

IDENTIFYING DEMOGRAPHICALLY SIMILAR DISTRICTS*

			<i>EG DFG</i>			<i>EG DFG</i>			<i>EG DFG</i>			<i>EG DFG</i>		
ATLANTIC			BERGEN CO VOC	10	V	LYNDHURST	6	DE	SO HACKENSACK	2	CD	MAPLE SHADE	6	CD
ABSECON	4	CD	BERGENFIELD	6	FG	MAHWAH	6	I	TEANECK	7	GH	MEDFORD LAKES	3	I
ATLANTIC CITY	7	A	BOGOTA	5	DE	MAYWOOD	4	FG	TENAFLY	7	I	MEDFORD TWP	4	I
ATLANTIC CO SP SVCS	9		CARLSTADT	3	DE	MIDLAND PARK	5	GH	UPPER SADDLE RIVER	4	J	MOORESTOWN	7	I
ATLANTIC CO VOC	10	V	CARLSTADT E RUTHER	8	CD	MONTVALE	4	I	WALDWICK	5	GH	MOUNT HOLLY	4	B
BRIGANTINE	4	CD	CLIFFSIDE PARK	6	B	MOONACHIE	2	B	WALLINGTON	5	B	MOUNT LAUREL	4	I
BUENA REG	6	A	CLOSTER	4	I	NEW MILFORD	6	FG	WESTWOOD REG	6	GH	NEW HANOVER TWP	2	B
EGG HARBOR CITY	3	A	CRESSKILL	5	I	NO HIGHLAND REG	8	J	WOODCLIFF LAKE	4	J	NO BURLINGTON CO RG	8	DE
EGG HARBOR TWP	7	CD	DEMAREST	3	I	NO VALLEY REG	8	I	WOOD-RIDGE	5	FG	NO HANOVER	1	DE
ESTELL MANOR	2	DE	DUMONT	6	FG	NORTH ARLINGTON	5	DE	WYCKOFF	4	I	PALMYRA	5	DE
FOLSOM	2	CD	EAST RUTHERFORD	4	CD	NORTHVALE	3	FG	BURLINGTON					
GALLOWAY TWP	4	CD	EDGEWATER	1	GH	NORWOOD	3	I	BASS RIVER	1	CD	PEMBERTON TWP	7	B
GRTR EGG HARBOR REG	8	CD	ELMWOOD PARK	6	CD	OAKLAND	4	I	BEVERLY	2	B	RANOCAS VAL REG	8	DE
HAMILTON TWP	4	CD	EMERSON	5	GH	OLD TAPPAN	4	I	BORDENTOWN REG	6	FG	RIVERSIDE	5	B
HAMMONTON	7	B	ENGLEWOOD	6	DE	ORADELL	1	I	BURLINGTON REG	6	B	RIVERTON	2	GH
LINWOOD	4	GH	ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS	3	I	PALISADES PARK	5	CD	BURLINGTON CITY	6	B	SHAMONG TWP	4	GH
MAINLAND REG	8	DE	FAIR LAWN	7	GH	PARAMUS	7	GH	BURLINGTON CO VOC	10	V	SOUTHAMPTON	4	DE
MARGATE CITY	3	DE	FAIRVIEW	4	A	PARK RIDGE	5	I	BURLINGTON SP SVCS	9		SPRINGFIELD	1	FG
MULLICA TWP	3	B	FORT LEE	7	FG	PASCACK VALLEY REG	8	I	BURLINGTON TWP	7	FG	TABERNACLE TWP	4	GH
NORTHFIELD CITY	4	DE	FRANKLIN LAKES	4	I	RAMAPO IND REG	8	I	CHESTERFIELD	1	GH	WASHINGTON TWP	2	A
PLEASANTVILLE	7	A	GARFIELD	7	B	RAMSEY	6	I	CINNAMINSON	6	FG	WESTAMPTON	4	GH
PORT REPUBLIC	2	FG	GLEN ROCK	6	J	RIDGEFIELD	6	DE	DELANCO	3	CD	WILLINGBORO	7	DE
SOMERS POINT	4	CD	HACKENSACK	7	CD	RIDGEFIELD PK	6	DE	DELTRAN	6	FG	WOODLAND TWP	2	DE
VENTNOR CITY	4	B	HARRINGTON PARK	3	I	RIDGEWOOD	7	J	EASTAMPTON TWP	3	FG	CAMDEN		
WEYMOUTH TWP	2	B	HASBROUCK HEIGHTS	5	FG	RIVER DELL REG	8	I	EDGEWATER PARK	4	DE	AUDUBON	5	DE
BERGEN			HAWORTH	3	I	RIVER EDGE	1	I	EVESHAM	4	I	BARRINGTON	3	FG
ALLENDALE	4	I	HILLSDALE	4	GH	RIVER VALE	4	I	FLORENCE	5	DE	BELLMAWR	4	B
ALPINE	2	I	HO-HO-KUS	3	J	ROCHELLE PARK	3	FG	HAINESPORT	3	FG	BERLIN BORO	4	DE
BERGEN CO SP SVCS	9		LEONIA	5	GH	RUTHERFORD	6	GH	LENAPE REG	8	GH	BERLIN TWP	3	CD
			LITTLE FERRY	4	CD	SADDLE BROOK TWP	5	DE	LUMBERTON	4	FG	BLACK HORSE PIKE	8	DE
			LODI	6	B	SADDLE RIVER	1	J	MANSFIELD	1	DE	BROOKLAWN	2	B

