

# Deptford, New Jersey

## City Guide

*“First Flight in America”*

Deptford Township is located in northern Gloucester County, New Jersey. The Township was founded in 1693, and the municipality contains 17.5 square miles and over 500 local municipal roads. As the county's third most populated municipality, Deptford's population is approximately 31,000 residents, which includes a high school, middle school, seven (7) elementary schools and Rowan College. Centrally located in South Jersey, Deptford offers state-of-the-art youth recreation facilities and numerous parks. Deptford has a thriving business community, including the best restaurants and shopping centers in the area. The Deptford Mall is the seventh-largest shopping mall in New Jersey and the largest in the South Jersey region of the state. The township's trademark hot-air balloon logo used today is no accident. In 1793, Jean Pierre Blanchard left Philadelphia before landing in Deptford in America's first aerial flight.

For more information, visit <http://www.deptford-nj.org/>.



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