Long Beach State
Big West

Last NCAA Tournament Appearance: 2024

Current Status: Bubble
Projected JNG Seed: 16

Head Coach: Chris Acker
School: 18-51 (3 seasons)
Career: 18-51

Record		H/R/N/B		NET/WAB/SOS		Resume		Predictive		KenPom	
Overall	1-5	Home	1-0	NET	1	KPI	1	BPI	268	AdjO	234
vs D1	1-5	Road	0-4	WAB	1	SOR	277	T-R	265	AdjD	293
Conference	0-0	Neutral	0-1	N/C WAB	1	JNG	304	KenPom	267	Tempo	209
vs Tier 1-2	0-1	vs Board	0-0	SOS	1	AVG	194.0	AVG	266.7	Luck	239
vs Tier 1-3	1-5			N/C SOS	1	OAR: 273 (154.3 avg)*				Streak	L3

Average JNG Win: 101.0

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
101	11/11	Pacific	62-59

Wins Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

Average JNG Loss: 144.6

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

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
7	*11/16*	*@ UCLA*	*105-66*

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

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

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

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
139	11/23	@ Florida International	79-75
154	11/24	vs Arkansas State	106-81
192	11/02	@ Utah	66-63
231	11/07	@ Montana State	83-70

Loss Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Date	JNG	Opponent
11/25	323	vs Southern Utah*
12/03	79	Utah Valley
12/05	152	@ Cal State-Fullerton
12/08	197	@ San Jose State*
12/10	277	@ Illinois State*
12/22	214	Portland*
12/31	230	UC-Irvine
01/02	202	UC-San Diego
01/07	206	@ Cal Poly
01/09	69	@ UC-Santa Barbara
01/14	340	Cal State-Northridge
01/16	118	Cal State-Bakersfield
01/21	202	@ UC-San Diego
01/23	230	@ UC-Irvine
01/28	271	@ California Baptist
01/30	178	@ UC-Riverside
02/04	69	UC-Santa Barbara
02/06	206	Cal Poly
02/11	118	@ Cal State-Bakersfield
02/13	340	@ Cal State-Northridge
02/18	329	Sacramento State
02/20	152	Cal State-Fullerton
02/25	79	@ Utah Valley
02/27	329	@ Sacramento State
03/04	178	UC-Riverside
03/06	271	California Baptist

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

Long Beach State DEFCON Game Ratings for Wednesday, November 25, 2026

DEFCON 1

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
1:00 PM	Long Beach State vs Southern Utah	espn+	Long Beach State

DEFCON 3

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
12:30 PM	Northern Colorado vs Detroit Mercy	flohoops	Detroit Mercy

DEFCON 4

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
2:00 PM	Manhattan at NJIT	espn+	NJIT
6:00 PM	West Florida at Northwestern State	espn+	Northwestern State

DEFCON 5

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
4:00 PM	Florida Gulf Coast vs Georgia State	passthaballlive	Florida Gulf Coast
10:30 PM	Jacksonville State vs Pacific	flohoops	Pacific