

2016 AAU 8th Grade Nationals Top Performers

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Florida Future 8th 2020 (FL) **Chamiya Clark, C** (2021) - Big body, strong, rebounds well, patrols paint on D, finishes well around bucket, decent shot out to 12 feet.

Florida Future 8th 2020 (FL) **Janay Outten, G/PG** (2021) - Quick, attacks basket off the dribble, good quick foot movement on D, finishes in the open court.

Florida Future 8th 2020 (FL) **Omariah Gordon, G/PG** (2021) - Quick, fast off the dribble, gets to the bucket off dribble with ease, stop and pop midrange shot, good 3pt shooter, excellent defender, aggressive on both ends, good excellent foot speed.

Florida Future 8th 2020 (FL) **Cheyenne Stubbs, G** (2021) - Good passer, quick, knocks down the 3, nice handles, attacks D and gets to the bucket, good midrange jumper.

CT Northstars (CT) **Ashanti Frazier, PG** - Quick, good handles, gets to the bucket off dribble.

CT Northstars (CT) **Elizabeth Litwinko, PG** - Nice handles, good passer, takes it to the hoop off the dribble, quick hands on defense.

Metro Boston (MA) **MacKenzie Daleba, 5'10" W** - Nice frame, deceptive speed, good handles, finishes on break, scores in paint, good anticipation on D, good passer, unselfish.

CT Heights (CT) **Rhonasha Stevenson, PG** - Good first step, quick off the dribble, good handles, takes it to the hole, not afraid/intimidated.

CT Heights (CT) **Ghynaia Morgan, PG** - Thin, good defender with long arms, good 3-pt shooter.

Dayton Flight 2020 Carolina (OH) **Staci Greene, PG** - Good 3pt shooter, unselfish, decent handles.

Dayton Flight 2020 Carolina (OH) **Madeline Westheld, F** - Smooth, scores inside and outside effectively, good passer, runs floor.

Dayton Flight 2020 Carolina (OH) **Olivia Daniels, W/F** - Good rebounder, gets rebound off the glass and pushes it up floor on dribble, decent handles, nice midrange jumper, good passer, runs floor.

Team Providence Silver (NE) **Amaya Dowdy, 5'11" C** - Great size, moves well, long arms, and gets decent post position.

Full Package – Stewart (IL) **Kayla Henning, PG** - Good handles, 3pt range, fast, gets to bucket off dribble, finishes on the break, good defense.

YES! Program (NE) **Lauren Jordan, 5'8" PG** - Good team leader, gets to bucket off dribble, good at drawing fouls, good FT shooter, good team defender, deceptive foot speed.

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Louisville Jaguars 2020 (KY) **Sidney Shephard, 5'5" PG** - Good handles, excellent court vision, good passer, attacks, tough D.

Arkansas Mavericks (AR) **Alexandra "Sasha" Goforth, W** - Long, nice midrange J, good paint defender, big wingspan, decent handles.

Arkansas Mavericks (AR) **Zoey Whiteley, PG** - Knocks down the 3 with ease, attacks in open court and on the break, finishes strong at the basket, good handles, and good team/help defender.

BWSL Norfolk Xpress (VA) **Ja'Naiya Quinerly, 5'5" G** (2021) - Good handles, deep 3-pt range, quick hands and feet on D, fast, quick crossover and explosion to the hoop.

BWSL Norfolk Xpress (VA) **Tinesha Gregory, 5'11" C** - Solid frame, moves well, gets up and down the floor with ease, finishes around the basket, patrols paint on defense with attitude.

BWSL Norfolk Xpress (VA) **Tiyanna James, 5'6" PG** - Very good handles, good passer, drive and dish, not afraid to take it to the bigs.

Greensboro Lady Gaters 2020 (NC) **Nyah Stallings, W** - Decent handles, good court vision and passing, nice running floater, finishes on the break and in open court, knocks down the 3 with accuracy, hawking D.

Greensboro Lady Gaters 2020 (NC) **Thalia Carter, PG** - Fast, very good D, gets out on break and finishes striking at the basket.

Greensboro Lady Gaters 2020 (NC) **Asia Pearley, W** - Good rebounder on both ends, very good at put-backs.

Greensboro Lady Gaters 2020 (NC) **Megan Harkey, C** - Great length, affects shots with her long arms, displays nice midrange touch.

