



Tiered Half-PPR Cheat Sheet

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Quarterbacks

Doc's Notes: There are eight QBs that are in the top tier and then the drop off is steep. I prefer to get someone in the Jackson → Burrow tier if possible. If not, try to get two players between 9-16 so you can play matchups.

Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring
1	Patrick Mahomes II	KC	10	375.4	13	Kirk Cousins	MIN	13	278.9	25	Ryan Tannehill	TEN	7	210
2	Jalen Hurts	PHI	10	376.7	14	Geno Smith	SEA	5	262.2	26	Sam Howell	WAS	14	206
3	Josh Allen	BUF	13	375.18	15	Anthony Richardson	IND	11	281.6	27	Kyler Murray J.	ARI	14	205
4	Lamar Jackson*	BAL	13	328	16	Jared Goff*	DET	9	280.6	28	Deshaun Watson	ATL	11	241.2
5	Justin Herbert*	LAC	5	321.6	17	Aaron Rodgers	NYJ	7	271.6	29	Mac Jones	NE	11	218
6	Trevor Lawrence*	JAC	9	329.04	18	Brock Purdy	SF	9	236	30	Baker Mayfield	TB	5	173
7	Justin Fields	CHI	13	329.6	19	Russell Wilson	DEN	9	268	31	C.J. Stroud	HOU	7	219.5
8	Joe Burrow*	CIN	7	338.2	20	Kenny Pickett	PIT	6	245	32	Jimmy Garoppolo	LV	13	210
9	Tua Tagovailoa	MIA	10	267.9	21	Derek Carr	NO	11	264.5	33	Jacoby Brissett	WAS	14	96
10	Daniel Jones*	NYG	13	306.8	22	Matthew Stafford J.	LAR	10	256	34	Sam Darnold	SF	9	95
11	Dak Prescott	DAL	7	281.8	23	Jordan Love*	GB	6	252.5	35	Joshua Dobbs	ARI	14	86
12	Deshaun Watson	CLE	5	292.1	24	Bryce Young*	CAR	7	256.5	36	Kyle Trask	TB	5	77

Running Backs

Doc's Notes: I have been waiting on RB this season. I love the players from 13-33 and feel like I can start my draft taking WRs and then get two or three RBs from this group.

Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring
1	Christian McCaffrey	SF	9	263.5	23	Alexander Mattison*	MIN	13	191.2	45	Kendre Miller*	NO	11	142.5
2	Austin Ekeler	LAC	5	256.3	24	Dameon Pierce	HOU	7	185.1	46	Tyjae Spears*	TEN	7	113.7
3	Bijan Robinson*	ATL	11	247.4	25	Breece Hall	NYJ	7	178	47	Jaylen Warren	PIT	6	108.3
4	Saquon Barkley	NYG	13	253.4	26	Kenneth Walker III	SEA	5	171.5	48	Roschon Johnson	CHI	13	103.4
5	Nick Chubb	CLE	5	232.4	27	Isiah Pacheco	KC	10	157.1	49	Zamir White*	LV	13	101.4
6	Tony Pollard*	DAL	7	240.7	28	James Conner	ARI	14	166.3	50	Jerick McKinnon	KC	10	99.2
7	Jonathan Taylor	IND	11	244.2	29	Dalvin Cook	NYJ	7	172.1	51	Damien Harris*	BUF	13	149
8	Derrick Henry	TEN	7	222.6	30	D'Andre Swift	PHI	10	160	52	Raheem Mostert	MIA	10	91.7
9	Rhamondre Stevenson*	NE	11	238	31	Brian Robinson Jr.	WAS	14	155.8	53	Kenneth Gainwell	PHI	10	74.1
10	Josh Jacobs	LV	13	216.1	32	Alvin Kamara J.	NO	11	137.5	54	D'Onta Foreman	CHI	13	97
11	Najee Harris	PIT	6	205	33	Zach Charbonnet	SEA	5	143.2	55	Deuce Vaughn	DAL	7	120.1
12	Joe Mixon	CIN	7	205.1	34	Samaje Perine	DEN	9	155	56	Jerome Ford	CLE	5	105.6
13	Jahmyr Gibbs	DET	9	197.6	35	Antonio Gibson	WAS	14	145	57	Devin Singletary	HOU	7	96.6
14	Aaron Jones	GB	6	193.4	36	AJ Dillon	GB	6	160	58	Ty Chandler	MIN	13	81.3
15	J.K. Dobbins*	BAL	13	194.4	37	Elijah Mitchell	SF	9	145.1	59	Chuba Hubbard	CAR	7	72.7
16	Cam Akers*	LAR	10	190	38	Devon Achane*	MIA	10	128.6	60	Kyren Williams	LAR	10	111.3
17	Javonte Williams	DEN	9	127.7	39	Rashaad Penny	PHI	10	141.1	61	Chase Brown	CIN	7	101.2
18	Rachaad White*	TB	5	196	40	Tank Bigsby*	JAC	9	111.8	62	Gus Edwards	BAL	13	85.9
19	Miles Sanders	CAR	7	181.4	41	Khalil Herbert	CHI	13	103.7	63	Clyde Edwards-Helaire J.	KC	10	84.2
20	Travis Etienne Jr.	JAC	9	170.3	42	Jamaal Williams	NO	11	146.5	64	Ezekiel Elliott	NE	11	82.8
21	James Cook	BUF	13	139.2	43	Jeff Wilson Jr.*	MIA	10	109.7	65	Cordarrelle Patterson	ATL	11	86.2
22	David Montgomery	DET	9	149	44	Tyler Allgeier	ATL	11	101.8	66	Keaontay Ingram	ARI	14	83.8

