* Upper-Midwest Procase. He struck out 54 batters over 24.2 innings and was a team captain as a senior at Bloomington Jefferson High School (MN). The right-hander initially committed to NCAA Division II Concordia University, St. Paul (MN) before seeing a 7-miles per hour jump in velocity and flipped his commitment to the University of Minnesota. As a junior in 2024, he compiled 43 strikeouts across 32.1 innings while posting a 1.90 ERA, 1.10 WHIP and a .139 opponent batting average against.

Round 9 (275th Overall)**LHP ANDREW HEALY****B/T:** L/L **AGE:** 22, 7/11/03 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'6"/200**SCHOOL:** Duke University (NC)

NOTES: Healy, who turned 22 on July 11, spent three seasons at Duke University (NC), striking out 124 batters over 125.1 innings for the Blue Devils from 2023-25. The southpaw was honored by the National College Baseball Writers Association as a Freshman All-American in 2023 after going 5-1 with a 2.32 ERA (42.2ip, 11er) and 45 strikeouts in 19 appearances (11 starts) and was selected to the Preseason All-American Third Team by the publication entering 2024. Healy appeared in 44 games and made 36 starts for Duke in his career, sporting a 4.45 ERA (125.1ip, 62er).

Round 10 (305th Overall)**RHP BRAYLON OWENS****B/T:** R/R **AGE:** 22, 12/11/02 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/228**SCHOOL:** University of Texas at San Antonio

NOTES: Owens, 22, spent four seasons at the University of Texas at San Antonio, appearing in 63 games (22 starts) for the Roadrunners from 2022-25 and recording 196 strikeouts over 181.2 innings. He made 21 appearances (14 starts) for UTSA in 2025, going 7-2 with a 4.47 ERA (90.2ip, 45er). He helped UTSA reach its first Super Regional in program history by holding No. 2 overall seed Texas to 1 run over 4.0 innings with 7 strikeouts in a 9-7 win over the Longhorns at the Austin Regional.

Round 11 (335th Overall)**SS CJ HUGHES****B/T:** S/R **AGE:** 17, 9/9/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'1"/155**SCHOOL:** Junipero Serra High School (CA)

NOTES: Hughes, 17, batted .466/.524/.822 (34-for-73) with 3 doubles, 4 triples, 5 HR, 29 RBI and 21 runs in 25 games as a senior at Junipero Serra High School (CA) in 2025. He participated in the MLB Draft Combine at Chase Field in Phoenix. Hughes, a switch-hitter, is committed to the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Round 12 (365th Overall)**LHP COOPER UNDERWOOD****B/T:** R/L **AGE:** 18, 1/8/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'2"/185**SCHOOL:** Allatoona High School (GA)

NOTES: Underwood, 18, was named the 2025 Prep Baseball Report Georgia Player of the Year after going 9-1 with a 0.48 ERA (73.2ip, 5er) and 148 strikeouts in 14 appearances as a senior at Allatoona High School in 2025. The Georgia Tech commit posted a 17-4 record with a 1.65 ERA (174ip, 41er) and 303 strikeouts in 47 career games on the mound during his prep career. Underwood attended the 2025 MLB Draft Combine at Chase Field in Phoenix. He was ranked as the No. 133 overall prospect in the draft by MLB.com and No. 140 by ESPN.

Round 13 (395th Overall)**RHP GAVIN LAURIDSEN****B/T:** R/R **AGE:** 18, 11/28/06 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'4"/200**SCHOOL:** Foothill High School (CA)

NOTES: Lauridsen, 18, struck out 105 batters across 79.0 innings during his senior season at Foothills High School (CA) in 2025, finishing the season with an 8-2 record and a 1.59 ERA (79ip, 18er) to earn Crestview League Pitcher of the Year. He is committed to the University of Southern California. The right-handed pitcher set the school record for strikeouts in a season (105) as a senior in 2025. He went 4-2 with a 2.08 ERA (43.2ip, 13er) and 47 strikeouts as a junior in 2024.

