Southern Illinois Salukis
Missouri Valley

Last NCAA Tournament Appearance: 2007

Current Status: Bubble
Projected JNG Seed: 16
Head Coach: Scott Nagy
School: 33-39 (3 seasons)
Career: 390-294

Record		H/R/N/B		NET/WAB/SOS		Resume		Predictive		KenPom	
Overall	3-4	Home	2-0	NET	1	KPI	1	BPI	160	AdjO	147
vs D1	2-4	Road	0-1	WAB	1	SOR	278	T-R	181	AdjD	194
Conference	0-0	Neutral	1-3	N/C WAB	1	JNG	242	KenPom	160	Tempo	40
vs Tier 1-2	0-0	vs Board	0-0	SOS	1	AVG	173.7	AVG	167.0	Luck	357
vs Tier 1-3	0-3			N/C SOS	1	OAR: 188 (111.7 avg)*				Streak	L1

Average JNG Win: 217.5

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
185	11/12	Richmond	80-70
250	11/21	vs East Carolina	85-69
--	11/02	Maryville (MO)	82-40

Average JNG Loss: 172.8

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

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

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
116	11/23	vs Middle Tennessee	77-76
130	11/17	vs Liberty	87-78
167	11/20	vs Tennessee-Martin	76-73

Loss Tier 4 161+/201+/241+

JNG	Date	Opponent	Score
278	11/06	@ Kansas City	100-93

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Date	JNG	Opponent
11/28	252	Portland State*
12/03	274	Washington State*
12/09	245	Southeast Missouri State*
12/12	264	@ Little Rock*
12/18	226	Northern Iowa
12/22	168	@ Drake
12/29	38	@ Arizona State*
01/02	122	@ Valparaiso
01/05	142	@ Illinois-Chicago
01/09	262	Bradley
01/12	83	Murray State
01/16	107	@ Belmont
01/18	225	Evansville
01/21	283	@ Indiana State
01/24	122	Valparaiso
01/27	277	@ Illinois State
01/30	107	Belmont
02/03	283	Indiana State
02/06	226	@ Northern Iowa
02/09	168	Drake
02/15	83	@ Murray State
02/18	277	Illinois State
02/21	262	@ Bradley
02/24	142	Illinois-Chicago
02/28	225	@ Evansville

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

Southern Illinois DEFCON Game Ratings for Wednesday, November 25, 2026

DEFCON 3

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
3:00 PM	Jackson State at Oklahoma State	espn+	Oklahoma State
3:00 PM	Southeastern Louisiana vs North Dakota	flohoops	Southeastern Louisiana

DEFCON 4

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
7:00 PM	Bellarmine at Northern Kentucky	ROCK/espn+	Bellarmine
9:30 PM	Colorado vs Grand Canyon	CBS-SN	Grand Canyon

DEFCON 5

Time (ET)	Matchup	Broadcast	Desired Winner
2:00 PM	Arizona State vs LSU	CBS-SN	Arizona State
4:00 PM	Liberty vs Princeton		Liberty
6:00 PM	Albany at Syracuse	accextra	Syracuse
6:00 PM	Bethune-Cookman at Richmond	espn+	Richmond
8:00 PM	Cal State-Bakersfield at Pepperdine	espn+	Cal State-Bakersfield
10:30 PM	Jacksonville State vs Pacific	flohoops	Pacific