

Preseason #1 Basketball Teams, Associated Press Poll — Final Results (1980-Present)

Season/Team, Conference	Coach	Record	NCAA Seed, Result
1979-80 Indiana*^, Big Ten	Bobby Knight	21-8	#2, Sweet 16
1980-81 Kentucky, SEC	Joe B. Hall	22-6	#2, Round of 32
1981-82 North Carolina*^, ACC	Dean Smith	32-2	#1, CHAMPIONS
1982-83 Virginia^, ACC	Terry Holland	29-5	#1, Elite Eight
1983-84 North Carolina^, ACC	Dean Smith	28-3	#1, Sweet 16
1984-85 Georgetown*, Big East	John Thompson	35-3	#1, Runner-up
1985-86 Georgia Tech, ACC	Bobby Cremins	27-7	#2, Sweet 16
1986-87 North Carolina^, ACC	Dean Smith	32-4	#1, Elite Eight
1987-88 Syracuse*, Big East	Jim Boeheim	26-9	#3, Round of 32
1988-89 Duke, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	28-8	#2, Final Four
1989-90 UNLV*^, Big West	Jerry Tarkanian	35-5	#1, CHAMPIONS
1990-91 UNLV*^, Big West	Jerry Tarkanian	34-1	#1, Final Four
1991-92 Duke*^, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	34-2	#1, CHAMPIONS
1992-93 Michigan, Big Ten	Steve Fisher	31-5	#1, Runner-up
1993-94 North Carolina*, ACC	Dean Smith	28-7	#1, Round of 32
1994-95 Arkansas, SEC	Nolan Richardson	32-7	#2, Runner-up
1995-96 Kentucky^, SEC	Rick Pitino	34-2	#1, CHAMPIONS
1996-97 Cincinnati^, CUSA	Bob Huggins	26-8	#3, Round of 32
1997-98 Arizona*^, Pac-10	Lute Olson	30-5	#1, Elite Eight
1998-99 Duke*^, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	37-2	#1, Runner-up
1999-00 Connecticut*, Big East	Jim Calhoun	25-10	#5, Round of 32
2000-01 Arizona, Pac-10	Lute Olson	28-8	#2, Runner-up
2001-02 Duke*, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	31-4	#1, Sweet 16
2002-03 Arizona^, Pac-10	Lute Olson	28-4	#1, Elite Eight
2003-04 Connecticut*, Big East	Jim Calhoun	33-6	#2, CHAMPIONS
2004-05 Kansas^, Big 12	Bill Self	23-7	#3, Round of 64
2005-06 Duke*^, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	32-4	#1, Sweet 16
2006-07 Florida*^, SEC	Billy Donovan	35-5	#1, CHAMPIONS
2007-08 North Carolina*^, ACC	Roy Williams	36-3	#1, Final Four
2008-09 North Carolina^, ACC	Roy Williams	34-4	#1, CHAMPIONS
2009-10 Kansas*^, Big 12	Bill Self	33-3	#1, Round of 32
2010-11 Duke*, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	32-5	#1, Sweet 16
2011-12 North Carolina^, ACC	Roy Williams	32-6	#1, Elite Eight
2012-13 Indiana^, Big Ten	Tom Crean	29-7	#1, Sweet 16
2013-14 Kentucky, SEC	John Calipari	29-11	#8, Runner-up
2014-15 Kentucky*^, SEC	John Calipari	38-1	#1, Final Four
2015-16 North Carolina*^, ACC	Roy Williams	33-7	#1, Runner-up
2016-17 Duke*, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	28-9	#2, Round of 32
2017-18 Duke, ACC	Mike Krzyzewski	29-8	#2, Elite Eight
2018-19 Kansas, Big 12	Bill Self	26-10	#4, Round of 32
2019-20 Michigan State^, Big Ten	Tom Izzo	22-9	(COVID)
2020-21 Gonzaga*^, West Coast	Mark Few	31-1	#1, Runner-up
2021-22 Gonzaga*^, West Coast	Mark Few	28-4	#1, Sweet 16
2022-23 North Carolina, ACC	Hubert Davis	???	???

*-conference champion

^-first-place conference finish (counting ties)