College Football Playoff and Bowl Games 2025-26

Date	Day	Time (ET)	Watch	Bowl game	Teams	Winner
13-Dec	Saturday	Noon	ABC	Celebration Bowl	South Carolina State vs. Prairie View A&M	
13-Dec	Saturday	8:00 PM	ABC	LA Bowl	Boise State vs. Washington	
16-Dec	Tuesday	9:00 PM	ESPN	Salute to Veterans Bowl	Troy vs. Jacksonville State	
17-Dec	Wednesday	5:00 PM	ESPN	Cure Bowl	Old Dominion vs. South Florida	
17-Dec	Wednesday	8:30 PM	ESPN	68 Ventures Bowl	Louisiana vs. Delaware	
18-Dec	Thursday	9:00 PM	ESPN2	Xbox Bowl	Arkansas State vs. Missouri State	
19-Dec	Friday	11:00 AM	ESPN	Myrtle Beach Bowl	Kennesaw State vs. Western Michigan	
19-Dec	Friday	2:30 PM	ESPN	Gasparilla Bowl	Memphis vs. NC State	
19-Dec	Friday	8:00 PM	ABC	Playoff First Round Game	No. 8 Oklahoma vs. No. 9 Alabama,	
20-Dec	Saturday	Noon	ABC	Playoff First Round Game	No. 7 Texas A&M vs. No. 10 Miami (Fla.)	
20-Dec	Saturday	3:30 PM	TNT	Playoff First Round Game	No. 6 Ole Miss vs. No. 11 Tulane	
20-Dec	Saturday	7:30 PM	TNT	Playoff First Round Game	No. 5 Oregon vs. No. 12 James Madison	
22-Dec	Monday	2:00 PM	ESPN	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl	Washington State vs. Utah State	
23-Dec	Tuesday	2:00 PM	ESPN	Boca Raton Bowl	Louisville vs. Toledo	
23-Dec	Tuesday	5:30 PM	ESPN	New Orleans Bowl	Western Kentucky vs. Southern Miss	
23-Dec	Tuesday	9:00 PM	ESPN	Frisco Bowl	UNLV vs. Ohio	
24-Dec	Wednesday	8:00 PM	ESPN	Hawaii Bowl	Cal vs. Hawai'i	
26-Dec	Friday	1:00 PM	ESPN	GamesAbove Bowl	Central Michigan vs. Northwestern	
26-Dec	Friday	4:30 PM	ESPN	Rate Bowl	New Mexico vs. Minnesota	
26-Dec	Friday	8:00 PM	ESPN	First Responder Bowl	FIU vs. UTSA	
27-Dec	Saturday	11:00 AM	ESPN	Military Bowl	Pitt vs. East Carolina	
27-Dec	Saturday	Noon	ABC	Pinstripe Bowl	Clemson vs. Penn State	
27-Dec	Saturday	2:15 PM	ESPN	Fenway Bowl	UConn vs. Army	
27-Dec 27-Dec	Saturday	3:30 PM	ABC	Pop-Tarts Bowl	No. 12 BYU vs. No. 22 Georgia Tech	
27-Dec 27-Dec	•	4:30 PM	CW Network	Arizona Bowl	_	
27-Dec 27-Dec	Saturday	5:45 PM	ESPN	New Mexico Bowl	Miami (OH) vs. Fresno State	
	Saturday				UNT vs. San Diego State	
27-Dec	Saturday	7:30 PM	ABC ESPN	Gator Bowl	Missouri vs. No. 19 Virginia	
27-Dec 29-Dec	Saturday	9:15 PM		Texas Bowl	LSU vs. Houston	
30-Dec	Monday Tuesday	2:00 PM 2:00 PM	ESPN	Birmingham Bowl	Georgia Southern vs. App State Coastal Carolina vs. Louisiana Tech	
	,			Independence Bowl		
30-Dec	Tuesday	5:30 PM	ESPN	Music City Bowl	Tennessee vs. Illinois	
30-Dec	Tuesday	9:00 PM	ESPN	Alamo Bowl	No. 16 Southern Cal vs. TCU	
31-Dec	Wednesday	Noon	ESPN	ReliaQuest Bowl	No. 23 Iowa vs. No. 14 Vanderbilt	
31-Dec	Wednesday	2:00 PM	CBS	Sun Bowl	Arizona State vs. Duke	
31-Dec	Wednesday	3:00 PM	ABC	Citrus Bowl	No. 13 Texas vs. No. 18 Michigan	
31-Dec	Wednesday	3:30 PM	ESPN	Las Vegas Bowl	Nebraska vs. No. 15 Utah	
31-Dec	Wednesday	7:30 PM	ESPN	Cotton Bowl (Playoff Quarterfinal)	No. 2 Ohio State vs. Texas A&M/Miami	
1-Jan	Thursday	Noon	ESPN	Orange Bowl (Playoff Quarterfinal)	No. 4 Texas Tech vs. Oregon/JMU	
1-Jan	Thursday	4:00 PM	ESPN	Rose Bowl (Playoff Quarterfinal)	No. 1 Indiana vs. Oklahoma/Alabama	
1-Jan	Thursday	8:00 PM	ESPN	Sugar Bowl (Playoff Quarterfinal)	No. 3 Georgia vs. Ole Miss/Tulane	
2-Jan	Friday	1:00 PM	ESPN	Armed Forces Bowl	Texas State vs. Rice	
2-Jan	Friday	4:30 PM	ESPN	Liberty Bowl	Navy vs. Cincinnati	
2-Jan	Friday	8:00 PM	ESPN	Duke's Mayo Bowl	Mississippi State vs. Wake Forest	
2-Jan	Friday	8:00 PM	FOX	Holiday Bowl	Arizona vs. SMU	
8-Jan	Thursday	7:30 PM	ESPN	Fiesta Bowl (Playoff Semifinal)		
9-Jan	Friday	7:30 PM	ESPN	Peach Bowl (Playoff Semifinal)		
19-Jan	Monday	7:30 PM	ESPN	National Championship		