



NCAA STATISTICS – COUNTABLE OPPONENTS

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For games to be considered countable for statistics (including rankings and records), the following must be true:

- The institution must be a four-year, degree-granting institution and must compete as a four-year, degree-granting institution.
- The opponent must be considered a varsity intercollegiate team as defined by NCAA bylaw 17 and must be considered countable competition as defined by NCAA bylaws 31.3.3.1 (Division I) and 31.3.4.1.1 (Division III).
- The institution must satisfy one of the following:
 - o Is an active, provisional or reclassifying member of the NCAA
 - o Is accredited by one of the following accrediting bodies recognized by the U.S. Department of Education:
 - > Association for Biblical Higher Education in Canada and the United States
 - > Middle States Commission on Higher Education
 - > New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Commission on Institutions of Higher Education
 - > North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, The Higher Learning Commission
 - > Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities
 - > Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges
 - > Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools
 - > Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Senior College and University Commission
 - o If the institution is located in Canada, it must satisfy one of the following:
 - > Is a member of the Universities Canada
 - > Is a member of the Canadian Collegiate Athletic Association
 - > Is a member of U Sports
 - o Is an active or associate member of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics
 - o Is an active or provisional member of the National Christian College Athletic Association.



NONCOUNTABLE OPPONENTS

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Below is a list of institutions that do not satisfy the requirements. This is NOT a complete list. If there is an institution not listed on the below list or on the [NCAA Codes List](#), please contact Michelle Watsky (mwatsky@ncaa.org), and she will research the institution.

Name	Location	Reason
American Sports University	San Bernardino, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Asher University	Victorville, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Atlantis University	Miami, FL	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Barber-Scotia College	Concord, NC	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Blue Lights College of Apex	Apex, NC	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
California Miramar University	San Diego, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
California Tribal College	Sacramento, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Carver College	Atlanta, GA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Central International University	Lynchburg, VA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Columbia Basin College	Pasco, WA	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
Dayspring Bible College	Mundelein, IL	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Essex County College	Newark, NJ	Institution is not a 4-year degree granting institution
Fairhaven Baptist College	Chesterton, IN	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Forest Trail Sports University/ North Carolina Sports University	Concord, NC	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Future College Prep	Colton, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Galveston College	Galveston, TX	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions

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Hampshire College	Amherst, MA	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
Illinois Central College	East Peoria, IL	Institution is not a 4-year degree granting institution
Indian River State College	Fort Pierce, FL	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
John Melvin Christian College	Pensacola, FL	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
John Melvin University	Crowley, LA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Landmark College	Putney, VT	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
College of Lake County	Grayslake, IL	Institution is not a 4-year degree granting institution
Lewis-Clark Valley College Football Association	Lewiston, ID	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Maryland Bible College & Seminary	Baltimore, MD	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Oglala Lakota College	Kyle, SD	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
Ohio University Lancaster	Lancaster, OH	Institution only sponsors club and recreational athletics
University of Pittsburgh-Titusville	Titusville, PA	Institution is not a 4-year degree granting institution
Queens City Christian College	Cincinnati, OH	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Redemption Christian College	Virginia Beach, VA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Santa Fe College	Gainesville, FL	Institution does not play a majority of its contests against 4-year degree granting institutions
Saint Sebastian Elite College	Poinciana, FL	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements

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South Carolina Central Christian College	Cayce, SC	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Southern California Leadership University	Westminster, CA	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
Triton College	River Grove, IL	Institution is not a 4-year degree granting institution
United International College	Miramar, FL	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements
West Virginia University at Parkersburg	Parkersburg, WV	Institution only sponsors club and recreational athletics
Westgate Christian University	Houston, TX	Does not meet accreditation or membership requirements

The following schools were listed as non-countable but have since closed.

- College of Faith – Charlotte
- University of Faith – Florida
- College of Faith – West Memphis
- Florida Palms University
- Forest Trail Sports University/North Carolina Sports University
- University of God's Chosen
- Holy Patriot University
- Ohio Mid-Western College
- South Carolina Faith A&M
- Stratford University