



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

2023-24 Rankings – Jan. 9, 2024 (Poll #7)

Florida Southern ended Nova Southeastern's lengthy winning streak last week, bringing a new team – MSU Moorhead – to the top of the NABC/Division II men's basketball rankings for the first time in program history. The Dragons, who are 14-0 along with fellow Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference rival and No. 2-ranked Minnesota State, won two road games over the weekend to secure the top spot in the poll.

Nova Southeastern dropped to third and the next five spots went unchanged, with West Texas A&M still at No. 4 and Saint Martin's in the fifth spot. But due to a number of losses involving ranked teams last week, there was a shuffle in the rankings beyond the eighth spot and four new teams entered the poll as a result. East Stroudsburg, Cal State LA, Colorado School of Mines and Lander all joined the top 25. Cal State LA is ranked for the first time since Dec. 11, 2000 and Lander is among the top 25 for the first time since Jan. 6, 2015.

NABC Division II Coaches Poll (Jan. 9, 2023 – Regular Season Poll #7)

	Record	Points	Previous
1. MSU Moorhead, Minn. (15)	14-0	399	2
2. Minnesota State (1)	14-0	385	3
3. Nova Southeastern, Fla.	11-1	357	1
4. West Texas A&M	12-1	345	4
5. Saint Martin's, Wash.	13-1	321	5
6. DBU, Texas	11-1	311	6
7. North Georgia	11-1	286	7
8. Benedict, S.C.	12-0	271	8
9. Fort Lewis, Colo.	12-1	270	10
10. Angelo State, Texas	12-1	263	11
11. Colorado Mesa	11-2	238	14
12. Ferris State, Mich.	12-2	221	15
13. California, Pa.	12-1	190	9
14. Northwest Missouri State	11-3	182	19
15. Chico State, Calif.	10-2	153	20
16. East Stroudsburg, Pa.	11-1	130	NR
17. Central Oklahoma	13-3	115	12
18. St. Thomas Aquinas, N.Y.	11-2	112	13
19. West Georgia	11-2	102	24
20. Gannon, Pa.	11-2	73	17
21. Cal State LA	11-2	64	NR
22. Cal State San Bernardino	10-3	54	16
23. Colorado School of Mines	12-3	49	NR
24. Lander, S.C.	10-2	44	NR
25. West Liberty, W.Va.	9-3	37	22

Others receiving votes: Post (Conn.) 36, Fort Hays State (Kan.) 29, Minot State (N.D.) 24, Catawba (N.C.) 22, USC Aiken (S.C.) 20, Florida Tech 14, Washburn (Kan.) 14, Saint Michael's (Vt.) 11, Ashland (Ohio) 10, Indianapolis (Ind.) 10, Charleston (W.Va.) 7, Missouri Western 7, Upper Iowa 7, Florida Southern 5, Lubbock Christian (Texas) 4, Minnesota Duluth 3, Emporia State (Kan.) 2, Concord (W.Va.) 1, UNC Pembroke (N.C.) 1.

Dropped out: Post (18), USC Aiken (21), Minnesota Duluth (23), Florida Tech (25).

Records are through games of Sunday, Jan. 7. Previous ranking was from the Jan. 2, 2024 poll.