

# BY THE NUMBERS



## DEMOGRAPHICS



Population

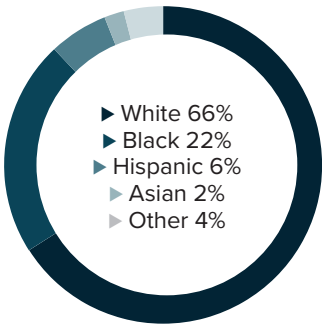
**51,890**



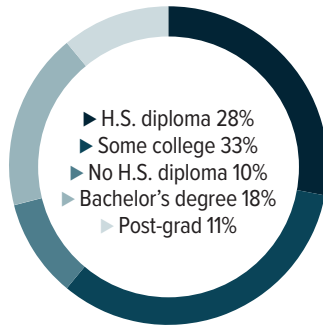
Number of households

**20,532**

### Racial distribution



### Education level



## ECONOMY



Median household income

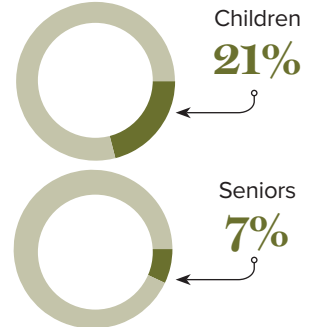
**\$59,474**



Median value of owner-occupied housing

**\$200,200**

### Poverty rates



## PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Bossier  
Enrollment

**22,740**

Economically  
disadvantaged

**54%**

## HIGHER EDUCATION

Number of students receiving  
GO Grants

**181**

Number of students receiving TOPS

**768**

### TOPS breakdown

Opportunity

**291**

Performance

**222**

Honors

**219**

Tech

**36**

## WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS



Housholds receiving EITC\*

**4,619**



State EITC impact

**\$645,112**



Tax filers receiving EITC

**22%**



Average state EITC

**\$140**

\*The Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) is a benefit for working people with low to moderate income. To qualify, you must meet certain requirements and file a tax return, even if you do not owe any tax or are not required to file.

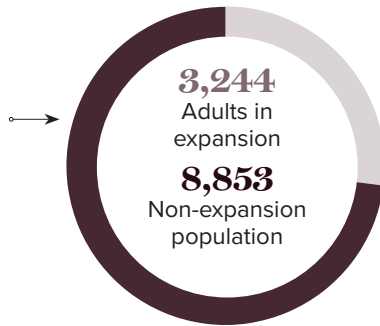
## MEDICAID

Total individuals receiving Medicaid

**12,097**

Children receiving Medicaid

**6,182**



## CASH ASSISTANCE

	FITAP	KCSP
Households	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>
Average amount per recipient	<b>\$85</b>	<b>\$132</b>
Total monthly distribution	<b>\$2,127</b>	<b>\$4,218</b>

\*The Family Independence Temporary Assistance Program (FITAP) provides cash assistance to very low-income families with children who meet specific criteria.

\*The Kinship Care Subsidy Program (KCSP) provides cash assistance to qualifying relatives who are caring for one or more children in the absence of the children's parents.

## FOOD ASSISTANCE



SNAP recipients

**5,269**



SNAP retailers

**33**



Households receiving SNAP\*

**11%**



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

**\$2,140,603**



Total monthly benefits

**\$877,063**

\*The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, also called Food Stamps) provides food assistance benefits to people and families with low incomes.