

**Collinston  
Morehouse Parish, Louisiana**

The Village of Collinston is home to many attractions and economic pursuits, some of which have attained national acclaim.

There's a 37-acre recreation site at Collinston called "Kalorama," which was the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Reilly, who manufactured and distributed Luzianne Coffee and Tea. Luzianne Coffee and Tea, as well as Blue Plate products, and several other teas and specialty products are still being produced today in the community.

The property at Kalorama remains, for the most part, untouched and provides an excellent opportunity to explore wildlife in its natural habitat. Birdwatchers, botanists, and nature enthusiasts may visit by appointment.


Farming is the prevalent industry providing an agricultural backdrop of row crops and open space that enhance the charm of the Collinston area.



The Collinston Museum is open every Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., and other tours in the area can be arranged by calling 318-874-2266 during museum hours or by calling Collinston City Hall at 318-874-2631. The museum exhibits highlight the rich history of the area and include railroad related items. The original jail cell has been preserved in the building.

### Demographics

<b>Population</b>	327 – 2008 Estimate (Village); 31,021 (Parish) LA Tech University, 2008 Estimate; U.S. Census 2000
<b>Pop by Age (2000 Census)</b>	24.2% - < 18 11.3% - 18 – 24 23.2% - 25 – 44 25.4% - 45 – 64 15.9% - 65 + Median Age: 39 years
<b>Median Household Income</b>	\$17,500
<b>Density</b>	290.5 /sq mi (112.2 /km <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Households</b>	132 (149 housing units)
<b>Industries Providing Employment</b>	Agriculture, federal corrections

### Major Highways

-  U.S. Highway 165

-  U.S. Highway 425
-  Louisiana Highway 2

## **Railroad**

Union Pacific

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