

2026 NCAA® DIVISION I MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

FIRST ROUND
3/19-3/20

SECOND ROUND
3/21-3/22

SWEET 16®
3/26-3/27

ELITE EIGHT®
3/28-3/29

FINAL FOUR®
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FIRST FOUR®

16 UMBC (24-8) 83
16 Howard (23-10) 86

11 Texas (18-14) 68
11 NC State (20-13) 66

DAYTON
3/17-3/18

(18-17) Prairie View A&M 16
(18-16) Lehigh 16

(31-1) Miami (Ohio) 11
(20-13) SMU 11

1 Duke (32-2)

16 Siena (23-11)

8 Ohio St. (21-12)

9 TCU (22-11)

5 St. John's (28-6)

12 Northern Iowa (23-12)

4 Kansas (23-10)

13 Cal Baptist (25-8)

6 Louisville (23-10)

11 South Florida (25-8)

3 Michigan St. (25-7)

14 North Dakota St. (27-7)

7 UCLA (23-11)

10 UCF (21-11)

2 UConn (29-5)

15 Furman (22-12)

1 Florida (26-7)

16 PVAMU vs 16 LEHIGH

8 Clemson (24-10)

9 Iowa (21-12)

5 Vanderbilt (26-8)

12 McNeese (28-5)

4 Nebraska (26-6)

13 Troy (22-11)

6 North Carolina (24-8)

11 VCU (27-7)

3 Illinois (24-8)

14 Penn (18-11)

7 Saint Mary's (27-5)

10 Texas A&M (21-11)

2 Houston (28-6)

15 Idaho (21-14)

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*On March 15, the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee will select eight teams to play in the First Four. Those games are scheduled for March 17 and 18 in Dayton. The four winning teams will advance to first-round sites to be determined by the committee during selection weekend. First-/second-round and regional sites will be placed in the bracket by the committee on March 16.
March 19 and 21 first-/second-round sites: Buffalo, NY; Greenville, SC; Oklahoma City, OK; Portland, OR.
March 20 and 22 first-/second-round sites: Tampa, FL; Philadelphia, PA; San Diego, CA; St. Louis, MO.
March 26 and 28 regional sites: Houston, TX (South); San Jose, CA (West).
March 27 and 29 regional sites: Chicago, IL (Midwest); Washington, D.C. (East).

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