

Students in grades 7 to 12 who reported having had 5 or more drinks of alcohol at one time, at least once a month, in the last 12 months

Unit : %

Province	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2021-2022
	8.7	12.0	12.3	11.6
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	6.9	10.6	11.2	10.0
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	7.9	11.6	10.9	10.7
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	8.4	11.2	11.1	10.0
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	12.9	14.3	14.4	13.2
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	10.9	15.3	17.5	15.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	12.3	15.3	16.0	17.0
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	13.3	15.4	18.0	17.9
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	10.3	11.7	14.0	14.3
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	12.5	17.7	19.5	17.6
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	11.3	15.6	16.3	16.7
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	9.3	14.4	15.5	17.0
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	10.3	14.8	19.3	14.3
Dieppe and Memramcook	9.2	11.5	12.0	9.3
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	17.6	18.9	18.3	17.2
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	11.6	14.3	11.4	10.0
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	12.0	11.4	12.7	11.8
Fredericton	5.5	9.5	8.9	8.1
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	10.6	11.8	15.2	14.1

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	13.9	18.8	22.2	20.4
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	24.5	20.7	25.5	25.6
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	13.0	15.6	13.2	11.2
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	13.3	15.6	18.2	17.6
Moncton	3.5	7.5	7.3	7.0
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	11.3	17.0	16.6	17.8
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	13.8	13.9	16.2	20.4
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	7.6	7.1	12.7	11.6
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	7.6	10.2	10.4	8.1
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	18.0	25.0	17.9	18.1
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	9.8	13.1	10.8	11.6
Riverview and Coverdale	8.1	9.8	10.6	10.2
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	11.8	12.2	11.8	13.2
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	6.4	10.8	10.5	10.4
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	13.1	18.4	18.1	15.2
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	8.6	12.3	15.6	9.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	14.6	21.8	19.5	21.8
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	9.3	14.5	15.8	15.4
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	8.4	10.4	11.5	9.5
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	8.0	12.7	11.2	10.1
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	16.8	18.8	18.1	19.7

School districts

Anglophone East School District	5.8	9.9	10.3	9.6
Anglophone North School District	12.9	16.3	17.8	17.9

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Anglophone South School District	8.1	11.9	11.1	11.0
Anglophone West School District	8.5	11.7	11.3	10.4
Anglophone sector	8.2	11.9	11.7	11.3
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	12.3	15.4	16.5	17.0
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	13.6	15.0	15.0	13.4
District scolaire francophone Sud	7.5	9.7	11.4	9.0
Francophone sector	10.1	12.3	13.6	12.2
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	2.0	2.9	2.7	2.1
Grades 9 to 12	11.9	16.2	16.6	16.0
Gender				
Female	8.2	12.0	12.2	12.4
Male	9.2	12.2	12.5	11.3
Non-binary	10.9	11.7	9.1	6.5
Sex at birth				
Female	8.0	11.7	11.5	11.6
Male	9.2	12.1	12.8	11.4
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	7.3	10.2	9.9	8.4
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	13.8	19.3	20.3	17.2
Immigrant				
Immigrants	4.2	6.9	7.9	7.0

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Disability or special need

Disability or special need	9.3	11.6	n/a	n/a
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Racialized groups

Racialized groups	5.1	8.1	n/a	n/a
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About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 7 to 12 who reported having had 5 or more drinks of alcohol at one time, at least once a month, in the last 12 months.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "once a month, 2 to 3 times a month, once a week, 2 to 5 times a week or daily or almost daily" by the number of respondents who answered "I have never had 5 drinks or more on one occasion, I have done this, but not in the last 12 months, less than once a month, once a month, 2 to 3 times a month, once a week, 2 to 5 times a week or daily or almost daily" to the question: In the last 12 months, how often did you have 5 drinks of alcohol or more on one occasion?

Notes

Users are advised to exercise caution if comparing data from the community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area to other New Brunswick communities. The data for the community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area is based on students in grades 6 to 8, while data from the other communities are based on students in grades 6 to 12. Survey results are assigned to communities based on the location of the school. The community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area does not have any schools with grades 9 to 12.

Unit	Interpretation	NBHC code
%	Lower is better	SH_ALC04_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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