Dean Espy (14)
JUNIOR – INF – 6-1, 210 – R/R
Mesa, Ariz. (South Mountain CC)

MLB DRAFT NOTES
Selected in the 2011 MLB Draft by the Kansas City Royals in the 15th round (No. 456 overall)...was also chosen in the 2008 MLB Draft by the Colorado Rockies in the 41st round after his senior year at Red Mountain High School.

AS A JUNIOR (2011)
Played in all 59 games, making 58 starts (57 at first base and one as the designated hitter)...led UCLA with a .320 batting average in 2011, totaling three home runs, 15 doubles, 40 RBI and a .424 slugging percentage...finished the season first on the ballclub with 24 mutliple-hit games, including a season-best four-hit effort and six three-hit games...was second on the team with eight multiple-RBI games, including a team-leading three four-RBI games...batted .336 in all 27 Pac-10 games, finishing conference play with one home run, eight doubles, 18 RBI and four stolen bases in four attempts...led UCLA with a .357 batting average in 27 road games, going 41-for-115 with one homer, 18 RBI and 16 runs...hit safely in eight of the team's final nine games...batted .500 in a three-game series at Arizona State (May 27-29), going 7-for-14 with one home run, two doubles, six RBI and three runs as the Bruins clinched the outright Pac-10 title that weekend...went 4-for-4 with one home run, one double, four RBI and two runs in a 7-0 victory at Arizona State (May 28)...had consecutive three-hit games at Pepperdine (May 3) and at Oregon (May 6) on a week in which the Bruins went 4-0.

AS A SOPHOMORE (2010)
Played in 63 games, making 40 starts (22 at first base, 18 at third base)...was second on the ballclub with a .345 batting average, tied for the team lead in home runs with nine and led the Bruins with 52 RBI...tied for sixth in the Pac-10 with 52 RBI...finished the year with seven doubles, three triples, 35 runs and a team-leading .575 slugging percentage...stole eight bases in nine attempts...ranked fourth on the team with 19 multiple-hit games and was tied for first (with Cody Regis) with 15 multiple-hit games, including two four-hit efforts and four three-hit performances...batted .281 in the postseason, going 9-for-32 with two home runs, seven RBI and five runs...went 6-for-13 with one home run, five RBI and three runs in a three-game series sweep of Nebraska (March 5-6)...went 3-for-4 with one homer, three RBI and two runs in the series finale against Nebraska (March 6), a 5-4 victory – scored the game-winning run in the bottom of the ninth, tagging up from third base on a sacrifice fly to center field by Tyler Rahmatulla...had a season-best day in the series opener against Oral Roberts (March 20), going 4-for-4 with one home run, four RBI and two runs...went 3-for-5 in the series opener against Cal Poly (March 25), collecting one triple, one double and two RBI...went 4-for-6 in two games against Stanford (April 1 and 3)...had a flare single to center field in the bottom of the ninth against Stanford (April 1) to score the game-winning run and extend UCLA's record to 22-0...went 2-for-5 with one triple, one double, one run and one RBI in a 10-0 victory at UC Riverside (April 13)...went 4-for-13 with one home run, four runs and three RBI in a three-game series versus Oregon (April 16-18)...went 5-for-9 in a three-game series sweep at California (May 21-23)...had an RBI-pinch-hit single to hand UCLA the lead in the eighth inning in the series opener (May 21)...went 1-for-2 with a two-run pinch-hit triple in the second game of the series at California (May 22)...went 3-for-4 with one home run, three RBI and two runs in an 11-2 win over California in the series finale (May 23)...capped the regular season with a 2-for-4, four-RBI afternoon versus Washington State (May 30).

BEFORE UCLA (2009)
One-year letterwinner at South Mountain Community College (Phoenix) under head coach Todd Eastin...batted .361 in 60 regular-season games for South Mountain as a freshman (2009)...earned second-team NJCAA All-Region I honors, securing second-team all-conference accolades...ranked sixth in the Arizona Community College Athletic Conference (ACCAC) with 70 hits and third with seven triples...totaled three home runs, 16 doubles, 40 RBI and 36 runs...posted a .425 on-base percentage.

HIGH SCHOOL
Three-year varsity baseball and golf letterwinner at Red Mountain High School (Mesa, Ariz.) under head coaches Henry Faccio and Rick Ross, respectively... selected in the 41st round of the 2008 MLB Draft by the Colorado Rockies...three-time first-team All-Region selection at Red Mountain and two-time Player of the Year...batted .476 with six homers, one triple, 14 doubles, 30 RBI and 49 runs as a senior (2008)...secured 2008 Louisville Slugger first-team preseason All-America honors...batted .588 with 33 RBI as a junior (2007), earning first-team Class 5A All-Tribune accolades from the East Valley Tribune (Scottsdale)...on the golf team, was a two-time first-team All-Region honoree in addition to securing second-team All-Region honors.

