

# MOREHOUSE PARISH PROFILE-2011

AREA		MARKET ACCESSIBILITY	
<b>Total</b>	805 Sq. miles	<b>Major Highways</b>	
Land	794 Sq. miles	Interstate Hwy	N/A
Water	11 Sq. miles	US Highway	165,425
		LA Highways	2
DEMOGRAPHICS			
<b>Population</b>		<b>Freight Railroad</b>	
Total Population	27,979	Union Pacific Railroad (UP)	
Total Households	10,921	Arkansas & Louisiana Mississippi Railroad (ALM)	
Median Age	37.7		
<b>Household Income</b>		<b>Nearest Major City</b>	
Median Household Income	\$27,955	Shreveport, Louisiana	130 miles
Average Household Income	\$39,230	<b>Nearest Commercial Airport</b>	
Per Capita Income	\$15,324	Monroe Regional Airport	30 miles
		(2,5000 & 1,7500 runway)	
<b>Population by Employment</b>		<b>Nearest Airport</b>	
White Collar Jobs	46.2%	Morehouse Memorial Airport	5 miles
Service Jobs	20.0%	(1,4000 runway)	
Blue Collar Jobs	33.8%	<b>Nearest Port</b>	
		Greater Ouachita Parish Port(9Ft)	25 miles
<b>Population by Education,25 Years+</b>		<b>Nearest Deepwater Port</b>	
High School Graduate	43.1%	Port of New Orleans (Deepwater)	
Associate Degree	3.8%		
Bachelor's Degree	8.2%		
Master's Professional/Doctorate Degree	3.1%		
LABOR FORCE-YEAR 2010-Average			
Civilian Labor	11,478	<b>MAJOR EMPLOYERS</b>	
Employed	9,821	Morehouse Parish School Board	721
Unemployed	1,657	Morehouse General Hospital Inc	299
Unemployment Rate	14.4%	City of Bastrop	163
		Cherry Ridge Guest Care, LLC	120
		Summerlin Lane Nursing Home	101
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS-YEAR 2010-Average			
		<b>CLIMATE</b>	
<b>TAXES</b>		Annual Average High Temperature	75.5° F
Property Taxes (Mills) Parish Wide	77.28-95.45	Annual Average Low Temperature	53.1° F
<b>SALES TAX</b>		Average Temperature	64.3° F
Parish	7.00%	Average Annual Precipitation	57.1 in
Bastrop	10.00%		
Mer Rouge	9.00%		
Bonita	9.00%		

Sources: ESRI, 2010, LA Dept of Education, LA Dept of Transportation, Parish Tax Assessor Offices, US Census 2010 Data, LA Board of Regents, LA Workforce Commission, & Hoovers

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## Average Weekly Wages (\$) by Major Industry Division (3<sup>RD</sup> QUARTER 2010)

<b>Morehouse</b>	<b>\$554</b>
Agriculture	468
Mining	*
Utilities	760
Construction	936
Manufacturing	732
Wholesale Trade	949
Retail Trade	437
Transportation & Warehousing	795
Information	655
Finance & Insurance	668
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	396
Professional & Technical Services	624
Management Companies & Enterprises	*
Administrative & Waste Services	579
Educational Services	*
Healthcare & Social Assistance	496
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	259
Accommodation & Food Services	229
Other services	307
Public Administration	779

\*Data Non-publishable\*

## EDUCATION

### Primary/Education (Year 2009-2010)

Public Schools	14
Private Schools	1
School District	1

## NEAREST COMMUNITY & 2- YEAR COLLEGES

Louisiana Delta Community College

## NEAREST TECHNICAL COLLEGES

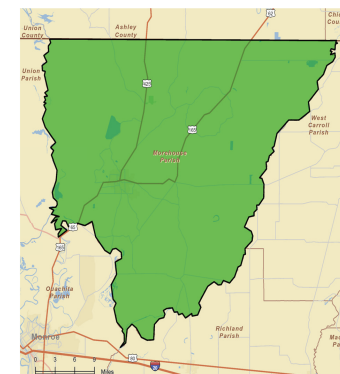
Louisiana Technical College-Bastrop Campus

## NEAREST 4 -YEAR COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

University of Louisiana at Monroe

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