

# DEGREE ATTAINMENT PROFILE



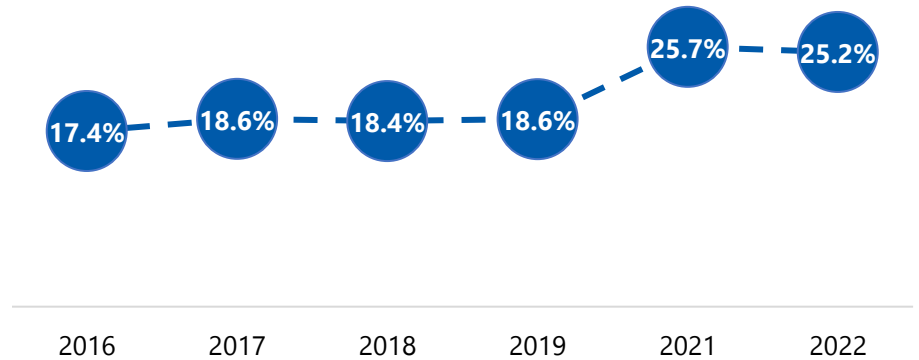
## Okeechobee County

### Residents aged 25-64 with a high-quality degree

# 25.2%

Increased 7.8% since 2016

County Rank: 46 of 67



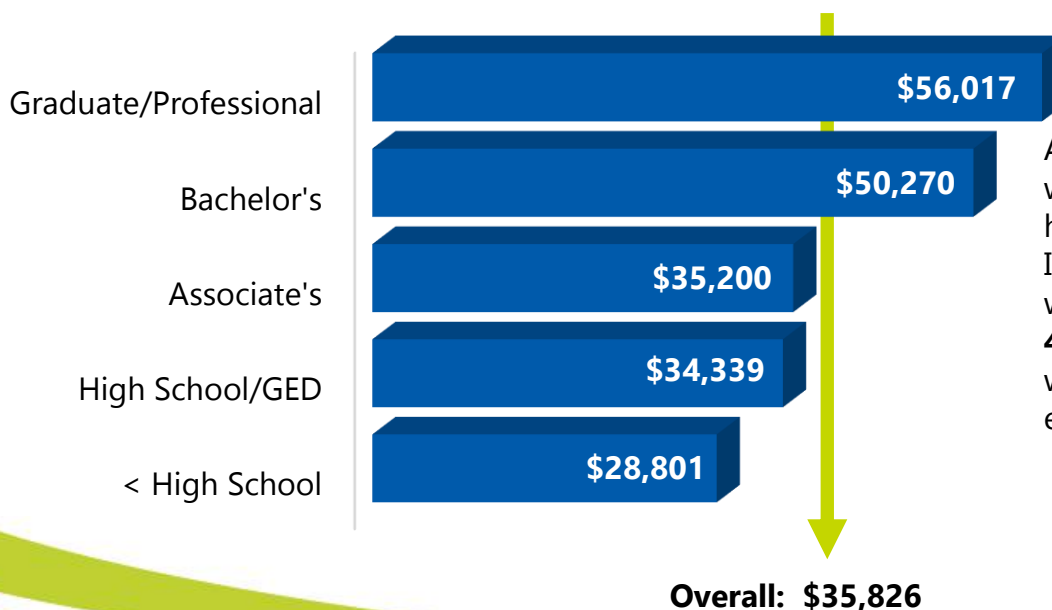
### Statewide Rankings, Selected Criteria

Attainment Rate		
Rank	County	AA+
44	Jefferson	25.7%
45	Columbia	25.5%
<b>46</b>	<b>Okeechobee</b>	<b>25.2%</b>
47	Madison	24.8%
48	Gilchrist	24.0%

Attainment Rate by Population			
Rank	County	Total Pop.	AA+
45	Jackson	40,504	21.5%
46	Hendry	39,155	19.5%
<b>47</b>	<b>Okeechobee</b>	<b>37,024</b>	<b>25.2%</b>
48	DeSoto	32,594	15.8%
49	Wakulla	30,707	27.1%

Percent Living Below Poverty Level			
Rank	County	% Below	AA+
49	Bradford	18.2%	19.1%
50	Jefferson	18.3%	25.7%
<b>51</b>	<b>Okeechobee</b>	<b>19.2%</b>	<b>25.2%</b>
52	Jackson	19.2%	21.5%
53	Lafayette	19.3%	12.7%

### Median Earnings by Education/Training Level



An annual dividend is paid to workers with education beyond a high school diploma or equivalency. In **Okeechobee** County, a worker with a bachelor's degree earns **46.4% more per year** than a worker with a high school education.

