Howard Bison
MEAC

Last NCAA Tournament Miss: 2025

Current Status: Bubble
Projected JNG Seed: 16
Head Coach: Kenneth Blakeney
School: 101-110 (8 seasons)
Career: 101-110

Record		H/R/N/B		NET/WAB/SOS		Resume		Predictive		KenPom	
Overall	4-3	Home	2-0	NET	1	KPI	1	BPI	188	AdjO	217
vs D1	3-3	Road	2-2	WAB	1	SOR	202	T-R	161	AdjD	151
Conference	0-0	Neutral	0-1	N/C WAB	1	JNG	173	KenPom	171	Tempo	181
vs Tier 1-2	0-1	vs Board	0-0	SOS	1	AVG	125.3	AVG	173.3	Luck	213
vs Tier 1-3	1-3			N/C SOS	1	OAR: 175 (103.6 avg)*				Streak	W1

Average JNG Win: 275.7

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
136	11/14	@ Davidson	64-58

Wins Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
336	11/12	Stetson	75-62
355	11/05	@ Alcorn State	94-83
--	11/23	Notre Dame MD	101-73

Average JNG Loss: 169.3

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
88	11/18	vs Duquesne	74-68

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

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
201	11/09	@ Pennsylvania	78-65
219	11/02	@ Yale	72-62

Loss Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Date	JNG	Opponent
11/29	99	@ College of Charleston*
12/03	266	Grambling*
12/05	334	vs Hampton*
12/10	161	Loyola-Chicago*
12/14	239	Towson*
12/17	184	North Carolina A&T*
12/20	160	@ UTEP*
12/21	--	vs Kent State/Omaha*
12/31	--	Bowie St*
01/02	237	South Carolina State
01/09	353	Maryland-Eastern Shore
01/11	362	@ Delaware State
01/16	349	North Carolina Central
01/18	--	Morehouse*
01/23	218	@ Morgan State
01/25	357	Coppin State
01/30	354	@ Norfolk State
02/06	237	@ South Carolina State
02/08	349	@ North Carolina Central
02/13	353	@ Maryland-Eastern Shore
02/15	362	Delaware State
02/20	317	vs Tennessee State*
02/27	218	Morgan State
03/01	357	@ Coppin State
03/04	354	Norfolk State

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

Howard DEFCON Game Ratings for Wednesday, November 25, 2026

DEFCON 3

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
4:00 PM	Liberty vs Princeton		Liberty

DEFCON 4

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
1:00 PM	Eastern Kentucky at Miami-Ohio	espn+	Miami-Ohio
5:00 PM	Portland State at UC-Riverside	espn+	Portland State
12:00 AM	Incarnate Word at Hawai'i	K5/mwnet	Incarnate Word

DEFCON 5

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
12:30 PM	Wright State vs Yale	ESPN2	Yale
1:30 PM	Davidson vs Tulane	passthaballlive	Davidson
5:00 PM	Alcorn State vs Texas State	espn+	Alcorn State
5:00 PM	Holy Cross at Dartmouth	espn+	Holy Cross
6:00 PM	Bethune-Cookman at Richmond	espn+	Bethune-Cookman
6:00 PM	Kennesaw State vs College of Charleston	flohoops	College of Charleston
7:00 PM	Northern Illinois at SIU Edwardsville	espn+	SIU Edwardsville
7:00 PM	USC-Upstate at The Citadel	espn+	USC-Upstate