**Basketball Sentences**

***Mizzou Basketball Facts***

The Missouri Tigers men's basketball team represents the [University of Missouri](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/University_of_Missouri) in the [SEC](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Southeastern_Conference).

They are located in [Columbia, Missouri](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Columbia,_Missouri), playing home games at [Mizzou Arena](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mizzou_Arena)

The Tigers’ head coach is Cuonzo Martin in his 2nd season.

Martin was hired away from California to replace fired Kim Anderson.

Their colors are gold and black.

The Missouri men's basketball program was a charter member of the [Big 12 Conference](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big_12_Conference), formed from the [Big Eight Conference](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big_Eight_Conference) in 1996

Following the 2016–17 season, the Tigers had an all-time record of 1,593–1,133 and a winning percentage of .584.

In 1956, Alfred Abram was the first African-American awarded an athletic scholarship to MU.

In 1980-83, MU won four straight Big 8 titles.

There have been 22 Missouri Tigers All-Americans, the most recent being Phil Pressey in 2013

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