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Schneider Ranks #8 on *G.I. Jobs*' Top 100 Military Friendly Employers List

Military-specific opportunities show ongoing appreciation and support for active and veteran personnel

GREEN BAY, Wis. – (Nov. 11, 2014) – For the ninth straight year, Schneider, one of the nation's largest truckload carriers, has been named to the *G.I. Jobs Top 100 Military Friendly Employers*[®] list. This year, Schneider ranked number eight on the list due to the robust military programs and benefits it offers.

G.I. Jobs' 2015 Top 100 Military Friendly Employers list honors the top 2 percent of U.S. companies that are doing the most to embrace America's service members and veterans. The survey assesses the strength of a company's military recruiting program, including the percentage of new hires with prior military service and all the policies in place to recognize military service.

"We are honored that *G.I. Jobs* has recognized us once again, but the spotlight truly belongs on the thousands of Schneider associates who bring their military experience to our organization," said Rob Reich, Schneider senior vice president and a veteran of the U.S. Army. "We are a strong, successful company because they are in our ranks today, and we are proud that 27% of the associates we've hired in the last year have military experience."

Because Schneider knows that those who have served – or continue to serve – their country bring an exceptionally high level of commitment and skill to their work, the company offers specific programs to ease transition and ensure long-term career success, including:

- [Apprenticeship Program](#): Schneider is one of only a few transportation providers certified under the Department of Veterans Affairs' Apprenticeship Program, allowing veterans, Guard members and

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Reservists to receive both their weekly wages from Schneider and their monthly educational benefit payment from the VA (up to \$1,146 per month) during the first year of employment.

- The Schneider Military Owner-Operator Program: This initiative provides military personnel with the tools, training and support they need to become successful small-business owner-operators, including help with obtaining a new or gently used truck through a special little-to-no-money-down, no-credit-check lease.

Berdie Tate, an Army veteran and three-year driver in Schneider's [Dedicated](#) division, notices the way Schneider treats veterans and the many current military personnel serving in the Guard and Reserve. "Schneider celebrates, honors and appreciates my service in the U.S. Army and every service member in any branch. The programs are a never-ending 'thank you' from a company that's clearly devoted to the armed forces."

In addition to the [benefits package](#) Schneider provides to all associates, military personnel can also expect:

- Extended company benefits and differential pay if deployed for up to 18 months
- Excused time off for weekend drill and annual training (no vacation time required)
- Quick-hire process, allowing active military to apply, interview and be accepted two months prior to separation
- Nationwide opportunities throughout Schneider's network of offices and facilities

To learn more about Schneider's career opportunities for current and former military personnel, please visit <http://schneiderjobs.com/company-drivers/military>.

About Schneider

One of the largest truckload carriers in North America, Schneider has been the top choice of safety-minded drivers for nearly 80 years. With over 75 percent of its drivers getting home weekly or better, Schneider provides professional opportunities that meet the work-life balance needs of today's drivers and owner-operators.

Schneider is a \$3.6 billion company and is ranked a top-paying carrier by the National Transportation Institute,



while being nationally recognized for its support of current and former military personnel. For more information about Schneider career opportunities, visit www.schneiderjobs.com. You can also connect with Schneider on Facebook at www.facebook.com/jobsatschneider or follow on Twitter @schneiderjobs.

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