

DEGREE ATTAINMENT PROFILE

Lee County

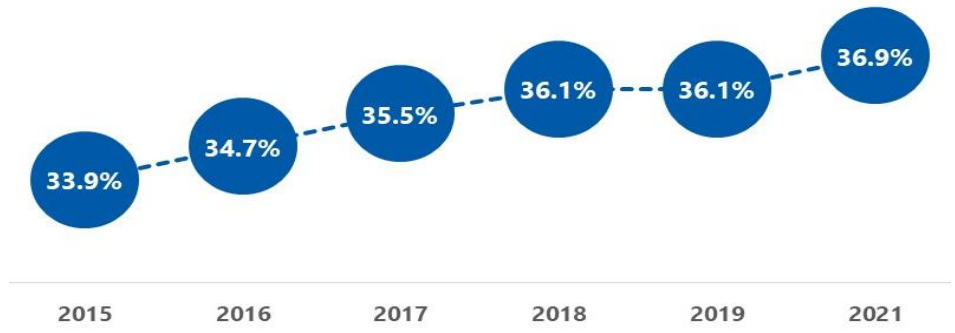


Residents aged 25-64 with a high-quality degree^{1,3}

36.9%

Increased 3% since 2015

County Rank: **31** of **67**



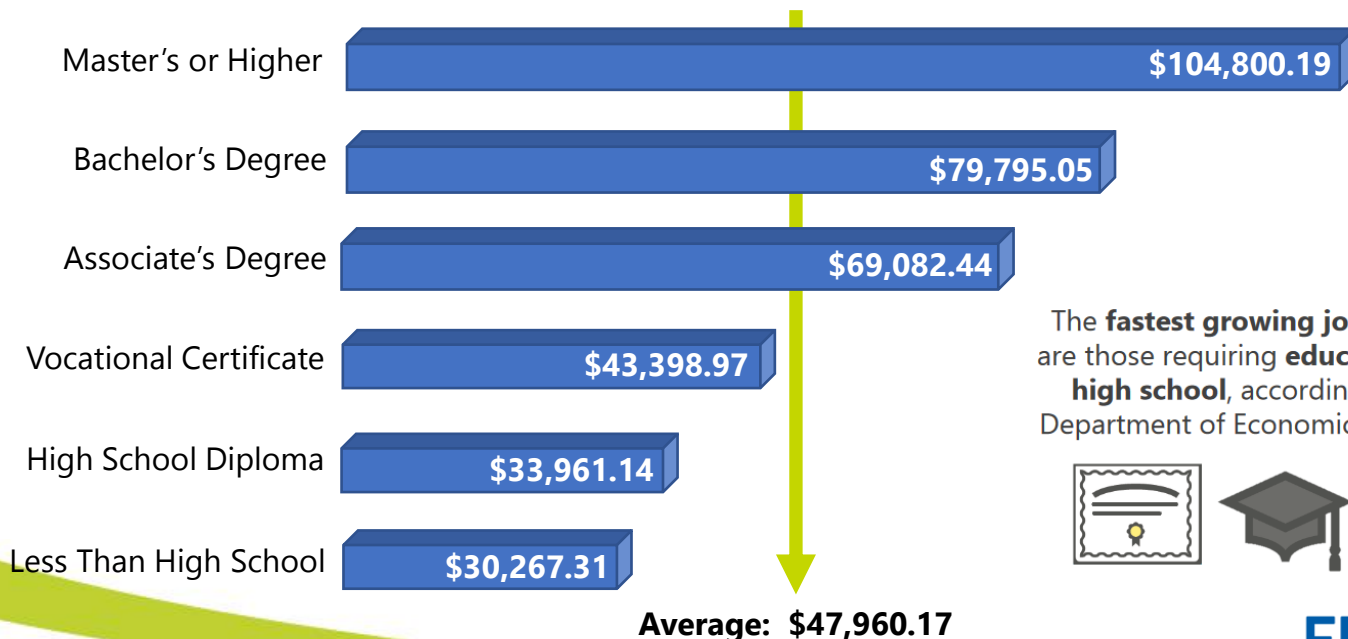
County-by-county comparisons based on selected criteria¹

Attainment Rate		
Rank	County	Rate
29	Bay	38.2%
30	Osceola	37.9%
31	Lee	36.9%
32	St. Lucie	35.3%
33	Charlotte	33.9%

Attainment Rate by Population			
Rank	County	Total Pop.	Rate
6	Duval	983,153	42.4%
7	Pinellas	957,989	47.0%
8	Lee	752,251	36.9%
9	Polk	713,148	31.3%
10	Brevard	601,573	47.1%

Percent Living Below Poverty Level			
Rank	County	% Below	Rate
22	Baker	11.7%	23.8%
23	St. Lucie	11.8%	35.3%
24	Lee	12.0%	36.9%
25	Pasco	12.2%	39.1%
26	Gilchrist	12.2%	22.5%

Average Wages by Education/Training Level²



The **fastest growing jobs in Florida** are those requiring **education beyond high school**, according to Florida Department of Economic Opportunity.

