

# BY THE NUMBERS



## DEMOGRAPHICS



Population

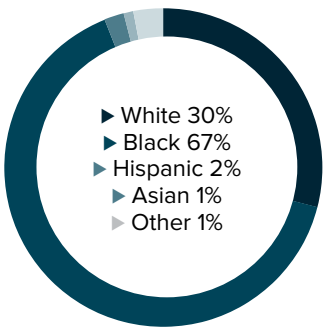
**110,461**



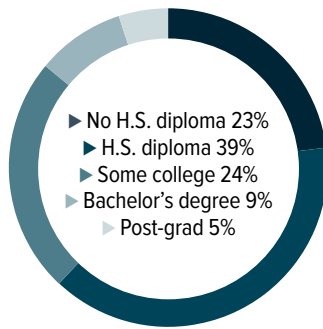
Number of households

**38,010**

Racial distribution



Education level



## ECONOMY



Median household income

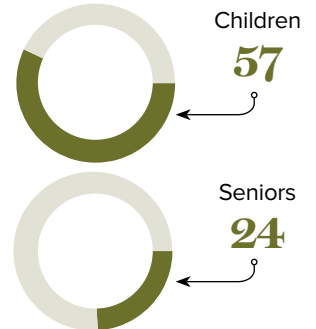
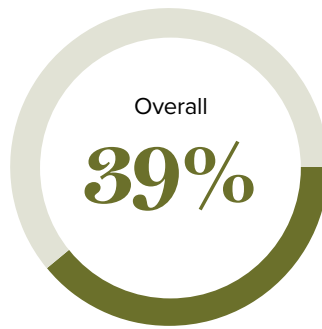
**\$26,653**



Median value of owner-occupied housing

**\$80,400**

Poverty rates



## PUBLIC SCHOOLS

District	Enrollment	Economically disadvantaged
Concordia	<b>3,273</b>	<b>85%</b>
East Carroll	<b>826</b>	<b>98%</b>
Madison	<b>1,141</b>	<b>100%</b>
Morehouse	<b>3,335</b>	<b>86%</b>
Ouachita	<b>18,459</b>	<b>67%</b>
Richland	<b>2,724</b>	<b>84%</b>
Tensas	<b>346</b>	<b>96%</b>

## HIGHER EDUCATION

Number of students receiving GO Grants **500**

Number of students receiving TOPS

**629**

### TOPS breakdown

Opportunity

**310**

Honors

**113**

Performance

**163**

Tech

**43**

## WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS



Households receiving EITC\*

**16,533**



State EITC impact

**\$2,671,948**



Tax filers receiving EITC

**42%**



Average state EITC

**\$162**

\*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.

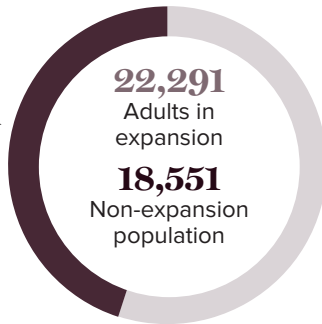
## MEDICAID

Total individuals receiving Medicaid

**40,842**

Children receiving Medicaid

**27,073**



## CASH ASSISTANCE

	FITAP	KCSP
Households	<b>124</b>	<b>55</b>
Average amount per recipient	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$151</b>
Total monthly distribution	<b>\$25,890</b>	<b>\$24,296</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

**35,675**



SNAP retailers

**103**



Households receiving SNAP\*

**17,236**



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

**\$6,781,268**



Total monthly benefits

**\$7,588,903**

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