

Monday, January 19, 2026

Michigan Unanimous No. 1 in Week 16 of USA Hockey Men's College Hockey Poll

Michigan State, Western Michigan, North Dakota and Wisconsin round out top five

Rank	School	Last Week's Rank	2025-26 Record	Weeks in Top 20
1	University of Michigan, 680 (34)	1	20-4-0	16
2	Michigan State University, 639	3	17-5-0	16
3	Western Michigan University, 589	4	16-6-0	16
4	University of North Dakota, 552	5	18-6-0	16
5	University of Wisconsin, 545	2	15-5-2	16
6	University of Minnesota Duluth, 506	6	17-7-0	13
7	Quinnipiac University, 492	7	18-4-2	16
8	Penn State University, 454	8	16-6-0	16
9	University of Denver, 398	10	13-10-2	16
10	Dartmouth College, 360	9	14-4-1	10
11	Providence College, 337	14	13-7-2	16
12	Cornell University, 299	12	12-5-0	16
13	University of Connecticut, 261	11	13-7-3	16
T-14	Augustana University, 219	15	16-6-3	4
T-14	Boston College, 219	13	11-8-1	16
16	University of St. Thomas, 152	T-18	14-7-3	4
17	University of Maine, 134	16	12-9-2	16
18	Boston University, 84	20	12-10-1	15
19	Michigan Tech University, 51	RV	16-8-2	1
20	Minnesota State University, 49	17	12-8-5	16

Others Receiving Votes: Northeastern University, 33; St. Cloud State University, 30; Harvard University, 15; Princeton University, 11; Union College, 10; Arizona State University, 8; University of Massachusetts, 5; Bemidji State University, 3; Miami University, 3; RIT, 1.

Top 20 Matchups: Friday, Jan. 23; No. 18 Boston University at No. 11 Providence, No. 10 Dartmouth at No. 12 Cornell, No. 8 Penn State at No. 5 Wisconsin, No. 3 Western Michigan at No. 6 Minnesota Duluth. **Saturday, Jan. 24;** No. T-14 Augustana at No. 20 Minnesota State, No. 11 Providence at No. 18 Boston University, No. 8 Penn State at No. 5 Wisconsin, No. 3 Western Michigan at No. 6 Minnesota Duluth.

Notes: Hockey East leads the country with five ranked teams. The Big Ten, the CCHA and the NCHC have four while ECAC Hockey has three ranked programs ... Team records are listed as W-L-T.

About the Poll: The 31st annual [USA Hockey Men's College Hockey Poll](#) is conducted each week in conjunction with the [American Hockey Coaches Association](#). The poll includes input from coaches and journalists representing each of the six NCAA Division I ice hockey conferences, as well as composite votes from officers of the AHCA and USA Hockey.