

# 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>Valparaiso University</i></b>	<b><i>(30 – 8)</i></b>	<b><i>10</i></b>	<b><i>369</i></b>
<b>2.</b>	<b><i>Fairleigh Dickinson University</i></b>	<b><i>(45 – 12)</i></b>	<b><i>4</i></b>	<b><i>345</i></b>
<b>3.</b>	<b><i>Sacred Heart University</i></b>	<b><i>(37 – 9)</i></b>		<b><i>320</i></b>
<b>4.</b>	<b><i>Sam Houston State University</i></b>	<b><i>(40 – 13)</i></b>		<b><i>300</i></b>
<b>5.</b>	<b><i>University of Central Missouri</i></b>	<b><i>(26 – 12)</i></b>		<b><i>261</i></b>
<b>6.</b>	<b><i>Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore</i></b>	<b><i>(37 – 9)</i></b>		<b><i>254</i></b>
<b>7.</b>	<b><i>Vanderbilt University</i></b>	<b><i>(30 – 13)</i></b>		<b><i>248</i></b>
<b>8.</b>	<b><i>Arkansas State University</i></b>	<b><i>(27 – 11)</i></b>		<b><i>200</i></b>
<b>9.</b>	<b><i>University of Nebraska</i></b>	<b><i>(18 – 6)</i></b>		<b><i>184</i></b>
<b>10.</b>	<b><i>New Jersey City University</i></b>	<b><i>(24 – 8)</i></b>		<b><i>162</i></b>
<b>11.</b>	<b><i>Stephen F. Austin University</i></b>	<b><i>(25 – 16)</i></b>		<b><i>122</i></b>
<b>12.</b>	<b><i>Delaware State University</i></b>	<b><i>(30 – 17)</i></b>		<b><i>90</i></b>
<b>13.</b>	<b><i>St. Francis University (PA)</i></b>	<b><i>(33 – 14)</i></b>		<b><i>83</i></b>
<b>14T.</b>	<b><i>Kutztown University</i></b>	<b><i>(24 – 20)</i></b>		<b><i>73</i></b>
<b>14T.</b>	<b><i>Norfolk State University</i></b>	<b><i>(32 – 14)</i></b>		<b><i>73</i></b>
<b>14T.</b>	<b><i>Monmouth University</i></b>	<b><i>(26 – 21)</i></b>		<b><i>73</i></b>
<b>17.</b>	<b><i>St. Peter's College</i></b>	<b><i>(32 – 12)</i></b>		<b><i>59</i></b>
<b>18.</b>	<b><i>Univ. of Wisconsin Whitewater</i></b>	<b><i>(13 – 12)</i></b>		<b><i>41</i></b>
<b>19.</b>	<b><i>Adelphi University</i></b>	<b><i>(32 – 24)</i></b>		<b><i>37</i></b>
<b>20.</b>	<b><i>St. Francis College (NY)</i></b>	<b><i>(23 – 23)</i></b>		<b><i>6</i></b>

**Also receiving points:**

*Alabama A&M Univ.; Florida A&M Univ., Fayetteville St., Elizabeth City St., Bowie St. & 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.