

- New Jersey's Human Geography
 - *Human geography is how people use and change the physical features of an area
 - *borders are imaginary lines that tell you where one area ends and another begins. They divide countries, counties, and states
 - *U.S. has 50 states
 - *NJ 21 counties
 - *Our capital is Trenton
 - *An urban area is a city
 - *Suburb=less populated area outside or near a city
 - *rural = countryside (farms)
 - *Human and physical geography are connected because humans have changed the physical features of the land by building cities, digging canals, and creating farmland.
- New Jersey's Population
 - *Most densely populated state in the U.S. (meaning we have a larger than average number of people living and working in a given area of space)
 - *Five counties in NJ that are densely populated: Essex, Hudson, Passaic, Bergen and Union
 - are very populated counties because they are close to New York City which provides many jobs for people
 - *A few densely populated cities in NJ are Camden, Trenton, Atlantic City, Elizabeth, Jersey City, Patterson, and Newark
 - *down south in NJ fruits and vegetables can grow easier because of the flat land and good soil.