Emerald City Swish Black 2020 (PNW) **Jordyn Jenkins, 6'0" F** - Nice size, decent D, blocks shots, nice scoring touch in the paint.

Emerald City Swish Black 2020 (PNW) **Nakia Boston, 5'7" W** - Nice size, decent D, blocks shots, nice scoring touch in the paint.

Emerald City Swish Black 2020 (PNW) **Ariel Winston, 5'7" PG** - Good midrange and 3-pt game/shot, nice handles, good help defender.

Emerald City Swish Black 2020 (PNW) **Dalayah Daniels, 6'3" F/C** - Long, good passer, good open court and help defender.

North Florida Blue Heat (FL) **Britney Range, 5'9" W** - Good 3-pt shooter, decent handles.

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North Florida Blue Heat (FL) **Skylar Baltezegar, 6'0" C** (2021) - Lefty, soft hands, scores effectively in the paint.

Explosion Basketball (MA) **Liesl Dentinger, 6'1" C** - Gets good post position, unstoppable turnaround shot keeps ball high, runs floor, and defends the paint with a huge wingspan.

NS Hurricanes 8th (SO) **Tykayla Robertson, C** - Soft hands, rebounds, scores around the basket, runs floor well.

Houston Skyrise 14u National-Wheatfall (GU) **Amanda Turpin, 5'9" W** - Nice stroke and decent 3pt shooter, gets out on the break, decent handles, makes well without the ball.

Houston Skyrise 14u National-Wheatfall (GU) **Shadiya Thomas, 5'6" PG** - Quick, good handles, knocks down the midrange and 3pt J with good accuracy.

Houston Skyrise 14u National-Wheatfall (GU) **Riane Burton, 6'0" F** - Hits boards, good defender, runs floor.

Houston Skyrise 14u National-Wheatfall (GU) **Kyndall Hunter, 5'5" PG** (2021) - Good handles and passing, gets in the lane off the dribble, very good court vision and awareness, pretty arc on shot with 3-pt range.

Team Texas Dynasty-Houston (GU) **Laila Blair, G/PG** - Smooth, very good handles, gets to bucket off dribble, finishes on break and in open court, knocks down the three, good aggressive open court and 1-on-1 defender, gets steals, great motor.

Team Texas Dynasty-Houston (GU) **Telisha Brown, G** - Fast, scores in a variety of ways, finishes on the break, fast off dribble.

Avalon Lady Wolves (FL) **Nyia Jarrett, 5'8" G** - Nice midrange jumper with 3pt range, moves well without ball to get open shot.

Avalon Lady Wolves (FL) **Zora Fray-Chinn, 5'8" G** (2021) - Knocks down the midrange "J" along with the 3, good passer and court awareness, takes and hits the big shot, CLUTCH.

Skills Center Lady Elite (FL) **Amarie Godwin, PG** (2021) - Long arms, very good defense, and good handles.

Baton Rouge Lady Tigers Orange (SO) **Ta'Cora Griffin, PG** - Deadly 3-pt shooter, quick, good midrange "J", plays aggressive D, gets to the hoop at will.

Baton Rouge Lady Tigers Orange (SO) **Kenyal Perry, 6'4" C** - Pretty agile, runs floor well, good foot movement, finishes in paint, keeps ball high.

Minnesota Starz-Antl (MN) **Anna Mutch, F** - Nice post game, good court vision, good passer, hits boards on both ends.

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Minnesota Starz-Antl (MN) **Sydney White, W** - Decent handles, good shooter with 3-pt range, decent passer, gets to the bucket in transition.

Cincy Swish-Dennis (OH) **Lauren Klare, F** - Deadly 3pt shooter, decent passer, runs floor.

Cincy Swish-Dennis (OH) **Alexandria Smith, W** - Moves well without the ball, works the baseline, puts kn floor, scores inside, rebounds, 3-pt range.

Maine Firecrackers-Clement (NE) **Gabrielle Wener, 6'1" W** - Long, good shooter with 3pt range, will post up also, runs floor.

Maine Firecrackers-Clement (NE) **Margaret Whitmore, 5'10" F** - Face-up plus dribble-drive in paint, nice touch, finishes at rim.

Central PA Dynamite (MA) **Allison Cambell, 5'9" W** - Smooth, deadly shooter from range, very good passer, good handles, high IQ, finishes on break, good D.

Central PA Dynamite (MA) **Sakeria Haralson, 6'0" C** - Good offensive and defensive rebounder, runs the floor, scores on put backs.