Round 14 (425th Overall)

C BRENDAN BROCK

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 20, 8/3/04 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'3"/200

SCHOOL: Southwestern Illinois College

NOTES: Brock, 20, was named a First Team National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) All American and Great Rivers Athletic Conference Player of the Year in 2025 after batting .462 (96-for-208) with 23 doubles, a triple, 20 HR, 75 RBI, 90 runs and 27 stolen bases in 57 games for Southwestern Illinois College in 2025. As a redshirt freshman in 2024, Brock earned NJCAA Third Team All American Honors and was the GRAC Freshman of the Year after hitting .398 (66-for-166) with 16 doubles, 5 triples, 52 RBI, 68 runs and 39 stolen bases in 56 games. He is committed to transfer to the University of Oklahoma.

Round 15 (455th Overall)

3B DOMINIC CADIZ

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 18, 11/21/06 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'2"/205

SCHOOL: Notre Dame High School (CA)

NOTES: Cadiz, 18, batted .308/.406/.582 (28-for-91) with 5 doubles, 1 triple, 6 HR, 15 RBI and 24 runs in 28 games as a senior at Notre Dame High School (CA) in 2025. As a junior in 2025, he hit .350/.436/.650 (35-for-100) with 12 doubles, 6 HR, 31 RBI and 20 runs in 30 games. Cadiz, who is committed to UCLA, is currently playing for the Walla Walla Sweets in the West Coast League and is batting .375 (45-for-120) with 12 doubles, 7 HR, 30 RBI and 22 runs in 33 games.

Round 16 (485th Overall)

LHP PARKER COIL

B/T: R/L **AGE:** 21, 1/6/04 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'3"/185

SCHOOL: University of Arkansas

NOTES: Coil, 21, went 3-0 with a 1.27 ERA (21.2ip, 3er), 1 save and 24 strikeouts in 14 relief appearances as a junior to help the University of Arkansas reach the College World Series in 2025. He was a member of a Razorbacks pitching staff that set a school record with 706 strikeouts in 2024, making 16 relief appearances. Coil appeared in 15 games (3 starts) for Arkansas as a freshman in 2023.

Round 17 (515th Overall)

RHP LUKE ROUPE

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 17, 8/18/06 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'5"/215

SCHOOL: Grace Christian School (NC)

NOTES: Roupe, 17, went 7-3 with a 2.01 ERA (62.2ip, 18er) and 100 strikeouts as a senior at Grace Christian School (NC) in 2025. Ranked as the No. 1 right-handed high school pitcher in North Carolina in the class of 2025 by *Perfect Game*, Roupe went 9-1 with a 0.63 ERA and 102 strikeouts in 55.1 innings as a junior in 2024 to help Grace Christian to the state finals. He is committed to the University of South Carolina after initially committing to Vanderbilt University (TN).

Round 18 (545th Overall)

C RYLAN MILLS

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 19, 6/28/06 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'0"/210

SCHOOL: Oran High School (MO)

NOTES: Mills, who turned 19 on June 28, batted .541 with 23 extra-base hits, 10 HR and a 1.794 OPS as a senior at Oran High School (MO) in 2025, earning Class 1 First Team All-State honors in Missouri. Committed to Southeast Missouri State University, Mills is currently playing for the Flag City Sluggers in the Great Lakes Summer Collegiate League.

Round 19 (575th Overall)

RHP CHASE BENTLEY

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 18, 5/10/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'3"/215

SCHOOL: IMG Academy (FL)

NOTES: Bentley, 18, went 10-0 with a 0.94 ERA (59.2ip, 8er) with 62 strikeouts and just 5 walks in 11 appearances as a senior at IMG Academy (FL) in 2025, earning First Team High School All-America honors from *MaxPreps*. He finished his prep career 22-6 with a 2.12 ERA (208ip, 63er) and 243 strikeouts in 49 outings. Bentley is committed to Texas A&M University.

Round 20 (605th Overall)

RHP MA'KALE HOLDEN

B/T: R/R **AGE:** 18, 2/19/07 **HEIGHT/WEIGHT:** 6'1"/215

SCHOOL: Thompson High School (AL)

NOTES: Holden, 18, is ranked as the top right-handed pitcher and the No. 5 overall player in Alabama by *Perfect Game*. He was named All-State First Team in Alabama as a utility player. He posted a 2.04 ERA with 78 strikeouts over 55.0 innings on the mound and batted .324 with 5 HR and 31 RBI at the plate. As a junior in 2024, he had a 2.45 ERA with 55 strikeouts in 40.0 innings. Holden is committed to the University of Alabama. He attended the 2025 MLB Draft Combine at Chase Field in Phoenix.