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WEST POINT RANKED TOP PUBLIC COLLEGE – Sept. 10, 2018

WEST POINT, N.Y. – The 2019 edition of U.S. News & World Report’s Best Colleges rankings released today places the U.S. Military Academy No. 1 in Top Public Colleges and No. 2 on High School Counselor’s Top Picks list for National Liberal Arts Colleges. This is the sixth consecutive year West Point has been ranked as a top pick by high school counselors.

In the Best Engineering Programs category, at engineering schools whose highest degree is a bachelor’s or master’s, West Point ranks No. 4 overall, and also ranks No. 2 for its civil engineering program in the Best in the Specialties category.

“The United States Military Academy is dedicated to educating, training, and inspiring the Corps of Cadets, and the US News rankings reflect our institution’s commitment to developing leaders of character across a broad liberal arts education,” said Brig. Gen. Cindy Jebb, Dean of the Academic board. “Our blend of military and civilian faculty and staff are world-class teachers, mentors, scholars, professionals, and most importantly, role models who are dedicated to shaping future leaders of character in the classroom, on the athletic field, and in their military training.”

West Point also ranks No. 18 on the list of Best National Liberal Arts Colleges.

For a complete list of rankings and ranking methodology, visit www.usnews.com/colleges.

About West Point

The U. S. Military Academy at West Point is a four-year, co-educational, federal, liberal arts college located 50 miles north of New York City. It was founded in 1802 as America’s first college of engineering and continues today as the world’s premier leader-development institution, consistently ranked among top colleges in the country. Its mission remains constant—to educate, train, and inspire the Corps of Cadets so that each graduate is a commissioned leader of character committed to the values of Duty, Honor, Country and prepared for a career of professional excellence and service to the nation as an officer in the U. S. Army. For more information, go to www.westpoint.edu.