



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



WCC Tournament Final • 1 BYU vs. 2 Gonzaga • March 8 • 1 p.m. PST • Las Vegas, Nevada • Orleans Arena • ESPN

GONZAGA BULLDOGS (25-6)



Head Coach Lisa Fortier (8th year)
Alma Mater CSUMB, 2004
2021-22 Record 25-6, 15-2
Career Record 203-53
Record at Gonzaga same



WCC Tournament Titles 3 (2019, 2015, 2012)
Series vs. Gonzaga 15-19
Tuesday Tipoff 1 p.m. PT
TV/Stream ESPN

15 BYU COUGARS (26-2)



Head Coach Jeff Judkins (21st year)
Alma Mater Utah, 1978
2021-22 Record 26-2 (15-1 WCC)
Career Record 456-202
Record at BYU same

BYU 2021-22 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time/TV
Nov. 9	Lipscomb	W 81-58 BYUtv App
Nov. 13	Fresno State	W 80-64 BYUtv App
Nov. 17	Arizona State	W 55-44 BYUtv
Nov. 20	Boise State	W 84-40 BYUtv
Nov. 23	Utah State	W 101-74 BYUtv
<i>St. Pete Showcase (St. Petersburg, Florida)</i>		
Nov. 25	vs. Florida State	W 61-54 FloSports
Nov. 27	vs. West Virginia	W 58-57 FloSports
Dec. 4	@Utah	W 85-80 Pac-12
Dec. 10	@Oklahoma	L 99-91 SoonerSports
Dec. 18	Washington State	W 71-53 BYUtv App
Dec. 21	@Montana State	W 89-67 ESPN+
Jan. 1	Portland*	Postponed BYUtv
Jan. 6	@San Francisco*	W 76-64 WCC Network
Jan. 8	Pacific*	W 94-68 BYUtv
Jan. 13	Saint Mary's*	W 78-36 BYUtv
Jan. 15	@Loyola Marymount*	W 77-37 WCC Network
Jan. 20	@Pepperdine*	Postponed WCC Network
Jan. 22	@San Diego*	W 74-63 WCC Network
Jan. 24	San Diego	W 70-48 BYUtv
Jan. 27	Santa Clara*	W 76-44 BYUtv App
Jan. 29	San Francisco*	W 99-58 BYUtv
Feb. 3	@Portland*	L 75-64 ROOT/WCC
Feb. 5	@Gonzaga*	W 62-50 SWX/WCC
Feb. 10	Pepperdine*	W 104-53 BYUtv
Feb. 12	@Saint Mary's*	W 84-69 WCC Network
Feb. 17	Loyola Marymount*	W 77-54 BYUtv
Feb. 19	Gonzaga*	W 63-39 BYUtv
Feb. 24	@Santa Clara*	W 103-66 WCC Network
Feb. 26	@Pacific*	W 82-52 WCC Network
<i>WCC Tournament (Las Vegas, Nevada)</i>		
March 7	vs. Portland (Semifinal)	W 59-52 BYUtv/RSN
March 8	vs. Gonzaga (Final)	1 p.m. ESPN

All times local to site
* indicates West Coast Conference game
Indicates double header with men's team

KEY STORYLINES

- WCC REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPS:** BYU won its fifth regular-season conference title under Judkins with a 15-1 record in league play. **LAST TIME VS. GONZAGA:** BYU swept the season series against the Zags with a 62-50 win in Spokane and 63-39 in Provo.
- REMATCH:** The title game against Gonzaga is a rematch of last season's WCC finals. BYU came up short after a last-second shot by the Zags doomed the Cougars 43-42.
- CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES:** This is the Cougars' 7th appearance in the finals. BYU won it three times (2019, 2015 and 2012).
- WCC AWARDS:** Head coach Jeff Judkins won the WCC Coach of the Year for the second-consecutive year. It was his third WCC coaching honor and sixth coach of the year award for his career. Shaylee Gonzales was named the WCC Player of the Year after earning co-player of the year honors last year. In addition to Gonzales, Paisley Harding and Lauren Gustin were also named All-WCC First Team selections while Tegan Graham was an honorable mention.
- RANKED:** BYU moved up to No. 15 on Monday in the latest AP Top 25. It is the highest ranking in school history after hitting 16 three different times earlier this year.
- STATS:** Heading into the tournament, BYU ranked No. 1 in scoring margin at +21.2 points per game, No. 7 in scoring offense at 79.2 points per game. The Cougars are No. 2 in assists per game (20.3) and No. 3 in assist to turnover ratio (1.55), No. 5 in field goal percentage (47.7) and No. 23 in field goal percentage defense (35.7).

