

CELEBRATING HAITIAN HERITAGE



MAY 18

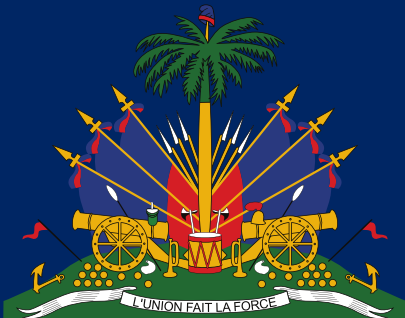
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About Haitian Flag Day



May 18 commemorates the creation of the Haitian flag, originally sewn together in 1803 by Catherine Flon at the request of Jean Jacques Dessalines who tore the French flag and removed the white portion.



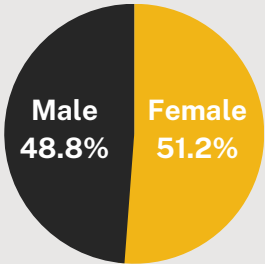
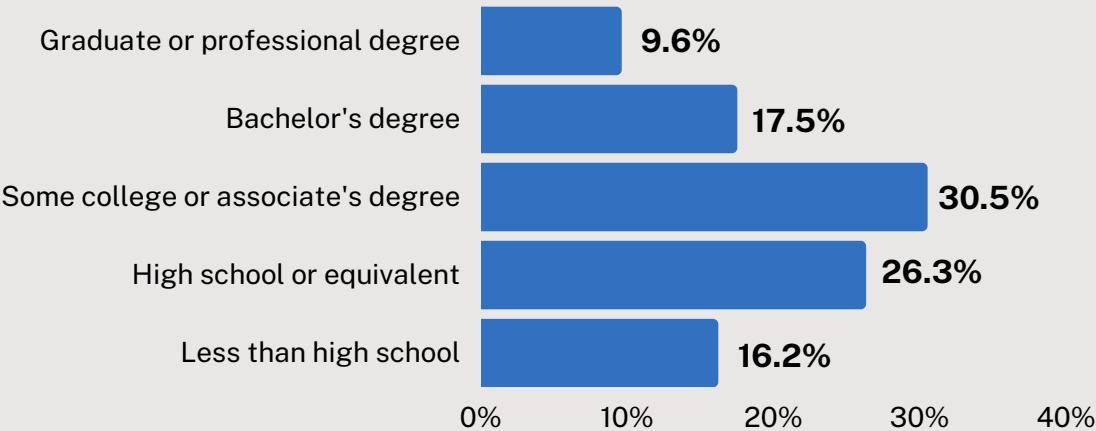
Haitian Independence Day is a separate event and occurred on January 01, 1804.



The motto, "L'Union fait la Force" was added in 1806 by Dessalines' successor Alexandre Petion, meaning strength in unity.

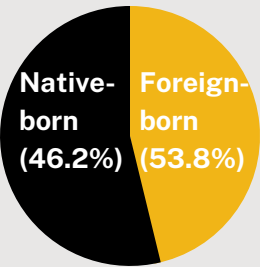
Haitian American Demographics, 2021

HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT FOR HAITIANS AGES 25 AND OVER IN THE US