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CAMDEN CITY	7	A	CAPE MAY	AVALON	2	FG	UPPER DEERFIELD	4	B	DELSEA REGIONAL	8	DE	HOBOKEN	6	FG			
CAMDEN CO ESC	9	CAPE MAY CITY		1	CD	VINELAND	7	A	DEPTFORD	7	CD	HUDSON CO VOC	10	V				
CAMDEN CO VOC	10	V		CAPE MAY CO VOC	10	V	ESSEX	BELLEVILLE	7	CD	EAST GREENWICH	1	FG	JERSEY CITY	7	B		
CHERRY HILL	7	GH		CAPE MAY SP SVCS	9	BLOOMFIELD		7	DE	ELK TWP	1	B	KEARNY	7	B			
CLEMENTON	3	B		DENNIS TWP	3	CD		CALDWELL-W CALDWEL	6	I	FRANKLIN TWP	1	CD	NORTH BERGEN	7	B		
COLLINGSWOOD	6	FG		LOWER CAPE MAY REG	8	B		CEDAR GROVE	5	I	GATEWAY REG	8	CD	SECAUCUS	6	DE		
EASTERN CAM CO REG	8	GH		LOWER TWP	1	B		EAST ORANGE	7	A	GLASSBORO	6	B	THE LEARNING COMMUN	0			
GIBBSBORO	2	FG		MIDDLE TWP	6	B		ESSEX CO VOC	10	V	GLOUCESTER SP SVCS	9	GLOUCESTER VOC	10	V	UNION CITY	7	A
GLOUCESTER CITY	6	B		NORTH WILDWOOD	2	A		ESSEX ESC	9	GREENWICH TWP	3	DE	WEEHAWKEN	5	CD			
HADDON HEIGHTS	5	GH		OCEAN CITY	6	DE		ESSEX FELLS	1	J	HARRISON TWP	1	GH	WEST NEW YORK	7	A		
HADDON TWP	6	FG		STONE HARBOR	2	FG		FAIRFIELD	1	GH	KINGSWAY REG	8	FG	HUNTERDON				
HADDONFIELD	6	J		UPPER TWP	4	FG		GLEN RIDGE	6	I	LOGAN TWP	4	FG		ALEXANDRIA	3	GH	
INSTITUTE FOR EXCELLE	0	WEST CAPE MAY	1	DE	IRVINGTON	7		A	MANTUA	1	FG	BETHLEHEM	3		I			
LAUREL SPRINGS	1	DE	WILDWOOD CITY	5	A	LIVINGSTON		7	I	MONROE	7	CD	BLOOMSBURY		2	GH		
LAWNSIDE	2	B	WILDWOOD CREST	2	B	MARION P. THOMAS CHA	0	NATIONAL PARK	1	B	CALIFON	2	I					
LINDENWOLD	6	B	WOODBINE	2	A	MILLBURN	7	J	PAULSBORO	5	A	CLINTON TWP	4		I			
MAGNOLIA	3	CD	CUMBERLAND	BRIDGETON	7	A	MONTCLAIR	7	I	PITMAN	5	FG	CLINTON-GLEN GARDNE		3	I		
MERCHANTVILLE	2	DE		COMMERCIAL TWP	3	A	NEW HORIZONS COMMU	0	SOUTH HARRISON	1	FG	DELAWARE TWP	3		GH			
MOUNT EPHRAIM	3	CD		CUMBERLAND CO VOC	10	V	NEWARK	7	A	SWEDESBORO-WOOLWI	1	DE	DELAWARE VAL REG		8	GH		
OAKLYN	5	CD		CUMBERLAND REG	8	B	NORTH CALDWELL	1	J	WASHINGTON TWP	7	FG	EAST AMWELL		3	I		
PENNSAUKEN	7	CD		DEERFIELD TWP	2	B	NUTLEY	7	FG	WENONAH	1	I	FLEMINGTON RAR REG		4	I		
PINE HILL	6	B		DOWNE TWP	2	A	ORANGE	7	A	WEST DEPTFORD	6	DE	FRANKLIN TWP		2	I		
RUNNEMEDE	4	B		FAIRFIELD TWP	3	A	ROSELAND	1	I	WESTVILLE	1	B	FRENCHTOWN	2	FG			
SOMERDALE	3	CD		GREENWICH TWP	2	CD	SO ORANGE-MAPLEWOO	7	I	WOODBURY	5	B	HAMPTON	2	DE			
STERLING HS DIST	8	DE		HOPEWELL TWP	3	CD	VERONA	6	I	WOODBURY HEIGHTS	1	FG	HIGH BRIDGE	2	GH			
STRATFORD	4	DE		LAWRENCE TWP	3	A	WEST ESSEX REG	8	I	HUDSON	HOLLAND TWP	3	FG					
VOORHEES TWP	4	I		MAURICE RIVER TWP	2	B	WEST ORANGE	7	GH		HUNTERDON CNTRL REG	8	I					
WATERFORD TWP	1	DE		MILLVILLE	7	A	GLOUCESTER	CLAYTON	5		CD	HUNTERDON VOC'L	10	V				
WINSLOW TWP	7	CD	STOW CREEK	2	CD	CLEARVIEW REG		8	FG		KINGWOOD	3	FG					
WOODLYNNE	3	B						HARRISON	6		B	LEBANON BORO	1	I				
											LEBANON TWP	4	I					

