



## MID CITY

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**The area called Mid City, bounded by I-110 on the west, College Drive and North Foster on the east, Choctaw to the north and I-10 to the south, is socially and economically diverse. From large commercial holdings along Florida Boulevard to neighborhood mom-and-pop retail operations, from the turn-of-the-century, row lined houses visible in the Eden Park community to the larger residences of the Garden District, from N. 19th Baptist Church to the Capitol Park, Mid City, in a sense, is a reflection of the Baton Rouge Community. Carved out of a forested oak grove, the abundance of old oak trees that line the streets reflect its rich history.**

*MC = MasterCard, V = Visa, AE = American Express, D = Discover, HC = Handicapped-accessible entries*

### Baton Rouge Community College

201 Community College Dr., (225) 216-8000, [www.mybrcc.edu](http://www.mybrcc.edu). A member of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System, BRCC is one of the fastest growing community colleges in the nation. The Performing Arts program and the Magnolia Performing Arts Pavilion have made BRCC a community center for the arts, featuring performances from notable groups and personalities such as Maya Angelou, Bill Cosby, Jay Leno, The Harlem Gospel Choir and more.

### Baton Rouge National Cemetery

220 N. 19th Street, Baton Rouge, (225) 654-3767. Open daily, 8 a.m. to sunset. During the Civil War, soldiers and sailors were buried at the present site of Baton Rouge National Cemetery and, in 1867, it was designated a national cemetery. Remains were brought to Baton Rouge National Cemetery from the surrounding area, including Plaquemine, La., and Camden, Ark. Interred here are the remains of Gen. Philemon Thomas, who fought in both the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 and commanded the forces that captured the Spanish fort at Baton Rouge in 1810.

### Bistro Byronz

5412 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 218-1433 [www.bistrobyronz.com](http://www.bistrobyronz.com). Mon.-Fri., 11 a.m.-9 p.m.; Fri. &

Sat., 11 a.m.-10 p.m.; Sun., 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Bienvenue à Bistro Byronz, the place to relax and enjoy great food at a reasonable price. Our menu features delicious sandwiches on our signature Byronz bread, Corn and Shrimp Soup and Shrimp Remoulade plus exciting bistro fare including Steak Frite, Chicken Paillard and more. Be a part of what's good. Real Good.

### Brown & Brown Custom Clothier

5454 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 926-7848, Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Custom men's and women's clothing and accessories. Custom shoes and boots, reweaving and professional tailoring.

### Circa 1857

1857 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 387-8667, [circa1857.com](http://circa1857.com). Mon.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Circa 1857 is located in an old drug store. We carry an eclectic mix of old and new. With antiques, original art and architectural salvage from around the world, you never know what you will find at Circa 1857. Come browse and spend the day with us! MC, V, AE, D

### Doe's Eat Place

3723 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 387-5331, [www.doesbatonrouge.com](http://www.doesbatonrouge.com). Mon.-Sat., 4:30 p.m.-9 p.m.; Fri., 11 a.m.-2 p.m.; extended hours game days. Serving world-famous steaks and hot tamales since 1941—come enjoy the steak that *bon appétit* just ranked third in the country. MC, V, AE, D

### The Funky Palette

1857 Government St., Baton Rouge (225) 636-2008, [www.thefunkypalette.com](http://www.thefunkypalette.com). Mon.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Located upstairs in the Circa 1857 building. Gallery representing an eclectic mix of local/regional emerging artists works. Take a walk on the funky side!!!

### Rotolo's Pizzeria

Mid City – Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 930-7555, [www.rotolos.com](http://www.rotolos.com)  
 LSU – 4343 Nicholson Dr. (225) 761-1999  
 Coursey – 11903 Coursey Blvd. (225) 368-1999  
 Open daily 11 a.m.-midnight. Neighborhood pizza pub locally owned and operated for more than 14 years. Enjoy our famous calzones, pizza and ice cold beer in a family-oriented atmosphere or call for pick up. All credit cards accepted.

**Rue Cou Cou**

1857 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 343-9722. Tue.-Fri., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Located in the Shops at Circa 1857 complex. Custom framing, unique gifts and a gallery featuring more than 60 local artists ... We knew them when.

**Superior Grill**

5435 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 927-2022, [www.superiorgrill.com](http://www.superiorgrill.com). Add some real spice to your life! Consistently rated as one of Louisiana's best Mexican restaurants since 1983, Superior Grill is a landmark in fine quality foods and famous for fajitas and margaritas. Our margaritas are made with freshly squeezed lime juice and our food is made fresh, from scratch, everyday. For added flavor, all of our meats are prepared over a mesquite grill. It's the closest thing to being in Mexico! Join us for happy hour every day from 4:30 to 6:30 for great drink specials!!

**Taylor Clark Gallery**

2623 Government St., Baton Rouge, (225) 383-4929, [www.taylorclark.com](http://www.taylorclark.com). Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Established in 1958, Taylor Clark Gallery is one of the South's premier fine art galleries, featuring paintings, prints and custom framing. In addition, the gallery showcases works by local



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and regional artists and is known internationally as a dealer in the printed works of John James Audubon. MC, AE, V, D ✦



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