



National Association of Basketball Coaches NCAA Division II Men's Basketball Rankings

2024-25 Rankings – Jan. 14, 2025 (Poll #8)

Washburn has resided near the top of the NABC/Division II national poll for the first two months of the 2024-25 season – and now has reached the pinnacle of the rankings for the first time since Jan. 27, 1992 as the new No. 1 team in the nation. The Ichabods moved into the top spot after Nova Southeastern's loss to Palm Beach Atlantic last week and winning twice to improve to 15-0 on the year.

Daemen, the only other undefeated team left at 14-0, rose to second in the poll and Nova Southeastern dropped into the third spot. Ferris State and Alabama Huntsville each moved up a spot this week as well to complete the top five. With five of the top nine teams in last week's poll suffering losses, the next five positions include three teams that were not in last week's top 10 in No.7 Pace, No. 8 Florida Southern and No. 9 Findlay.

Gannon, who was ranked in the pre-season poll but not since the regular season began, returns to the rankings at No. 21, while Southwest Minnesota State is back in at No. 22 and Palm Beach Atlantic at No. 23.

NABC Division II Coaches Poll (Jan. 14, 2025 – Regular Season Poll #8)

	Record	Points	Previous
1. Washburn, Kan. (14)	15-0	398	2
2. Daemen, N.Y. (1)	14-0	378	3
3. Nova Southeastern, Fla. (1)	14-1	365	1
4. Ferris State, Mich.	16-1	353	5
5. Alabama Huntsville	15-1	346	6
6. Lake Superior State, Mich.	14-2	279	10
7. Pace, N.Y.	15-1	273	11
8. Florida Southern	15-2	261	12
9. Findlay, Ohio	14-1	258	13
10. West Liberty, W.Va.	12-2	248	7
11. Lincoln Memorial, Tenn.	11-2	238	14
12. Colorado School of Mines	12-2	213	15
13. Fairmont State, W.Va.	12-2	205	9
14. Minot State, N.D.	17-2	192	4
15. Missouri S&T	11-1	181	17
16. DBU, Texas	15-3	153	8
17. Saint Martin's, Wash.	16-2	139	18
18. Valdosta State, Ga.	13-2	134	19
19. MSU Denver, Colo.	12-2	124	22
20. Hillsdale, Mich.	14-2	112	20
21. Gannon, Pa.	14-2	61	NR
22. Southwest Minnesota State	13-3	56	NR
23. Palm Beach Atlantic, Fla.	13-2	52	NR
24. Lenoir-Rhyne, N.C.	12-3	48	16
25. Columbus State, Ga.	11-2	46	25

Others receiving votes: Chico State (Calif.) 34, Coker (S.C.) 11, Northern Michigan 8, Southern Nazarene (Okla.) 6, Adelphi (N.Y.) 5, Midwestern State (Texas) 5, Winona State (Minn.) 5, Cal State Dominguez Hills 4, Fort Hays State (Kan.) 4, Northwest Nazarene (Idaho) 4, Lewis (Ill.) 1.

Dropped out: Coker (21), Southern Nazarene (23), Assumption (24).

Records are through games of Sunday, Jan. 12. Previous ranking was from Jan. 7 poll.