

James Collier has a frame that has the potential to translate at a very high level. At 6'4" and 215 pounds heading into his sophomore year, he is a very exciting prospect both on the mound and at the plate. With work, the ceiling is very high for James. I'm very excited to see how this season goes and to continue to work with him in the summer.

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My name is Joe Hoda, and I had the privilege of coaching James Collier from 11u through his freshman year of high school. James stands out not only for his exceptional baseball talent and impressive 4.0 GPA, but also for his remarkable personal qualities. His work ethic, sense of humor, and eagerness to learn and improve make him someone people naturally gravitate towards and admire.

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'27 RHP/INF James Collier (Silverton).

A strong, athletic frame beyond his years. At the plate, features slightly open stance with higher leg kick into smooth RH swing. Plus bat speed present. Potential to grow into massive in-game power with added ability to lift the ball. On the mound, topped out at 86 MPH and spin rates nearing 2300 RPM, with more easily in the tank. CH/CB combination mixed in on occasion. Lots to like from 6'4, 215 pound prospect.