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MILFORD	2	FG	MILLTOWN	3	FG	HIGHLANDS BOROUGH	1	CD	UNION BEACH	4	CD	MOUNT ARLINGTON	2	GH
NO HUNT-VOORHEES RE	8	I	MONROE	7	FG	HOLMDEL TWP	6	I	UPPER FREEHOLD REG	6	GH	MOUNT OLIVE	7	GH
READINGTON	4	I	NEW BRUNSWICK	7	A	HOWELL TWP	4	FG	WALL TWP	7	GH	MOUNTAIN LAKES	5	J
SO HUNTERDON REG	5	GH	NO BRUNSWICK	7	FG	KEANSBURG	5	A	WEST LONG BRANCH	3	FG	NETCONG	2	DE
TEWKSBURY TWP	3	J	OLD BRIDGE	7	FG	KEYPORT	5	CD	MORRIS					
UNION TWP	3	GH	PERTH AMBOY	7	A	LITTLE SILVER	4	J	BOONTON TOWN	5	FG	PEQUANNOCK TWP	6	GH
MERCER			PISCATAWAY TWP	7	GH	LONG BRANCH	7	B	BOONTON TWP	3	I	RANDOLPH TWP	7	I
EAST WINDSOR REG	7	GH	SAYREVILLE	7	DE	MANALAPAN-ENGL TOW	4	GH	BUTLER	5	DE	RIVERDALE	2	FG
EWING	7	DE	SOUTH AMBOY	5	CD	MANASQUAN	5	GH	CHATHAMS SCHOOL DIS	7	J	ROCKAWAY BORO	3	FG
HAMILTON TWP	7	FG	SOUTH BRUNSWICK	7	I	MARLBORO TWP	4	I	CHESTER TWP	4	J	ROCKAWAY TWP	4	I
HOPEWELL VAL REG	7	I	SOUTH PLAINFIELD	7	FG	MATAWAN-ABERD REG	7	FG	DENVILLE	4	I	ROXBURY	7	GH
LAWRENCE TWP	7	GH	SOUTH RIVER	6	CD	MIDDLETOWN TWP	7	GH	DOVER	6	A	WASHINGTON TWP	4	I
MERCER CO SP SVCS	9		SPOTSWOOD	6	DE	MILLSTONE	4	GH	EAST HANOVER	4	GH	WEST MORRIS REG	8	I
MERCER CO VOC	10	V	WOODBIDGE TWP	7	DE	MONMOUTH BEACH	2	I	FLORHAM PARK	4	I	WHARTON BORO	4	DE
PRINCETON	7	I	MONMOUTH			MONMOUTH CO VOC	10	V	HANOVER PARK REG	8	GH	OCEAN		
ROBBINSVILLE TWP	6	I	ASBURY PARK	6	A	MONMOUTH REG	8	GH	HANOVER TWP	4	I	BARNEGAT	6	CD
TRENTON	7	A	ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS	1	GH	MONMOUTH-OCEAN ESC	9		HARDING TWP	2	J	BAY HEAD	2	I
WEST WINDSOR-PLNSB	7	J	AVON BY THE SEA	2	I	NEPTUNE CITY	2	CD	JEFFERSON TWP	7	GH	BEACH HAVEN	1	FG
MIDDLESEX			BELMAR	3	DE	NEPTUNE TWP	7	CD	KINNELON	6	I	BERKELEY TWP	1	B
CARTERET	7	B	BRADLEY BEACH	2	CD	OCEAN TWP	7	FG	LINCOLN PARK	4	FG	BRICK TWP	7	DE
CRANBURY	3	J	BRIELLE	3	GH	OCEANPORT	3	GH	LONG HILL TWP	4	I	CENTRAL REG	8	B
DUNELLEN	5	FG	COLTS NECK TWP	4	I	RED BANK	4	CD	MADISON	6	I	EAGLESWOOD	1	B
EAST BRUNSWICK TWP	7	I	DEAL	2	GH	RED BANK REG	8	FG	MENDHAM BORO	3	J	ISLAND HEIGHTS	1	GH
EDISON	7	GH	EATONTOWN	4	FG	ROOSEVELT BORO	1	GH	MENDHAM TWP	4	J	JACKSON TWP	7	DE
GREATER BRUNSWICK C	0		FAIR HAVEN	4	I	RUMSON	4	J	MINE HILL TWP	1	FG	LACEY TWP	7	DE
HIGHLAND PARK	5	GH	FARMINGDALE	2	DE	RUMSON-FAIRHAVEN RG	8	J	MONTVILLE	7	I	LAKEHURST	3	B
JAMESBURG	3	DE	FREEHOLD BORO	4	B	SEA GIRT	2	I	MORRIS CO ESC	9		LAKEWOOD	7	B
METUCHEN	6	I	FREEHOLD REG	8	GH	SHORE REG	8	GH	MORRIS CO VOC	10	V	LAVALLETTTE	2	DE
MIDDLESEX BORO	6	FG	FREEHOLD TWP	4	GH	SHREWSBURY BORO	3	I	MORRIS HILLS REG	8	GH	LITTLE EGG HARBOR	1	B
MIDDLESEX CO VOC	10	V	HAZLET TWP	6	DE	SPRING LAKE BORO	2	I	MORRIS PLAINS	3	I	LONG BEACH ISLAND	1	FG
MIDDLESEX ESC	9		HENRY HUDSON REG	8	DE	SPRING LAKE HTS	2	FG	MORRIS SCHOOL DIST	7	GH	MANCHESTER TWP	6	B
						TINTON FALLS	4	GH						

