

Students in grades 4 and 5 who spend some time reading (not for school) on most days

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2019-2020	Academic Year 2016-2017
Province				
New Brunswick	78.3	80.1	n/a	79.2
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	79.3	81.7	n/a	79.3
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	79.1	80.8	n/a	80.8
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	79.2	82.4	n/a	82.2
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	76.2	74.2	n/a	78.1
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	71.8	70.3	n/a	68.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	73.4	73.4	n/a	75.2
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	76.5	78.7	n/a	71.0
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	78.8	78.2	n/a	77.4
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	72.2	71.7	72.2	65.7
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	75.8	71.7	n/a	74.9
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	68.3	71.6	n/a	80.8
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	67.0	68.5	n/a	64.6
Dieppe and Memramcook	80.1	82.2	n/a	84.8
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	74.3	71.8	74.8	76.6
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	81.8	76.9	78.1	79.3
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	73.1	75.2	85.3	82.1
Fredericton	82.6	85.2	n/a	84.9
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	75.1	81.4	n/a	89.0

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	73.6	75.4	83.8	81.7
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	68.4	77.5	n/a	72.2
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	61.5	64.6	n/a	66.6
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	74.5	74.4	71.8	84.2
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	77.2	79.5	n/a	70.0
Moncton	80.6	83.5	n/a	79.8
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	77.1	80.6	n/a	72.9
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	67.7	67.8	68.7	81.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	82.3	88.6	74.6	80.7
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	76.4	82.4	n/a	79.8
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	75.2	82.3	n/a	79.2
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	83.5	84.3	n/a	84.4
Riverview and Coverdale	77.1	81.6	87.2	83.7
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	82.7	86.2	85.5	80.3
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	77.7	79.7	n/a	76.9
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	82.7	81.3	n/a	72.6
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	79.4	78.8	n/a	76.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	64.8	69.2	70.3	67.8
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	75.4	81.2	n/a	79.1
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	77.0	75.9	65.1	80.3
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	77.7	79.2	76.9	83.2
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	72.8	70.6	71.8	71.9
School districts				
Anglophone East School District	79.0	82.5	n/a	79.5

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Anglophone North School District	77.0	78.7	n/a	73.9
Anglophone South School District	79.2	81.1	n/a	80.7
Anglophone West School District	78.8	82.0	n/a	82.3
Anglophone sector	78.8	81.5	n/a	80.3
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	72.2	70.8	n/a	73.7
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	75.4	74.6	n/a	77.8
District scolaire francophone Sud	79.8	80.7	n/a	78.4
Francophone sector	77.0	76.9	n/a	76.9
Grades				
Grade 4	77.2	80.4	n/a	n/a
Grade 5	79.4	79.9	n/a	n/a
Gender				
Female	83.1	84.6	n/a	85.2
Male	73.6	75.8	n/a	73.6
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	74.1	77.4	n/a	n/a
Immigrant				
Immigrants	81.4	86.2	n/a	n/a

About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 4 and 5 who spend some time reading (not for school) on most days.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey, Grades 4-5

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "less than 30 min, 30 min, 1 hour, 1 hour and 30 min, 2 hours or 3 hours or more" by the number of respondents who answered "none, less than 30 min, 30 min, 1 hour, 1 hour and 30 min, 2 hours or 3 hours or more" to the question: On most days, how much time do you spend. e) Reading (not for school)

Notes

The 2019-2020 edition of this survey was conducted during the COVID-19 pandemic. Since the number of schools that participated in 2019-2020 is much lower than other editions of the survey, results at the provincial level were deemed not representative of the total student population. Therefore, survey results for New Brunswick, health zones and demographic groups are not available for the 2019-2020 edition. However, 2019-2020 results are available for communities in which the number of participating schools was deemed sufficient to be representative of the student population in that community.

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Higher is better	SE_DAA05_6

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

S = Data suppressed due to confidentiality requirements and/or small sample size