

# BY THE NUMBERS



## DEMOGRAPHICS

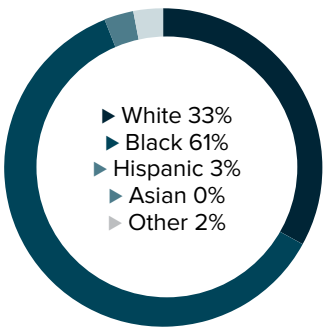


Population  
**41,188**

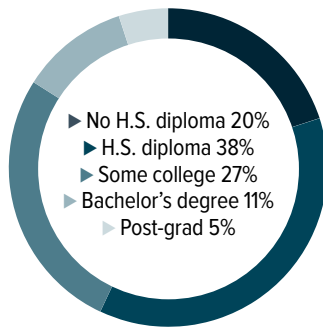


Number of households  
**14,091**

Racial distribution



Education level



## ECONOMY

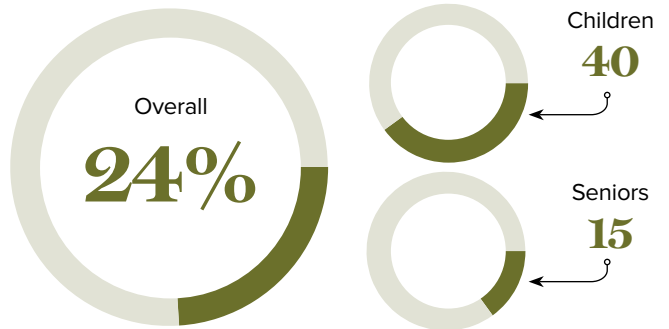


Median household income  
**\$42,856**



Median value of owner-occupied housing  
**\$151,800**

Poverty rates



## PUBLIC SCHOOLS

District	Enrollment	Economically disadvantaged
Ascension	<b>23,474</b>	<b>56%</b>
Iberville	<b>4,450</b>	<b>81%</b>
St. James	<b>3,594</b>	<b>62%</b>

## HIGHER EDUCATION

Number of students receiving GO Grants **172**

Number of students receiving TOPS

**327**

### TOPS breakdown

Opportunity

**167**

Honors

**61**

Performance

**82**

Tech

**17**

## WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS



Households receiving EITC\*

**4,919**



State EITC impact

**\$761,658**



Tax filers receiving EITC

**29%**



Average state EITC

**\$155**

\*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.

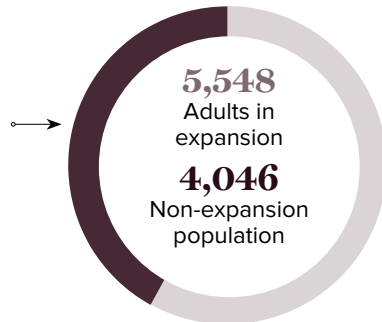
## MEDICAID

Total individuals receiving Medicaid

**9,594**

Children receiving Medicaid

**7,172**



## CASH ASSISTANCE

	FITAP	KCSP
Households	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>
Average amount per recipient	<b>\$63</b>	<b>\$153</b>
Total monthly distribution	<b>\$1,128</b>	<b>\$5,217</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

**8,626**



SNAP retailers

**37**



Households receiving SNAP\*

**3,899**



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

**\$980,946**



Total monthly benefits

**\$1,815,553**

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