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OCEAN CO VOC	10	V	WAYNE TWP	7	GH	SOMERSET CO VOC	10	V	SUSSEX-WANTAGE REG	4	DE	FRANKLIN TWP	1	DE
OCEAN GATE	1	B	WEST MILFORD	7	FG	SOMERSET ESC	9		VERNON TWP	7	FG	FRELINGHUYSEN	1	GH
OCEAN TWP	1	CD	WOODLAND PARK	4	DE	SOMERSET HILLS	6	I	WALLKILL VALLEY REG	8	DE	GREAT MEADOWS	4	GH
PINELANDS REG	8	B	SALEM			SOMERVILLE	6	FG	UNION			GREENWICH TWP	4	I
PLUMSTED	5	DE	ALLOWAY	3	DE	WARREN TWP	4	I	BERKELEY HEIGHTS	6	I	HACKETTSTOWN	6	DE
POINT PLEASANT	6	FG	ELSINBORO	2	DE	WATCHUNG	3	I	CLARK TWP	6	FG	HARMONY	2	DE
POINT PLEASANT BCH	5	FG	LOWER ALLOWAYS CR	2	CD	WATCHUNG HILLS RG	8	I	CRANFORD	7	I	HOPE	2	FG
SEASIDE HEIGHTS	1	A	MANNINGTON	2	CD	SUSSEX			ELIZABETH	7	A	KNOWLTON	1	FG
SOUTHERN REG	8	DE	OLDMANS TWP	2	CD	ANDOVER REG	3	FG	GARWOOD	2	DE	LOPATCONG	4	DE
STAFFORD TWP	1	DE	PENNS GROVE-CRNY PT	6	A	BYRAM	4	I	HILLSIDE	6	CD	MANSFIELD	1	FG
TOMS RIVER SCHOOLS	7	DE	PENNSVILLE	6	CD	FRANKFORD	3	FG	KENILWORTH	5	DE	NORTH WARREN REG	8	FG
TUCKERTON	1	CD	PITTSGROVE	6	CD	FRANKLIN	3	CD	LINDEN	7	B	OXFORD	2	DE
PASSAIC			QUINTON	2	A	FREDON TWP	1	GH	MOUNTAINSIDE	4	I	PHILLIPSBURG	7	B
BLOOMINGDALE	3	FG	SALEM CITY	5	A	GREEN TWP	3	I	NEW PROVIDENCE	6	I	POHATCONG	2	DE
CLIFTON	7	CD	SALEM CO SP SVCS	9		HAMBURG	2	DE	PLAINFIELD	7	B	WARREN CO SP SVCS	9	
HALEDON	4	B	SALEM CO VOC	10	V	HAMPTON	1	GH	RAHWAY	7	CD	WARREN CO VOC	10	V
HAWTHORNE	6	DE	UPPER PITTSGROVE	2	CD	HARDYSTON TWP	3	FG	ROSELLE	6	B	WARREN HILLS REG	8	FG
LAKELAND REG	8	FG	WOODSTWN-PILES GROV	5	FG	HIGH POINT REG	8	DE	ROSELLE PARK	6	DE	WASHINGTON BORO	1	DE
LITTLE FALLS	4	FG	SOMERSET			HOPATCONG	6	FG	SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWD	7	I	WASHINGTON TWP	1	GH
NORTH HALEDON	3	FG	BEDMINSTER	3	I	KITTATINNY REG	8	FG	SPRINGFIELD	6	GH	WHITE TWP	2	DE
PASSAIC CITY	7	A	BERNARDS	7	J	LAFAYETTE	2	GH	SUMMIT	7	I			
PASSAIC CO ESC	9		BOUND BROOK	5	B	LENAPE VALLEY REG	8	GH	UNION CO VOC	10	V			
PASSAIC CO MANCHSTR	8	B	BRANCHBURG	4	I	MONTAGUE	2	B	UNION ESC	9				
PASSAIC CO VOC	10	V	BRIDGEWATER-RAR REG	7	I	NEWTON	5	CD	UNION TWP	7	DE			
PASSAIC VALLEY REG #1	8	DE	FRANKLIN TWP	7	GH	OGDENSBURG	2	FG	WESTFIELD	7	I			
PATERSON	7	A	GREEN BROOK	4	GH	SANDYSTON-WALPACK	1	FG	WINFIELD	2	B			
POMPTON LAKES	5	FG	HILLSBOROUGH	7	I	SPARTA	7	I	WARREN					
PROSPECT PARK	4	B	MANVILLE	5	CD	STANHOPE	2	GH	ALLAMUCHY	3	I			
RINGWOOD	4	GH	MONTGOMERY	7	J	STILLWATER TWP	1	FG	ALPHA	2	B			
TOTOWA	4	CD	NORTH PLAINFIELD	6	DE	SUSSEX COUNTY ESC	9		BELVIDERE	5	DE			
WANAQUE	4	DE	SO BOUND BROOK	3	B	SUSSEX VOC	10	V	BLAIRSTOWN	1	FG			

