

BCA/Baseball America High School Baseball
2012 Top 25 Rankings
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It's been a trend for the No. 1 team to falter this season, but this time around that extended through the top four teams in the Baseball America/National High School Baseball Coaches Association Top 25. With Calallen (Corpus Christi, Texas), Orange (Calif.) Lutheran, Mater Dei (Santa Ana, Calif.) and Harvard-Westlake (Studio City, Calif.) seeing their seasons end without a state or section title, Parkview High (Lilburn, GA) moved up from No. 5 to the top spot. The Panthers had an extremely difficult schedule and showed well at the National High School Invitational before going on to win the 5-A state title in Georgia.

Carroll High (Corpus Christi, Texas) moved up to No. 3 and jumped Bishop Gorman High (Las Vegas) after advancing to the 5-A state tournament in Texas. The Tigers could face No. 10 Martin High (Arlington) in the finals. Loganville (GA) High started the season in the Top 25, but a slow start dropped the Red Devils from the poll, but they're back in after winning the 4-A state title and will return most of the team in 2013. Newbury Park High of Thousand Oaks, Calif., joins the rankings at No. 17 after winning the Southern Section Division I title—one of the most difficult feats in the country.

#	School-City-State	Record	Rank Previously
1	Parkview HS, Lilburn, GA*	31-6	5
2	Columbus HS, GA*	33-4	6
3	Carroll HS, Corpus Christi, TX	33-4	8
4	Bishop Gorman HS, Las Vegas, NV*	40-3	7
5	American Heritage HS, Plantation, FL*	28-4	9
6	Archbishop McCarthy HS, Southwest Ranches, FL*	27-4	10
7	Campolindo HS, Moraga, CA*	23-4	12
8	Chaparral HS, Scottsdale, AZ*	28-7	13
9	Spruce Creek HS, Port Orange, FL*	28-4	15
10	Arlington Martin HS, TX	36-5	18
11	Christopher Columbus HS, Miami, FL*	27-5	16
12	Vista HS, CA	30-4	24
13	Tampa Jesuit HS, FL**	28-2	17
14	Olympia HS, Orlando, FL**	32-2	19
15	Oak Grove HS, Hattiesburg, MS*	34-3	20
16	Barbe HS, Lake Charles, LA*	35-6	22
17	Newbury Park HS, Thousand Oaks, CA*	21-7	NR
18	Orange Lutheran HS, CA**	23-5	2
19	Mater Dei HS, Santa Ana, CA**	24-6	4
20	Calallen HS, Corpus Christi, TX**	33-2	1
21	Loganville HS, GA*	31-5	NR
22	Pacifica HS, Oxnard, CA*	28-5	NR
23	Venice HS, FL*	24-8	23
24	Harvard-Westlake HS, Studio City, CA**	24-5	3
25	Cherry Creek HS, Greenwood Village, CO*	24-3	NR
	*State Champion **season ended		

Dropped out: #11 Gainesville HS, GA; #14 JW North, Riverside, CA; #21 Moody HS, Corpus Christi, TX;
#25 Defiance HS, OH

The staffs of *Baseball America* and the NHBSCA compile the Top 25 rankings. In-season polls of the top 25 will be conducted every two weeks and released every other Tuesday throughout the season. The first in-season poll will be released on March 13 and the final poll will be released June 12 and will expand to 50 teams. Records indicated do not include ties.