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USA TODAY SPORTS WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COACHES POLL - 12/21/2021

The USA TODAY Sports Top 25 women's basketball poll, with team's RECORDS THROUGH MONDAY in parentheses, total points based on 25 for first place through one point for 25th, ranking in last week's poll and first-place votes received.

Rank	School (record)	Points	Last Week's Rank	First-Place Votes
1	South Carolina (11-0)	775	1	31
2	Stanford (8-2)	728	3	0
3	Louisville (10-1)	713	4	0
4	North Carolina State (11-2)	656	2	0
5	Arizona (10-0)	617	8	0
6	Indiana (9-2)	594	7	0
7	Michigan (11-1)	554	11	0
8	Maryland (9-3)	534	10	0
9	Baylor (9-2)	512	5	0
10	Tennessee (10-1)	488	9	0
11	Connecticut (6-3)	477	6	0
12	Georgia (10-1)	449	14	0
13	Texas (8-1)	435	12	0
14	Iowa State (11-1)	397	13	0
15	Iowa (6-2)	286	15	0
16	South Florida (9-3)	229	16	0
17	Notre Dame (10-2)	228	18	0
18	Texas A&M (10-2)	210	17	0
19	Georgia Tech (9-2)	183	21	0
20	North Carolina (10-0)	174	20	0
21	Kentucky (7-3)	173	19	0
22	Brigham Young (9-1)	166	22	0
23	Duke (9-1)	101	25	0

24	Ohio State (8-2)	78	24	0
25	Florida Gulf Coast (10-1)	69	NR	0

**Dropped out:** No. 23 Oregon (6-4).

**Others receiving votes:** LSU (10-1) 66; Nebraska (11-0) 51; Colorado (11-0) 49; Oklahoma (9-1) 44; Central Florida (8-2) 9; Oregon State (7-3) 9; UCLA (5-3) 6; Arkansas (10-2) 4; DePaul (11-2) 4; Missouri State (8-2) 3; Coastal Carolina (10-1) 2; Gonzaga (8-3) 2.

**Note:** One ballot is missing. Robyn Fralick of Bowling Green could not be reached before the voting deadline.