

WBCA NCAA Division III Coaches' Poll — 2/17/2026

The WBCA NCAA Division III Top 25 women's basketball coaches' poll, with teams' RECORDS THROUGH SUNDAY 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)	Total Points	Last Week's Rank	First-Place Votes
1	NYU (22-0)	250	1	10
2	Scranton (23-0)	240	2	0
3	Johns Hopkins (22-0)	229	3	0
4	Washington and Lee (23-0)	217	4	0
5	Smith (22-1)	208	6	0
6	Bowdoin (22-1)	199	7	0
7	UW-Oshkosh (21-2)	191	5	0
8	Baldwin-Wallace (21-2)	174	8	0
9	Ohio Wesleyan (20-2)	157	11	0
10	Denison (22-1)	152	13	0
11	Hope (20-3)	150	12	0
12	John Carroll (20-3)	139	9	0
13	Bates (21-3)	122	10	0
14	UW-Whitewater (18-5)	116	14	0
15	Ripon (22-2)	104	15	0
16	Christopher Newport (19-4)	84	17	0
17	Illinois Wesleyan (18-5)	83	19	0
18	William Paterson (23-1)	82	18	0
19	Chicago (16-5)	76	20	0
20	Carroll, WI (20-4)	63	21	0
21	Washington-St. Louis (17-5)	59	16	0
22	Trine (21-3)	48	22	0
23	SUNY-Cortland (20-3)	33	23	0
24	Concordia-Moorhead (20-3)	24	RV	0
25	Southern Maine (22-2)	14	25	0

Dropped out: No. 24 UW-Platteville (17-6).

Others receiving votes: Carnegie Mellon (13-8) 10; Linfield (20-3) 7; UW-Platteville (17-6) 4; Hardin-Simmons (18-5) 3; SUNY-New Paltz (21-2) 3; Texas Lutheran (16-7) 3; Johnson & Wales, RI (19-4) 2; Brooklyn (21-3) 1; Saint Mary's, MN (19-4) 1; Transylvania (20-4) 1; UW-La Crosse (15-8) 1.

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