PLAYERS TO WATCH



#2 | Shaylee Gonzales
Guard | 5-10 | So. RS
Gilbert, AZ
Mesquite HS

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
28/28	31.0	18.8	5.7	4.4	2.3	.510	.228	.836

- Set career highs with 35 points and seven steals at St. Mary's this season
- Back-to-back WCC player of the Year



#5 | Maria Albiero
Guard | 5-8 | Sr.
Londrina, Brazil
Neuse Christian Academy

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
28/28	27.2	4.8	2.1	3.7	1.3	.417	.339	.714

- Ranked No. 8 nationally and leads WCC in 2021-22 in assist to turnover ratio (2.86)
- Played in 144 games—Set record for most in school history (tied with teammate Paisley Harding)



#10 | Tegan Graham
Guard | 6-0 | Sr. (GR)
Wellington, NZ
Colgate

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
28/28	28.8	10.2	3.1	4.9	1.5	.421	.393	.808

- Hit school-record 10 threes against Oklahoma this season
- No. 10 nationally and No. 2 in WCC behind teammate in assist to turnover ratio (2.71)



#11 | Kaylee Smiler
Guard | 5-8 | So.
Hamilton, NZ
Melville HS

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
20/0	12.8	2.5	1.3	1.1	0.5	.378	.323	.750

- Played in 24 games in 2020-21, averaging 16.3 minutes
- Posted the second-highest 3-point percentage on the team last year (.392)



#12 | Lauren Gustin
Forward | 6-1 | So.
Salem, UT
Salem Hills HS/SLCC

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
27/27	28.6	10.9	11.6	1.0	1.3	.518	-	.466

- Has 14 double-doubles this season to rank 19th nationally and tops in WCC
- Currently ranked No. 8 nationally in rebounds per game at 11.6



#13 | Paisley Harding
Guard | 5-9 | Sr.
Everett, WA
Glacier Peak HS

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
28/28	29.9	17.1	3.2	2.5	1.6	.465	.336	.827

- No. 6 in career scoring at BYU (1,903 points)
- Played in 144 games—Set record for most in school history (Tied with teammate Maria Albiero)



#22 | Sara Hamson
Center | 6-7 | Sr.
Lindon, UT
Pleasant Grove HS

GP/GS	MPG	Pts	Reb	BLK	Stl	FG%	3PT%	FT%
28/1	14.6	4.7	3.6	2.6	0.5	.685	-	.625

- No. 12 nationally in total blocks with 72
- Active NCAA career leader in blocks with 470

OFF THE BENCH

No.	Name	HT.	POS.	YR.	PTS.	REB.	NOTES
1	Barcello, Amanda	5-11	G	FR	-	-	9.8 ppg, 8.1 rb, 3.1 steals and 2.5 assists at Seton Catholic
3	Falatea, Nani	5-9	G	FR	3.3	1.4	Four-time region champion, two-time All-State MVP in HS
4	Mackey-Williams, Arielle	5-9	G	FR	2.2	0.9	Prepped at Tai Wananga Ki Ruakura in New Zealand
20	Millett, Devry	5-10	G	SO	0.4	0.5	Got in 8 games last year
21	Hamson, Heather	6-3	F	FR	-	-	All-State selection out of Pleasant Grove HS
24	Bubakar, Rose	6-0	F	FR	2.2	1.6	Three-time all-state selection at Frederick HS
25	Calvert, Emma	6-4	F	FR	4.7	2.3	2021 Gatorade Player of the year out of Freemont HS
30	Vorwaller, Kate	5-9	G	FR	1.2	0.8	Played in four games last season
32	Glantz, Signe	6-1	F	JR	-	-	Played in give games in 2020-21
33	Kartchner, Amber	5-9	G	FR	-	-	Four-time first-team all-state selection at Logan HS
34	Beckman, Kyra	6-2	F	FR	-	-	Played in 15 games last year
42	Belles-Lee, Kayla	6-3	F	JR	-	-	Played in 8 games last year after transfer from Michigan State

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2021-22 BYU Women's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	26-2	14-0	9-2	3-0
CONFERENCE	15-1	8-0	7-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	11-1	6-0	2-1	3-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
BYU	565	542	589	494	8	2198
Opponents	383	401	372	446	16	1618

