

MAJOR COLLEGE FOOTBALL DIVISION

2021 - POST SEASON BOWL SELECTION

The Perfect Playoff Plan eliminates the ugly problem of the excessive number of Post Season Bowl games sanctioned by the NCAA for the FBS, requiring too many teams of too low quality.

The Plan will only require a total of 27 Bowl Games for the new 90 team **Major College Football Division (MCFD)**, 7 Bowl Games for the final 3 rounds of the **National Championship Playoff Series (NCPS)** and 20 Bowl Games for the **Post Season Bowl Competition (PSBC)** to honor the Major College Football teams with winning records and Crown the Conference of the Year.

Each Conference will earn 3 points for every Level I Bowl win and for winning the National Championship Game plus 2 points for Level II Bowl wins and Semi-Final Playoff wins and 1 point for each Level III Bowl Game win and Quarter-Final win.

Each Bowl Organization in **Levels I & II** will invite Champions or Second Place teams from their contracted former Power 5 Conference's Divisions listed below. Each Bowl Committee will make its selections based on its Bowl's Priority as listed below. See the 2021 [Post Season Schedule](#).

Level I & II Bowl Team Selection will be announced on the Sunday after the Quarter Final Playoff Bowl Games are played on the 3rd Saturday in December.

Level I Bowls will choose from the first 12 Teams eliminated from the Playoff in the following order. Playoff & Level I Bowl Tickets are available the 2nd Monday after Thanksgiving.

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| Rose Bowl | January 1 st | PAC South/North | vs | BIG TEN East/West |
| Sugar Bowl | January 1 st | SEC Eastern/South | vs | WEST or EAST |
| Orange Bowl | December 31 st | ACC Atlantic/Coastal | vs | SEC or EAST Champion |
| Fiesta Bowl | January 1 st | PAC or BIG TEN | vs | ACC or WEST |
| Cotton Bowl | January 1 st | EAST or SEC | vs | Wild Card |

Level II Bowls will choose from the remaining Second Place teams in the following order.

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| Alamo Bowl | December 30 th | WEST or EAST | vs | Wild Card Selection |
| Outback Bowl | December 30 th | BIG TEN | vs | Wild Card Selection |
| Holiday Bowl | December 30 th | PAC | vs | Wild Card Selection |

Level III Bowls will make their selections in the order below on the Monday after the final Regular Season Games played on the last Saturday in November. Each Bowl will contract with 2 or more Conferences for teams finishing 3rd to 5th Place with winning records of at least 6-5.

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| Mercari Texas Bowl | December 24 th | PAC | vs | BIG TEN |
| Cheez-It Bowl | December 28 th | ACC | vs | WEST |
| Music City Bowl | December 28 th | PAC | vs | EAST |
| Duke's Mayo Bowl | December 27 th | ACC | vs | SEC |
| TaxSlayer Gator Bowl | January 3 rd | BIG TEN | vs | SEC |
| Las Vegas Bowl | December 20 th | PAC | vs | SEC |
| *Military Bowl | December 24 th | Military Academy | vs | ACC |
| Birmingham Bowl | January 3 rd | PAC | vs | ACC |
| First Responder Bowl | December 27 th | WEST | vs | BIG TEN |
| Independence Bowl | December 23 rd | BIG TEN | vs | SEC |
| Quick Lane Bowl | December 23 rd | BIG TEN or ACC | vs | WILD CARD |
| Cactus Bowl | December 20 th | PAC or WEST | vs | WILD CARD |

* Military Bowl will have one of the **Military Academies** or **Texas A&M, Virginia Tech, Notre Dame** or an **EAST** team that qualify in 4th Place or better in their Conference.

As of January 25, 2017 the NCAA reduced its sanctioned Bowl Games for the FBS to 40 of which the new **Major College Football Division** will only require [27 Bowls](#). The 8 games in Round 1 of the National Championship Playoff Series are home site games followed by 7 Bowl games in the remaining 3 Rounds.

This change will require the NCAA to drop the remaining 16 Bowls for the [2021 Post Season](#). Starting with the 7 long standing Bowls.

Armed Forces Bowl, Lending Tree Bowl, Hawai'i Bowl, Gasparilla Bowl, New Orleans Bowl, New Mexico Bowl and Idaho Potato Bowl.

Along with the 4 Bowls from 2014 to be dropped:

Camelia, Bahamas, Boca Raton and Frisco Bowls.

Finally dropping the new **Cure Bowl** and **Arizona Bowl** added in 2015 and 3 New Bowls from 2020.

National Championship Playoff Series

The 4 Quarter-Final Games at the **Pinstripe Bowl, Liberty Bowl, Redbox Bowl & Sun Bowl**. And 2 Semi-Final Games at the **Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl** and **VRBO Citrus Bowl**. The **National Championship Game** in a different city each year.

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