

BY THE NUMBERS

DEMOGRAPHICS



Population

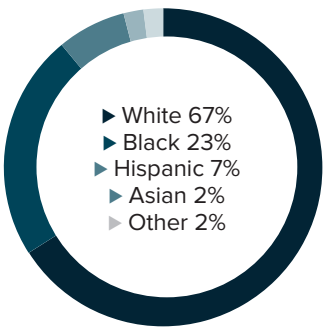
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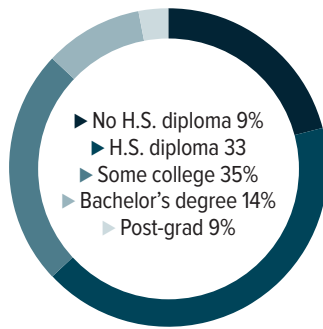
Number of households

49,735

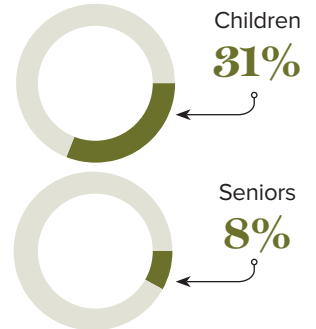
Racial distribution



Education level



Poverty rates



ECONOMY



Median household income

\$49,962



Median value of owner-occupied housing

\$172,500

HIGHER EDUCATION



Number of students receiving TOPS

1528

TOPS breakdown

Opportunity	597	Tech	51
Honors	400	Performance	480

Number of students receiving GO Grants

639

**SCHOOL BOARD ASSOCIATIONS:
BOSSIER PARISH SCHOOLS**

WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS



Housholds receiving EITC*

11,700



State EITC impact

\$1,611,600



Tax filers receiving EITC

22%



Average state EITC

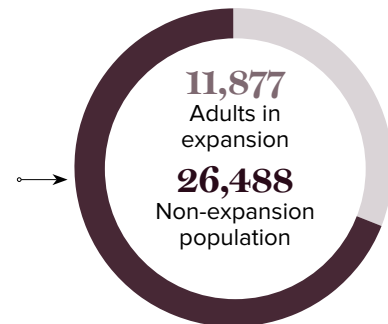
\$138

*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

38,328



CASH ASSISTANCE

	FITAP	KCSP
Households	31	31
Average amount per recipient	\$84	\$222
Total monthly distribution	\$6,100	\$12,650

*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*

18,495



SNAP retailers

85



Households receiving SNAP

8,704



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

\$3,855,142



Total monthly benefits

\$3,947,990

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