Tight Ends

Doc's Notes: I want to make sure I have one of the top 10 tight ends on this list. Waller could end up as a top-three overall TE if he stays healthy. Kincaid and LaPorta are two rookies who could be difference makers.

Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring
1	Travis Kelce	KC	10	223.5	14	Greg Dulcich	DEN	9	130.5	27	Trey McBride	ARI	14	109
2	Mark Andrews	BAL	13	178	15	Tyler Higbee	LAR	10	118.5	28	Gerald Everett	LAC	5	98.5
3	T.J. Hockenson*	MIN	13	169	16	Sam LaPorta*	DET	9	103.2	29	Michael Mayer	LV	13	80.5
4	Darren Waller*	NYG	13	161.5	17	Jake Ferguson	DAL	7	87.1	30	Logan Thomas	WAS	14	75
5	Kyle Pitts	ATL	11	146	18	Juwan Johnson*	NO	11	121.5	31	Mike Gesicki	NE	11	104
6	George Kittle	SF	9	147	19	Irv Smith Jr.	CIN	7	100.3	32	Dawson Knox	BUF	13	99.5
7	Dallas Goedert	PHI	10	133	20	Cole Kmet J.	CHI	13	116.5	33	Hunter Henry	NE	11	97.5
8	Evan Engram	JAC	9	143.1	21	Hayden Hurst	CAR	7	100	34	Zach Ertz J.	ARI	14	92
9	Pat Freiermuth	PIT	6	142.5	22	Taysom Hill	NO	11	92.5	35	Noah Fant	SEA	5	90
10	Dalton Kincaid*	BUF	13	134.5	23	Jelani Woods	IND	11	91	36	Tyler Conklin	NYJ	7	76
11	David Njoku*	CLE	5	133	24	Cade Otton	TB	5	89.5	37	Austin Hooper	LV	13	74
12	Dalton Schultz	HOU	7	129	25	Luke Musgrave	GB	6	88	38	Donald Parham	LAC	5	59.5
13	Chigoziem Okonkwo	TEN	7	142.5	26	Isaiah Likely	BAL	13	85.5	39	Luke Schoonmaker	DAL	7	59.3

Wide Receivers

Doc's Notes: To win in PPR leagues, I think you are going to need at least four WRs in the first six rounds. After that you can try to cherry-pick players on good offenses who have upside.

Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Scoring
1	Justin Jefferson	MIN	13	264.1	31	Jerry Jeudy	DEN	9	151	61	Darnell Mooney	CHI	13	120.5
2	Ja'Marr Chase*	CIN	7	256.8	32	Tyler Lockett	SEA	5	151.3	62	John Metchie III	HOU	7	111.5
3	Tyreek Hill*	MIA	10	240	33	Brandon Aiyuk	SF	9	154.5	63	Van Jefferson	LAR	10	109.5
4	Cooper Kupp	LAR	10	226.5	34	Marquise Brown	ARI	14	143.5	64	Zay Jones	JAC	9	108.9
5	Stefon Diggs	BUF	13	230.9	35	Courtland Sutton	DEN	9	133.7	65	Allen Lazard	NYJ	7	108
6	CeeDee Lamb	DAL	7	229.5	36	Elijah Moore*	CLE	5	142.5	66	K.J. Osborn*	MIN	13	107.8
7	Amon-Ra St. Brown*	DET	9	208	37	George Pickens*	PIT	6	137.2	67	DJ Chark Jr.	CAR	7	101.3
8	Garrett Wilson*	NYJ	7	236.6	38	Brandin Cooks	DAL	7	131.2	68	Alec Pierce*	IND	11	87
9	Davante Adams	LV	13	213	39	Jahan Dotson	WAS	14	141.5	69	Tyler Boyd	CIN	7	124.5
10	A.J. Brown	PHI	10	219.2	40	Gabe Davis	BUF	13	137.7	70	Rashid Shaheed	NO	11	123
11	Chris Olave*	NO	11	191.1	41	Jordan Addison	MIN	13	132.5	71	Adam Thielen	CAR	7	114
12	DeVonta Smith	PHI	10	194	42	Zay Flowers*	BAL	13	141.2	72	Marquez Valdes-Scantling	KC	10	110
13	Jaylen Waddle	MIA	10	208.5	43	Rashod Bateman	BAL	13	141	73	Jonathan Mingo	CAR	7	107
14	DK Metcalf*	SEA	5	193.7	44	JuJu Smith-Schuster	NE	11	128.5	74	Michael Wilson	ARI	14	97.6
15	DeAndre Hopkins*	TEN	7	197	45	Michael Thomas	NO	11	118.5	75	Isaiah Hodgins	NYG	13	97.3
16	Tee Higgins	CIN	7	178.7	46	Kadarius Toney	KC	10	164.5	76	Donovan Peoples-Jones	CLE	5	86.5
17	Calvin Ridley	JAC	9	174	47	Sky Moore*	KC	10	139.7	77	Michael Gallup	DAL	7	112.5
18	Keenan Allen	LAC	5	157.7	48	Jameson Williams*	DET	9	127	78	Parris Campbell	NYG	13	110.2
19	Drake London*	ATL	11	180.3	49	Quentin Johnston	LAC	5	113.5	79	Robert Woods	HOU	7	90
20	Amari Cooper ↓	CLE	5	173.5	50	Treyton Burks	TEN	7	158.3	80	Josh Downs	IND	11	85.4
21	Deebo Samuel	SF	9	166	51	Jaxon Smith-Njigba	SEA	5	128.5	81	Jayden Reed	GB	6	76.7
22	Chris Godwin	TB	5	156	52	Odell Beckham Jr.	BAL	13	112.3	82	Puka Nacua	LAR	10	61.5
23	Christian Watson	GB	6	156.5	53	Nico Collins	HOU	7	116.5	83	Allen Robinson II	PIT	6	99.7
24	DJ Moore	CHI	13	140.9	54	Rondale Moore	ARI	14	113.5	84	Mecole Hardman Jr.	NYJ	7	99
25	Terry McLaurin	WAS	14	161.5	55	Rashee Rice*	KC	10	92	85	Curtis Samuel	WAS	14	85.2
26	Mike Williams	LAC	5	148.5	56	Jalin Hyatt*	NYG	13	85	86	Chase Claypool	CHI	13	82.5
27	Diontae Johnson	PIT	6	161	57	Jakobi Meyers	LV	13	124.5	87	Marvin Jones Jr.	DET	9	75
28	Christian Kirk	JAC	9	156.8	58	Romeo Doubs	GB	6	117.5	88	Khalil Shakir	BUF	13	72.9
29	Michael Pittman Jr. ↓	IND	11	153.7	59	Marvin Mims Jr.	DEN	9	108.5	89	Calvin Austin III	PIT	6	71.7
30	Mike Evans	TB	5	159	60	Tank Dell	HOU	7	79	90	Demario Douglas	NE	11	70.3

Kickers

Doc's Notes: My leagues barely play with kickers anymore, but if yours does, make sure you get one from a good scoring offense.

Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Rank	Player	Team	Bye	Rank	Player	Team	Bye
1	Justin Tucker	BAL	13	8	Brandon McManus	JAC	9	15	Cairo Santos	CHI	13
2	Evan McPherson	CIN	7	9	Elliott Fry	DEN	9	16	Chase McLaughlin	TB	5
3	Tyler Bass	BUF	13	10	Cade York	CLE	5	17	Matt Prater	ARI	14
4	Harrison Butker	KC	10	11	Dustin Hopkins	LAC	5	18	Matt Gay	IND	11
5	Daniel Carlson	LV	13	12	Graham Gano	NYG	13	19	Joey Slye	WAS	14
6	Jake Moody	SF	9	13	Michael Badgley	DET	9	20	Tristan Vizcaino	DAL	7
7	Younghoe Koo	ATL	11	14	Wil Lutz	NO	11	21	Jason Sanders	MIA	10

Defense/Special Teams

Doc's Notes: I prefer to wait on defenses and stream them throughout the season. New Orleans has a late Bye which I like and Miami could be sneaky too.

Rank	Team	Bye	Rank	Team	Bye	Rank	Team	Bye
1	San Francisco 49ers	9	12	Pittsburgh Steelers	6	23	Detroit Lions	9
2	Dallas Cowboys	7	13	Green Bay Packers	6	24	Los Angeles Chargers	5
3	Philadelphia Eagles	10	14	Jacksonville Jaguars	9	25	Indianapolis Colts	11
4	New York Jets	7	15	Cincinnati Bengals	7	26	Tennessee Titans	7
5	Buffalo Bills	13	16	Cleveland Browns	5	27	Minnesota Vikings	13
6	Miami Dolphins	10	17	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	5	28	Arizona Cardinals	14
7	New Orleans Saints	11	18	Washington Commanders	14	29	Houston Texans	7
8	Denver Broncos	9	19	Los Angeles Rams	10	30	Atlanta Falcons	11
9	New England Patriots	11	20	Carolina Panthers	7	31	Chicago Bears	13
10	Baltimore Ravens	13	21	Seattle Seahawks	5	32	Las Vegas Raiders	13
11	Kansas City Chiefs	10	22	New York Giants	13			