***District Factor Group (DFG):** Developed by the NJ Department of Education, DFG's are the measure of socioeconomic backgrounds of New Jersey school districts. They were derived using the following seven social and economic variables, which were based upon the 2000 census data:

- ~ *percentage of the district population without a high school diploma*
- ~ *occupational background of the district*
- ~ *percent poverty level*
- ~ *population density*
- ~ *percentage of the district population with some college*
- ~ *per capita income of the district*
- ~ *unemployment rate*

Districts are ranked according to their scores and fall into one of the following categories: A, B, CD, DE, FG, GH, I and J. ("A" are generally lower income, urban districts; "J" are generally higher income, suburban districts; "V" is the designation for vocational districts). Aside from making comparisons against districts with the same DFG as yours, it can also be helpful to include those one level above and one level below. For example, if your district has a DFG of "DE", you may also want to include "CD" and "FG" districts as well.

For more information, please visit: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/finance/rda/dfg.shtml>

***EG = Enrollment Groupings:**

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| <i>1 - K-6 districts</i> | <i>6 - K-12 with enrollment 1801-3500</i> |
| <i>2 - K-8 with enrollment 0-400</i> | <i>7 - K-12 with enrollment 3501+</i> |
| <i>3 - K-8 with enrollment 401-750</i> | <i>8 - 7-12 or 9-12 districts</i> |
| <i>4 - K-8 with enrollment 751+</i> | <i>9 - Special Services districts</i> |
| <i>5 - K-12 with enrollment 0-1800</i> | <i>10 - Vocational districts</i> |