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The USA TODAY Sports Top 25 women's basketball coaches' poll, with team's RECORDS THROUGH MONDAY in parentheses, total points based on 25 points 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.	Connecticut (11-0)	775	1	31
2.	Notre Dame (11-1)	739	2	0
3.	Louisville (12-0)	715	3	0
4.	Maryland (11-0)	659	5	0
5.	Oregon (11-1)	633	7	0
6.	Baylor (8-1)	597	6	0
7.	Mississippi State (11-1)	591	4	0
8.	Stanford (9-1)	576	9	0
9.	North Carolina State (12-0)	523	10	0
10.	Tennessee (9-1)	512	8	0
11.	Oregon State (9-2)	433	11	0
12.	Texas (9-2)	400	12	0
13.	California (9-1)	371	13	0
14.	Syracuse (11-2)	351	14	0
15.	Minnesota (11-0)	318	16	0
16.	Iowa (9-2)	303	15	0
17.	Kentucky (12-1)	229	18 (Tie)	0
18.	Arizona State (9-2)	224	20	0
19.	Marquette (9-3)	218	17	0
20.	DePaul (9-3)	210	18 (Tie)	0
21.	Gonzaga (11-1)	175	21	0
22.	Michigan State (10-1)	154	22	0
23.	Miami (Fla.) (11-2)	98	23	0
24.	Texas A&M (10-2)	83	24	0
25.	Florida State (11-1)	49	not ranked	0

Dropped out: No. 25 Southern California (10-1).

Others receiving votes: Virginia Tech (12-0) 40; Southern California (10-1) 26; South Carolina (7-4) 18; Iowa State (9-2) 13; West Virginia (8-2) 9; Alabama at Birmingham (11-1) 6; Missouri (10-3) 5; South Alabama (11-0) 5; Central Florida (10-2) 4; Michigan (9-3) 4; South Dakota (12-2) 4; New Mexico (10-1) 3; Central Michigan (8-2) 1; Indiana (11-1) 1.

Note: Michael Shafer of Richmond could not be reached by the voting deadline.

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