



2026-27 KENTUCKY WILDCATS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Southeastern Conference - All times Eastern

Updated: June 25, 2026 (SEC opponents released)

Nonconference Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (ET)	TV
Tue, Nov 3	vs Manhattan	TBA	TBA
Fri, Nov 6	vs James Madison	TBA	TBA
Tue, Nov 10	vs Kansas (Champions Classic, Chicago)	TBA	TBA
Fri, Nov 13	vs Northern Arizona	TBA	TBA
Mon, Nov 16	vs Grambling State	TBA	TBA
Fri, Nov 20	vs Indiana (Indianapolis)	TBA	TBA
Wed, Dec 2	at Virginia (ACC/SEC Challenge)	TBA	TBA
Tue, Dec 8	vs Bryant	TBA	TBA
Sat, Dec 12	vs Louisville	TBA	TBA
Sat, Dec 19	vs North Carolina (CBS Classic, New York)	2:30 PM	CBS
Tue, Dec 22	vs Sacred Heart	TBA	TBA
Mon, Dec 28	vs Gardner-Webb	TBA	TBA

SEC Conference Play - dates, times and TV announced later this summer

HOME (Rupp Arena, Lexington)	ROAD GAMES
vs Alabama	at Florida
vs Arkansas	at Georgia
vs Auburn	at Mississippi State
vs LSU	at Missouri
vs Ole Miss	at Oklahoma
vs South Carolina	at Ole Miss
vs Tennessee	at Tennessee
vs Texas A&M	at Texas
vs Vanderbilt	at Vanderbilt

Ole Miss, Tennessee and Vanderbilt are played twice (home and away). Plus 2 nonconference games still to be announced - 30 of 32 games are set.

2027 SEC Tournament - Bridgestone Arena, Nashville, TN

ROUND	DATE	NOTES
First Round	Wed, Mar 10	Seeds 9-16
Second Round	Thu, Mar 11	Seeds 5-8 enter
Quarterfinals	Fri, Mar 12	Top 4 seeds enter (double-bye)
Semifinals	Sat, Mar 13	Final Four
Championship	Sun, Mar 14	Automatic NCAA bid

All 16 SEC teams, single elimination. The top four seeds earn double-byes to the quarterfinals; seeding is set by regular-season standings. Champion earns the SEC automatic 2027 NCAA Tournament bid. Games air on ESPN networks and the SEC Network; tip times are confirmed in early March.

Bold = confirmed tip-off time and TV network. SEC game dates, times and networks will be released later this summer.