# Environment

## New Jersey is the 47th largest state at 7,836 square miles

## It has a population of 8.5 million

## From North to South it covers 167 Miles

## From East to West it is 57 miles

## Its highest point is 1,803 ft. in High Point, NJ

# Climate

## New Jersey is located half way between the North Pole and the Equator

## Due to its location the climate tends to be wet, dry, hot and very variable

## There are 5 climate regions in the state

# Fast Facts

## Capital

## Trenton

## State Bird

## Eastern Goldfinch

## State Tree

## Red Oak

## State Animal

## Horse

## State Insect

## Honeybee

## State Flower

## Purple Violet

## State Motto

## “Liberty and Prosperity”

# Did You Know?

## Giovanni da Verrazano was the first known explorer of New Jersey in 1594

## New Jersey was the first state to allow women to vote

## In 1933, the world’s first drive-in movie theater opened near Camden

## Manufacturing is the number one industry in the state followed by Tourism

# Ten Largest Cities by Population