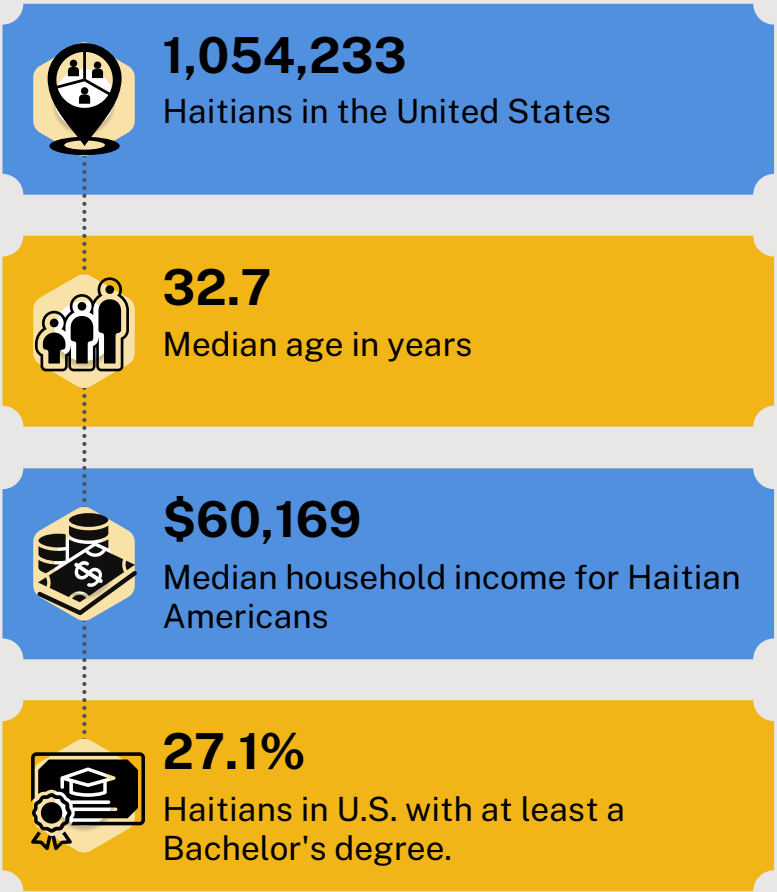


HAITIAN AMERICANS BY GENDER

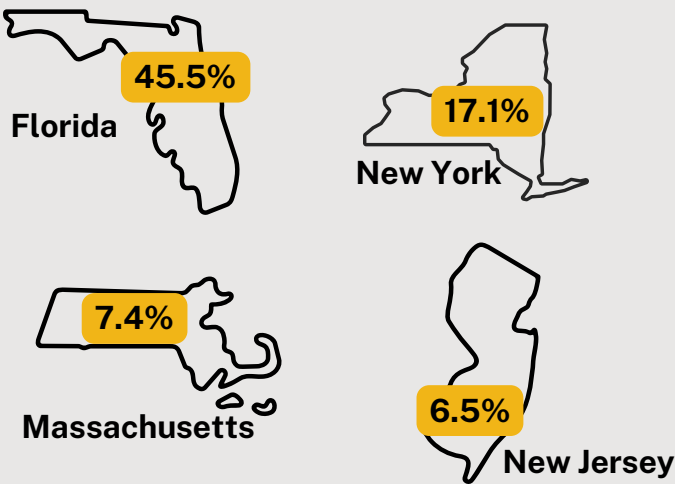
HAITIAN AMERICANS BY BIRTHPLACE



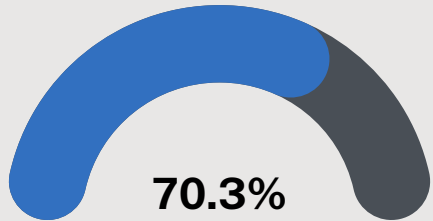
HAITIAN AMERICAN QUICK FACTS



HAITIAN AMERICANS BY STATE



LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION



of Haitian Americans were in the labor force

Haitian Heritage Celebrations



Haitian Kompa Classes
at North Miami Public Library
(every Wednesday in May
6:30p.m.-7:45 p.m.)



Theater adaptation of "Create
Dangerously", book authored by
Haitian-American Edwidge
Danticant
at Colony Theatre (5/4-5/28)



Haitian Flag Day Celebration
at Scale Up 305
(05/18, 6p.m.- 9p.m.)



Haitian Compas Festival
at Bayfront Park (5/20, 3p.m.)



Haitian Flag Day Celebration
at MOCA Plaza
(05/18, 4p.m.-11 p.m.)



**Haitian Heritage Month
Comedy Show**
at North Miami Senior High School
(5/26, 7:30p.m.-10p.m.)



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