



2024-25



The CFP Selection Committee will continue to rank the top 25 teams.



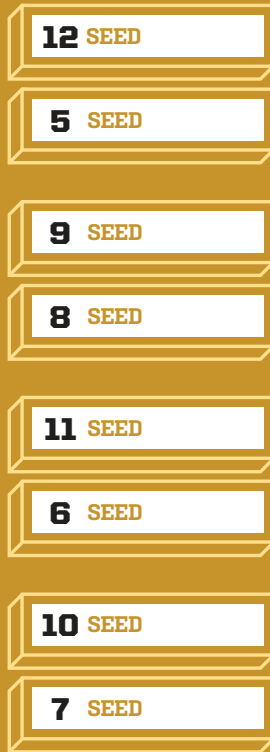
The 12 participating teams will be the five highest-ranked conference champions, plus the next seven highest-ranked teams.

RANKING TO SEEDING

- ● The four highest-ranked conference champions will be seeded 1-4 and will receive a first-round bye.
- ● The remaining teams, including the fifth conference champion, will be seeded 5-12 based on their final ranking.
- ● Non-conference champions and independents, like Notre Dame, ranked in the top four will be seeded beginning at No. 5. Because of this, the seeding, 1 through 12, could look different than the final rankings.

PLAYOFF FIRST ROUND

FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 2024
SATURDAY, DEC. 21, 2024



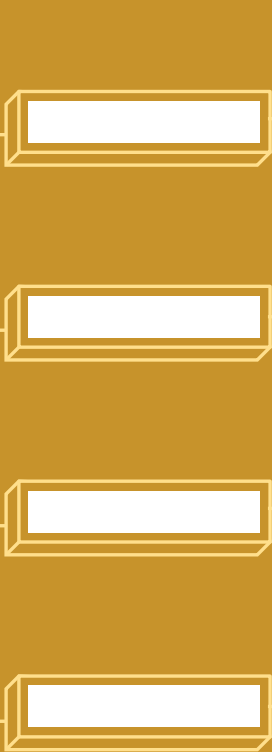
PLAYOFF QUARTERFINALS

TUESDAY, DEC. 31, 2024
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 1, 2025



PLAYOFF SEMIFINALS

THURSDAY, JAN. 9, 2025
FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 2025



2025
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

MONDAY,
JAN. 20,
2025

MERCEDES-BENZ
STADIUM,
ATLANTA



There will be **NO RE-SEEDING**

once the bracket is set on Selection Day, Dec. 8.



PLAYOFF FIRST ROUND

The eight teams seeded No. 5-12 will play in the first round with the higher seeds hosting the lower seeds on campus.



PLAYOFF QUARTERFINALS

The four highest-ranked conference champions will be assigned to Playoff Quarterfinals hosted by bowls. This will be done in consideration of historic bowl relationships and seeding.



PLAYOFF SEMIFINALS

The No. 1 seed will receive preferential bowl placement for the Playoff Semifinals.