

# N.T.C.A. Media Poll

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<b>RANK</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Season Record (W-L)</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place Votes</b>	<b>A.P.S.</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b><i>Fairleigh Dickinson University</i></b>	<b><i>(67 - 15)</i></b>	<b><i>15</i></b>	<b><i>448</i></b>
<b>2.</b>	<b><i>Valparaiso University</i></b>	<b><i>(57 - 22)</i></b>	<b><i>1</i></b>	<b><i>382</i></b>
<b>3.</b>	<b><i>Sacred Heart University</i></b>	<b><i>(47 - 14)</i></b>		<b><i>368</i></b>
<b>4.</b>	<b><i>Arkansas State University</i></b>	<b><i>(48 - 16)</i></b>		<b><i>342</i></b>
<b>5.</b>	<b><i>Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore</i></b>	<b><i>(62 - 22)</i></b>		<b><i>326</i></b>
<b>6.</b>	<b><i>University of Central Missouri</i></b>	<b><i>(46 - 18)</i></b>		<b><i>310</i></b>
<b>7.</b>	<b><i>Vanderbilt University</i></b>	<b><i>(48 - 23)</i></b>		<b><i>268</i></b>
<b>8.</b>	<b><i>University of Nebraska</i></b>	<b><i>(37 - 13)</i></b>		<b><i>262</i></b>
<b>9.</b>	<b><i>Sam Houston State university</i></b>	<b><i>(53 - 26)</i></b>		<b><i>214</i></b>
<b>10.</b>	<b><i>Stephen F. Austin University</i></b>	<b><i>(46 - 36)</i></b>		<b><i>170</i></b>
<b>11.</b>	<b><i>New Jersey City University</i></b>	<b><i>(35 - 22)</i></b>		<b><i>150</i></b>
<b>12.</b>	<b><i>Norfolk State University</i></b>	<b><i>(56 - 20)</i></b>		<b><i>124</i></b>
<b>13.</b>	<b><i>Kutztown University</i></b>	<b><i>(35-24)</i></b>		<b><i>110</i></b>
<b>14.</b>	<b><i>Delaware State University</i></b>	<b><i>(42 - 28)</i></b>		<b><i>83</i></b>
<b>15.</b>	<b><i>Univ. of Wisconsin Whitewater</i></b>	<b><i>(28 - 25)</i></b>		<b><i>78</i></b>
<b>16.</b>	<b><i>Adelphi University</i></b>	<b><i>(42 - 29)</i></b>		<b><i>73</i></b>
<b>17.</b>	<b><i>Monmouth University</i></b>	<b><i>(38 - 37)</i></b>		<b><i>51</i></b>
<b>18.</b>	<b><i>St. Francis University (PA)</i></b>	<b><i>(41 - 31)</i></b>		<b><i>39</i></b>
<b>19.</b>	<b><i>St. Peter's College</i></b>	<b><i>(49 -25)</i></b>		<b><i>33</i></b>
<b>20.</b>	<b><i>Alabama A&amp;M</i></b>	<b><i>(28 - 16)</i></b>		<b><i>27</i></b>

***Also receiving points:***

*Fayetteville St., St. Francis (NY), Elizabeth City St., UAB & St. Augustine's*

**Voting System**

NTCA voters rank the top 20 teams on their ballot. Each position has a designated point value, ranging from 32 points for first place and one point for twentieth place. The actual ranking position is determined by using the adjusted point standings (**A.P.S.**), which lists in priority order the total points a school has accumulated after the highest and lowest votes are dropped.