



2026 KENTUCKY WILDCATS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Southeastern Conference - All times Eastern

Updated: July 20, 2026 (SEC Championship Game added)

WK	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (ET)	TV
1	Sat, Sep 5	vs Youngstown State Penguins	1:00 PM	SEC Network+
2	Sat, Sep 12	vs Alabama Crimson Tide	3:30 PM	ABC
3	Sat, Sep 19	@ Texas A&M Aggies	3:30 PM	ESPN/ESPN2
4	Sat, Sep 26	vs South Alabama Jaguars	12:45 PM	SEC Network
5	Sat, Oct 3	@ South Carolina Gamecocks	Flex	TBA
6	Sat, Oct 10	vs LSU Tigers	Night	TBA
7	Sat, Oct 17	@ Oklahoma Sooners	Flex	TBA
8	Sat, Oct 24	vs Vanderbilt Commodores	Night	TBA
BYE	Sat, Oct 31	Open Date - Bye Week	-	-
10	Sat, Nov 7	@ Tennessee Volunteers	Night	TBA
11	Sat, Nov 14	vs Florida Gators	Night	TBA
12	Sat, Nov 21	@ Missouri Tigers	Night	TBA
13	Sat, Nov 28	vs Louisville Cardinals	Early	TBA
CCG	Sat, Dec 5	SEC Championship (if qualified)	TBD	ABC

Bold = ESPN-confirmed time/TV. Window games (Early = Noon-1 PM, Afternoon = 3:30-4:30 PM, Night = 6-8 PM, Flex = Afternoon or Night) have a set TV window; exact kickoff and network are announced about six days before each game.

SEC Championship Game: Saturday, December 5, 2026 at Mercedes-Benz Stadium, Atlanta - team plays only if it finishes top two in the SEC.