

DEGREE ATTAINMENT PROFILE

Okeechobee County

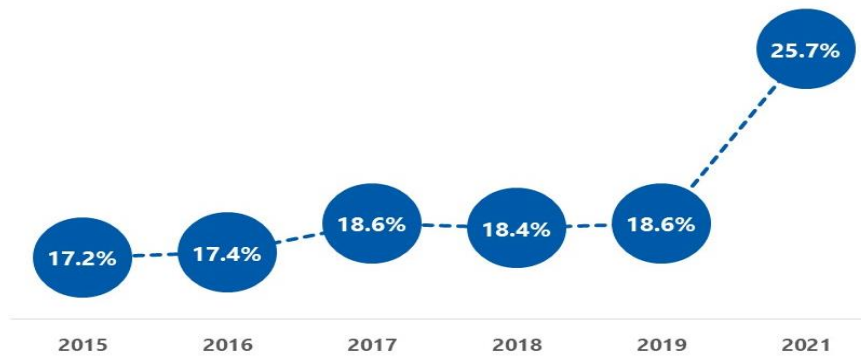


Residents aged 25-64 with a high-quality degree^{1,3}

25.7%

Increased 8.5% since 2015

County Rank: **44** of **67**



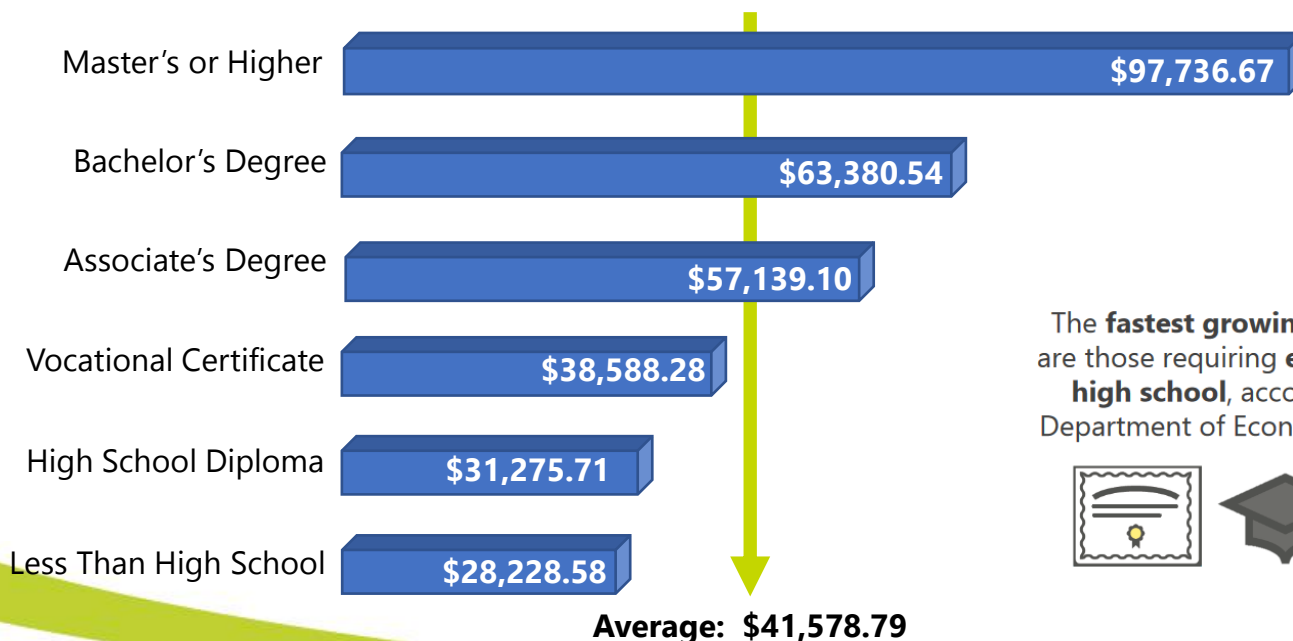
County-by-county comparisons based on selected criteria¹

Attainment Rate		
Rank	County	Rate
42	Levy	26.7%
43	Jefferson	26.3%
44	Okeechobee	25.7%
45	Gadsden	25.6%
46	Columbia	24.9%

Attainment Rate by Population			
Rank	County	Total Pop.	Rate
44	Suwannee	43,514	23.1%
45	Levy	42,392	26.7%
46	Okeechobee	39,716	25.7%
47	Hendry	39,439	18.4%
48	DeSoto	34,027	16.3%

Percent Living Below Poverty Level			
Rank	County	% Below	Rate
54	Leon	19.3%	57.1%
55	Bradford	19.4%	16.3%
56	Okeechobee	19.8%	25.7%
57	Glades	19.9%	14.7%
58	Alachua	20.1%	59.1%

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.

