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USA TODAY SPORTS WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COACHES POLL — 12/4/2018

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 (7-0)	775	2	31
2.	Notre Dame (7-1)	722	1	0
3.	Oregon (7-0)	707	3	0
4.	Louisville (8-0)	678	4	0
5.	Baylor (7-0)	660	5	0
6.	Mississippi State (8-0)	627	6	0
7.	Maryland (8-0)	583	8	0
8.	Oregon State (6-1)	555	9	0
9.	Tennessee (6-0)	512	11	0
10.	North Carolina State (8-0)	473	13	0
11.	Stanford (6-1)	471	7	0
12.	Texas (7-1)	459	10	0
13.	California (7-0)	319	18	0
14.	Syracuse (7-2)	310	12	0
15.	Marquette (6-1)	291	17	0
16.	Iowa (5-2)	279	15	0
17.	DePaul (5-3)	245	14	0
18.	Minnesota (7-0)	217	not ranked	0
19. (Tie)	Arizona State (5-2)	200	23	0
19. (Tie)	Kentucky (8-0)	200	25	0
21.	Drake (7-1)	182	24	0
22.	Gonzaga (8-1)	99	not ranked	0
23.	Miami (Fla.) (7-2)	83	20	0
24.	South Carolina (4-4)	77	19	0
25.	Missouri (6-2)	63	not ranked	0

Dropped out: No. 16 Texas A&M (4-2), No. 21 West Virginia (4-2), No. 22 Iowa State (6-1).

Others receiving votes: Iowa State (6-1) 54; Southern California (8-0) 45; Texas A&M (4-2) 45; Florida State (7-1) 34; South Florida (6-2) 31; West Virginia (4-2) 25; Virginia Tech (8-0) 16; Kansas (6-0) 12; Michigan (5-3) 8; South Dakota (7-1) 5; Alabama at Birmingham (6-1) 4; Central Florida (6-1) 2; New Mexico (5-1) 2; South Alabama (6-0) 2; Indiana (7-0) 1; Michigan State (6-1) 1; Tulane (6-1) 1.

Note: Diane Richardson of Towson could not be reached by the voting deadline.

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