East Carolina Pirates
American

Last NCAA Tournament Appearance: 1983

Current Status: Bubble
Projected JNG Seed: 16

Head Coach: Michael Schwartz
School: 64-73 (5 seasons)
Career: 64-73

Record		H/R/N/B		NET/WAB/SOS		Resume		Predictive		KenPom	
Overall	3-4	Home	3-1	NET	1	KPI	1	BPI	228	AdjO	264
vs D1	3-4	Road	0-0	WAB	1	SOR	302	T-R	193	AdjD	163
Conference	0-0	Neutral	0-3	N/C WAB	1	JNG	250	KenPom	213	Tempo	124
vs Tier 1-2	0-1	vs Board	0-0	SOS	1	AVG	184.3	AVG	211.3	Luck	328
vs Tier 1-3	0-2			N/C SOS	1	OAR: 235 (134.1 avg)*				Streak	L3

Average JNG Win: 303.3

Wins Tier 1 1-30/1-50/1-75

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Wins Tier 2 31-75/51-100/76-135

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Wins Tier 3 76-160/101-200/136-240

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Wins Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
184	11/11	North Carolina A&T	72-67
362	11/14	Delaware State	72-48
364	11/02	USC-Upstate	83-70

Average JNG Loss: 172.0

Loss Tier 1 1-30/1-50/1-75

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Loss Tier 2 31-75/51-100/76-135

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
79	11/20	vs Utah Valley	90-79

Loss Tier 3 76-160/101-200/136-240

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
84	11/07	UNC-Wilmington	78-75

Loss Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
242	11/21	vs Southern Illinois	85-69
283	11/23	vs Indiana State	77-76 ot

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Date	JNG	Opponent
11/27	--	NC Wesleyan*
12/01	185	Richmond*
12/05	280	Radford*
12/09	297	Coastal Carolina*
12/13	124	@ Appalachian State*
12/18	247	Campbell*
12/21	--	VA Lynchburg*
12/30	50	@ Memphis
01/02	182	@ UAB
01/07	259	Tulane
01/10	155	UTSA
01/14	115	@ Tulsa
01/17	63	@ Wichita State
01/23	182	UAB
01/28	113	Florida Atlantic
01/31	132	Charlotte
02/04	147	@ Rice
02/07	217	@ Temple
02/10	175	South Florida
02/17	147	Rice
02/21	259	@ Tulane
02/24	155	@ UTSA
02/27	217	Temple
03/02	165	North Texas
03/07	132	@ Charlotte

Glossary:

NET: NCAA NET Metric
WAB: Wins Above Bubble (NCAA Metric)
KPI: kpisports.net / Kevin Pauga
SOR: espn.com Strength of Record
JNG: hoopshd.com / Joby Fortson
BPI: espn.com BPI Ratings
T-R: barttorvik.com / Torvik Rankings
KenPom: kenpom.com / Ken Pomeroy
AdjO: Adjusted Offensive Efficiency per kenpom.com
AdjD: Adjusted Defensive Efficiency per kenpom.com
Tempo: Adjusted Tempo per kenpom.com
Luck: Luck Ranking per kenpom.com

OAR: Overall Average Ranking (average of NET, KPI, SOR, WAB, POM, BPI and T-R ranked 1-365)
Projected JNG Seed: NCAA Tournament Seed per the JNG Rating if this team qualifies for the NCAA Tournament
* Games marked with an * are non-conference games

East Carolina DEFCON Game Ratings for Wednesday, November 25, 2026

DEFCON 3

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
5:00 PM	Portland State at UC-Riverside	espn+	UC-Riverside
8:00 PM	Cal State-Bakersfield at Pepperdine	espn+	Cal State-Bakersfield

DEFCON 4

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
3:00 PM	Jackson State at Oklahoma State	espn+	Oklahoma State
6:00 PM	Albany at Syracuse	accextra	Syracuse

DEFCON 5

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
1:30 PM	Davidson vs Tulane	passthaballlive	Davidson
3:00 PM	Akron vs Appalachian State	ESPNU	Appalachian State
3:00 PM	Southeastern Louisiana vs North Dakota	flohoops	Southeastern Louisiana
4:00 PM	Prairie View at Marshall	espn+	Prairie View
5:00 PM	Memphis vs Penn State	ESPNU	Penn State
6:00 PM	Bethune-Cookman at Richmond	espn+	Richmond
7:00 PM	Bellarmine at Northern Kentucky	ROCK/espn+	Bellarmine
7:00 PM	St. Thomas at UNC-Wilmington	flohoops	UNC-Wilmington
7:00 PM	USC-Upstate at The Citadel	espn+	USC-Upstate
9:30 PM	Colorado vs Grand Canyon	CBS-SN	Grand Canyon