

NCAA Division II Men's Basketball Championship Executive Summary

Dates

- March 20, 22 & 24, 2029
- March 26, 28 & 30, 2030
- March 25, 27 & 29, 2031

*The quarterfinals will be conducted on Tuesday; the semifinals on Thursday; and the national championship game, Saturday.

**The Division II Men's and Women's Basketball Committees are currently reviewing the eightsite, eight team regional and eight-team final site format. A recommendation is expected by February 2026 and bid specifications will be updated accordingly if made.

***The Division II Men's and Women's Basketball Committees will consider whether to hold a joint championship during these years at the conclusion of the 2026 championships. If a joint championship is recommended, those bid specifications will be available no later than June 1, 2026.

Facility Requirements

- The facility should include a minimum of four team locker rooms of comparable size and quality and two locker rooms for officials as well as an office space for the NCAA committee and staff.
- The facility shall be reserved for the exclusive use of the NCAA no later than 8:00 a.m. the Sunday before competition, through 8 a.m. the Sunday after competition.
- The interview room must accommodate a minimum of 40 people, seated theater style.
- The official scorer's table shall be 40-48 feet in length and should be an LED board.
- The facility must meet all broadcast specifications. Quarterfinal and semifinal games air on ESPN+ while the national championship game air on CBS.

Lodging Requirements

- All hotels shall be in close proximity from the event venue.
- Separate hotels are needed for the headquarter block (NCAA, committee and officials) and participating teams.
- Team hotels must be of comparable quality and distance from the venue.
- Each team will receive 16 double/doubles and 1 suite as well as one complimentary meeting space per team accessible 24 hours.



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Hotel Room Blocks											
Block	Service	Room	Sun.	Mon	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	TOTAL
	Level	Type		•							
Teams	FULL	Double/ Doubles	128	128	128	64	64	32	32	c/o	576
		Kings	8	8	8	4	4	2	2	c/o	36
Headquarters	FULL	Kings	15	28	36	32	32	28	28	c/o	199
& Officials		Suites	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	c/o	14
TOTAL		153	166	174	102	102	64	64	c/o	825	

Attendance History

• Paid attendance and ticket prices over the past four championships.

Year	Location	Attendance	All-Session Ticket Price
2022	University of Southern Indiana and	4,080	\$50
	Evansville Regional Sports Commission		
2023	Great Lakes Vally Conference and	2,603	\$50
	Evansville Regional Sports Commission		
2024	Great Lakes Vally Conference and	-	\$50
	Evansville Regional Sports Commission		
2025	Great Lakes Vally Conference and	-	\$50
	Evansville Regional Sports Commission		

Average Expenses

• Average expenses over the past three championships.

Expense Category	Expense 3-Year Average			
Entertainment	\$13,977			
Equipment	\$813			
Facility	\$68,102			
Promotions	\$13,921			
Personnel	\$28,504			
Ticket Expenses	\$14,977			