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				PF DQ A TO BLK STL PTS AVG									
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2	GONZALES, Shaylee	28-28	868:19	31.0	199-390	.510	21-92	.228	107-128	.836	55	104	159	5.7	48	0	122	72	7	65	526	18.8
13	HARDING, Paisley	28-28	838:19	29.9	173-372	.465	46-137	.336	86-104	.827	29	61	90	3.2	62	0	71	55	4	46	478	17.1
12	GUSTIN, Lauren	27-27	771:45	28.6	133-257	.518	0-0	.000	27-58	.466	117	197	314	11.6	53	1	26	34	7	35	293	10.9
10	GRAHAM, Tegan	28-28	806:59	28.8	98-233	.421	68-173	.393	21-26	.808	16	70	86	3.1	56	0	136	51	20	41	285	10.2
5	ALBIERO, Maria	28-28	762:30	27.2	55-132	.417	19-56	.339	5-7	.714	10	49	59	2.1	42	0	103	37	1	36	134	4.8
22	HAMSON, Sara	28-1	407:58	14.6	61-89	.685	0-1	.000	10-16	.625	30	70	100	3.6	66	1	16	27	72	15	132	4.7
25	CALVERT, Emma	23-0	220:45	9.6	43-87	.494	8-32	.250	13-16	.813	20	33	53	2.3	37	1	13	21	17	5	107	4.7
3	FALATEA, Nani	26-0	293:13	11.3	31-65	.477	21-40	.525	4-6	.667	3	34	37	1.4	32	0	24	20	3	18	87	3.3
11	SMILER, Kaylee	20-0	255:35	12.8	17-45	.378	10-31	.323	6-8	.750	5	20	25	1.3	22	0	21	7	3	10	50	2.5
24	BUBAKAR, Rose	18-0	118:22	6.6	14-41	.341	4-17	.235	7-14	.500	10	18	28	1.6	6	0	4	4	2	3	39	2.2
4	MACKEY-WILLIAMS, Arielle	20-0	154:15	7.7	15-49	.306	5-21	.238	8-8	1.000	6	12	18	0.9	14	0	18	16	0	4	43	2.2
30	VORWALLER, Kate	16-0	76:08	4.8	7-23	.304	2-7	.286	3-6	.500	4	8	12	0.8	5	0	8	3	0	4	19	1.2
20	MILLET, Devry	13-0	50:52	3.9	2-12	.167	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	1	5	6	0.5	2	0	3	3	0	2	5	0.4
Team											59	70	129				16					
Total		28	5625		848-1795	.472	205-613	.334	297-397	.748	365	751	1116	39.9	445	3	565	366	136	284	2198	78.5
Opponents		28	5625		571-1605	.356	177-582	.304	299-436	.686	340	625	965	34.5	436	3	341	513	64	182	1618	57.8

Team Statistics

	BYU	OPP
Scoring	2198	1618
Points per game	78.5	57.8
Scoring margin	+20.7	-
Field goals-att	848-1795	571-1605
Field goal pct	.472	.356
3 point fg-att	205-613	177-582
3-point FG pct	.334	.304
3-pt FG made per game	7.3	6.3
Free throws-att	297-397	299-436
Free throw pct	.748	.686
F-Throws made per game	10.6	10.7
Rebounds	1116	965
Rebounds per game	39.9	34.5
Rebounding margin	+5.4	-
Assists	565	341
Assists per game	20.2	12.2
Turnovers	366	513
Turnovers per game	13.1	18.3
Turnover margin	+5.3	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.5	0.7
Steals	284	182
Steals per game	10.1	6.5
Blocks	136	64
Blocks per game	4.9	2.3
Winning streak	8	-
Home win streak	14	-
Attendance	24852	14438
Home games-Avg/Game	14-1775	11-1313
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	3-242

Team Results

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
11/09/2021	Lipscomb	W 81-58	468
11/13/2021	Fresno St.	W 80-64	1152
11/17/2021	Arizona St.	W 55-44	3700
11/20/2021	Boise St.	W 84-40	1278
11/23/2021	Utah St.	W 101-74	756
11/25/2021	vs Florida St.	W 61-54	340
11/27/2021	vs West Virginia	W 58-57	387
12/04/2021	at Utah	W 85-80	3218
12/10/2021	at Oklahoma	Lot 91-99	1527
12/18/2021	Washington St.	W 71-53	1483
12/21/2021	at Montana St.	W 89-67	1362
01/06/2022	at San Francisco	W 76-64	171
01/08/2022	Pacific	W 94-68	1425
01/13/2022	Saint Mary's (CA)	W 78-36	1243
01/15/2022	at Loyola Marymount	W 77-37	354
01/22/2022	at San Diego	W 74-63	279
01/24/2022	San Diego	W 70-48	870
01/27/2022	Santa Clara	W 76-44	981
01/29/2022	San Francisco	W 99-58	1648
02/03/2022	at Portland	L 64-75	533
02/05/2022	at Gonzaga	W 62-50	5503
02/10/2022	Pepperdine	W 104-53	1635
02/12/2022	at Saint Mary's (CA)	W 84-69	498
02/17/2022	Loyola Marymount	W 77-54	1924
02/19/2022	Gonzaga	W 63-39	6289
02/24/2022	at Santa Clara	W 103-66	402
02/26/2022	at Pacific	W 82-52	591
03/07/2022	vs Portland	W 59-52	0