



# National Association of Basketball Coaches

## NCAA Division II Men's Basketball Rankings

### January 19, 2021 (Regular Season Poll #6)

	Record	Points	Last
1. Colorado School of Mines	8-0	394	1
2. Northern State (S.D.)	6-0	376	2
3. Northwest Missouri State	8-1	369	3
4. West Liberty (W.Va.)	4-0	353	4
5. Lincoln Memorial (Tenn.)	8-1	334	6
6. West Texas A&M	5-1	318	7
7. Washburn (Kan.)	10-1	309	8
8. Colorado Mesa	9-0	295	9
9. Findlay (Ohio)	7-1	268	11
10. Truman State (Mo.)	10-1	255	12
11. St. Edward's (Texas)	7-1	231	13
12. Mercyhurst (Pa.)	3-0	209	14
13. Queens (N.C.)	8-2	194	15
14. Alabama Huntsville	6-1	187	18
15. DBU (Texas)	7-1	163	20
16. Lubbock Christian (Texas)	6-0	142	22
17. St. Thomas Aquinas (N.Y.)	0-0	122	17
18. Hillsdale (Mich.)	7-1	109	23
19. Valdosta State (Ga.)	6-2	105	5
20. Sioux Falls (S.D.)	4-0	88	25
21. Point Loma (Calif.)	1-0	83	24
22. Azusa Pacific (Calif.)	0-0	81	19
23. Missouri Western	8-2	56	16
24. Fairmont State (W.Va.)	3-1	48	21
25. Texas A&M-Kingsville	9-1	40	NR

Records through Sunday, Jan. 17, 2021.  
Last ranking is from poll of Jan. 12, 2021.

**First place votes** – Colorado School of Mines (14),  
Northwest Missouri State (2).

**Others receiving votes:** Lee (Tenn.) 28, Daemen (N.Y.)  
11, Augusta (Ga.) 10, Augustana (S.D.) 5, Belmont Abbey  
(N.C.) 5, Missouri-St. Louis 5, Southwest Baptist (Mo.) 3,  
Glennville State (W.Va.) 1, MSU Texas 1, Walsh (Ohio) 1,  
West Alabama 1.

**Dropped out:** Augusta (10).

#### Weekly Poll Notes:

Colorado School of Mines remains at the top of the rankings in the new NABC/Division II national poll after moving to the top spot a week ago. The Orediggers had two games postponed last week and are expected to return to the floor Friday – where their first opponent will be No. 8 Colorado Mesa.

The top four spots remained the same, with Northern State at No. 2, Northwest Missouri State at No. 3 and West Liberty at No. 4. Last week's fifth-ranked team, Valdosta State, was swept in a two-game set over the weekend by Lee (who received the most votes of a team outside the top 25) and dropped to 19<sup>th</sup> this week.

The Valdosta State losses and two setbacks by then-No. 10 Augusta allowed several teams to move forward in the rankings, as Lincoln Memorial, West Texas A&M, Washburn and Colorado Mesa moved up one spot apiece and Findlay and Truman State returned to the top 10.

A total of nine conferences have multiple teams in the rankings again this week. This week's rankings have 20 percent of it from the Lone Star Conference -- No. 6 West Texas A&M, No. 11 St. Edward's, No. 15 DBU, No. 16 Lubbock Christian and the lone newcomer this week, No. 25 Texas A&M-Kingsville. Those five teams have a combined record of 34-4 so far this season.

Two of the ranked LSC teams will face off in a head-to-head series this weekend as Texas A&M-Kingsville plays two games at West Texas A&M. Following that set, West Texas A&M will host St. Edward's for two games starting on Monday, Jan. 25 in a series that was originally scheduled to be played in December.