

BY THE NUMBERS



DEMOGRAPHICS



Population

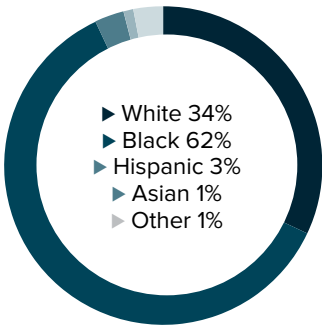
42,824



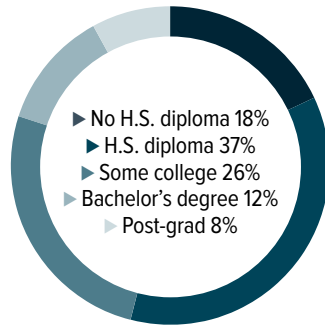
Number of households

15,827

Racial distribution



Education level



ECONOMY



Median household income

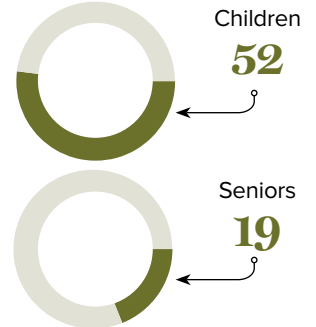
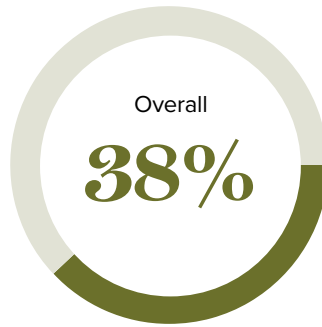
\$25,334



Median value of owner-occupied housing

\$85,400

Poverty rates



PUBLIC SCHOOLS

| District | Enrollment | Economically disadvantaged |
|-----------|------------|----------------------------|
| Bienville | 1,995 | 77% |
| Claiborne | 1,699 | 84% |
| Lincoln | 5,819 | 64% |

HIGHER EDUCATION

Number of students receiving GO Grants **239**

Number of students receiving TOPS

337

TOPS breakdown

Opportunity

146

Honors

70

Performance

101

Tech

20

WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS



Households receiving EITC*

4,327



State EITC impact

\$611,277



Tax filers receiving EITC

31%



Average state EITC

\$141

*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.

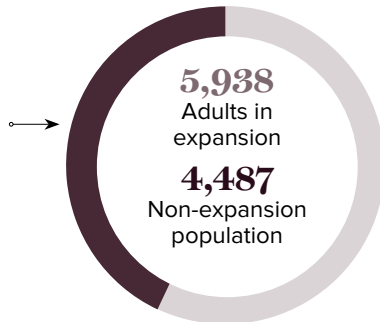
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Total individuals receiving Medicaid

10,425

Children receiving Medicaid

6,843



CASH ASSISTANCE

| | FITAP | KCSP |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Households | 28 | 9 |
| Average amount per recipient | \$83 | \$151 |
| Total monthly distribution | \$5,343 | \$4,385 |

*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

9,484



SNAP retailers

31



Households receiving SNAP*

4,792



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

\$1,055,720



Total monthly benefits

\$2,030,039

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