PERSONAL
Full name: Richard Dean Espy...born October 30, 1989 in Chandler, Ariz...Dean is the younger of Duane and Lea Espy's two children...has one older sister, Jessica...admires St. Louis Cardinals' first baseman Albert Pujols...father, Duane Espy, played eight seasons in the minor leagues before serving as a minor league manager and major league hitting coach (San Diego, Colorado)...history major.

DEAN ESPY'S CAREER STATISTICS (at UCLA)

Year	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hbp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
2010	.345	63-40	174	38	60	7	3	9	52	100	.575	15	2	30	2	.395	4	3	8-9	221	33	6	.977
2011	.320	59-58	231	32	74	15	0	3	40	98	.424	16	5	38	6	.374	2	5	7-12	450	36	3	.994
TOTAL	.331	122-98	405	70	134	22	3	12	92	198	.489	31	7	68	8	.383	6	8	15-21	671	69	9	.988

DEAN ESPY'S GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (2011, at UCLA)

Date	Opponent	Pos	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	SB	CS	HBP	SAC	SF	GDP	K	PO	A	E	Avg
Feb 18	SAN FRANCISCO	*1b	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	0	.333
Feb 19	SAN FRANCISCO	*1b	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	.333
Feb 20	SAN FRANCISCO	1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.333
Feb 22	PEPPERDINE	*1b	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	1	0	.300
Feb 26	SAN JOSE STATE	*1b	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	3	1	.308
Feb 27	SAN JOSE STATE	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	.235
Feb 27	SAN JOSE STATE	*1b	5	2	2	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	.273
Mar 01	at San Diego State	*1b	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	12	0	0	.259
Mar 04	at Nebraska	*1b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	.258
Mar 05	at Nebraska	*1b	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	.250
Mar 06	at Nebraska	*1b	6	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	.262
Mar 11	GEORGIA	*1b	4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	.283
Mar 12	SAINT MARY'S	*1b	3	2	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	.286
Mar 13	vs USC	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0	.264
Mar 21	at Cal Poly-1	*1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	2	0	.255
Mar 21	at Cal Poly-2	*dh	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.276
Mar 25	at USC	*1b	5	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	8	0	0		.302
Mar 26	at USC	*1b	5	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0		.294
Mar 27	at USC	*1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	0		.282
Mar 29	at Cal State Fullerton	*1b	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	2	0		.293
Apr 01	WASHINGTON	*1b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	6	1	0		.295
Apr 02	WASHINGTON	*1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0		.293
Apr 03	WASHINGTON	*1b	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	1	0		.291
Apr 05	at UC Riverside	*1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	13	2	0		.281
Apr 08	at Washington State	*1b	4	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0		.290
Apr 09	at Washington State	*1b	3	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0		.302
Apr 10	at Washington State	*1b	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	0		.300
Apr 12	LONG BEACH STATE	*1b	4	2	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0		.317
Apr 15	ARIZONA	*1b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	0		.315
Apr 16	ARIZONA	*1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0		.306
Apr 17	ARIZONA	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	11	0	0	.296
Apr 19	SAN DIEGO STATE	*1b	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	9	0	0		.292
Apr 21	at Stanford	*1b	5	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	0		.304
Apr 22	at Stanford	*1b	5	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	0	0		.308
Apr 23	at Stanford	*1b	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0		.306
Apr 26	UC IRVINE	*1b	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	10	0	0		.312
Apr 29	OREGON STATE	*1b	4	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	0		.317
Apr 30	OREGON STATE	*1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0		.312
May 01	OREGON STATE	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	0		.304
May 03	at Pepperdine	*1b	6	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	0		.312
May 06	at Oregon	*1b	5	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0		.321
May 07	at Oregon	*1b	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	1	0		.313
May 08	at Oregon	*1b	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0		.315
May 10	at Long Beach State	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	8	1	0	.308
May 11	UC SANTA BARBARA	*1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	3	0	.303
May 13	CSU BAKERSFIELD	*1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	0	0	.296
May 14	CSU BAKERSFIELD	*1b	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0		.299
May 15	CSU BAKERSFIELD	*1b	4	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0		.303
May 20	CALIFORNIA	*1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	2	0		.300
May 21	CALIFORNIA	*1b	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	3	0		.297
May 22	CALIFORNIA	*1b	5	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0		.305
May 24	at UC Irvine	*1b	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	0	0		.310
May 27	at Arizona State	*1b	5	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	2	0		.312
May 28	at Arizona State	*1b	4	2	4	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	2	0		.325
May 29	at Arizona State	*1b	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0		.322
Jun 03	SAN FRANCISCO	*1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0		.321
Jun 04	FRESNO STATE	*1b	5	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	0	0		.323
Jun 05	SAN FRANCISCO	*1b	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	8	0	1		.325
Jun 05	UC IRVINE	*1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0		.320
Totals		58gs	231	32	74	40	15	0	3	16	7	5	5	5	2	6	38	450	36	3	.320

On base pct. .374 • Slugging pct. .424