# BY THE NUMBERS



### **DEMOGRAPHICS**



**Population** 

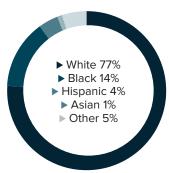
97,614



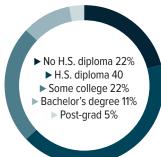
**Number of households** 

36,759

#### **Racial distribution**



**Education level** 



# **ECONOMY**



Median household income

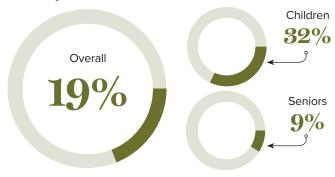
\$51,339



Median value of owner-occupied housing

\$159,700

#### **Poverty rates**



# **HIGHER EDUCATION**



Number of students receiving TOPS

1405

#### **TOPS** breakdown

Opportunity

**543** 

Tech

**69** 

Honors

342

Performance

451

Number of students receiving GO Grants \*

633

#### **SCHOOL BOARD ASSOCIATIONS:**

LAFOURCHE PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT

# FAMILY ECONOMIC SECURITY



# **WORKING FAMILY TAX CREDITS**



Housholds receiving EITC\*

8,530



State EITC impact

\$1,164,750



Tax filers receiving EITC

22%



Average state EITC

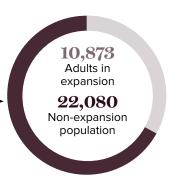
\$137

\*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

32,908



# CASH ASSISTANCE

FITAP

KCSP

Households

30

18

Average amount per recipient

\$84

\$233

Total monthly distribution

\$5,513

\$6,767

\*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\*

16,544



Households receiving SNAP

8,425



**Total monthly benefits** 

\$3,764,815



**SNAP** retailers

64



Monthly benefits redeemed at district retailers

\$3,532,706

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