

Students in grades 7 to 12 who reported having used any type of drugs to get high in the last 12 months (excluding tobacco, alcohol and cannabis)

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2018-2019
Province			
New Brunswick	30.0	29.4	24.6
Health zones			
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	28.9	28.7	23.1
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	30.2	28.9	26.9
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	30.9	29.1	24.6
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	31.6	33.7	21.9
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	28.8	28.8	23.0
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	29.9	32.7	27.1
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	30.1	26.9	21.7
Communities			
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	30.4	29.3	26.2
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	28.2	26.5	26.3
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	28.0	27.9	26.1
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	29.5	36.1	26.0
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	29.8	30.3	18.2
Dieppe and Memramcook	25.0	28.1	20.5
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	37.3	31.7	23.7
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	32.1	35.8	21.6
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	28.2	28.7	22.8
Fredericton	30.3	29.1	23.6
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	30.0	27.7	21.0

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	31.2	34.6	21.6
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	33.4	40.5	24.0
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	30.0	30.5	24.7
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	29.9	27.1	22.3
Moncton	30.0	28.3	22.5
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	32.4	28.7	26.5
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	32.4	25.8	16.5
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	35.9	30.2	28.5
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	32.1	29.5	28.5
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	35.4	27.1	26.5
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	29.9	28.4	25.0
Riverview and Coverdale	28.1	28.7	25.3
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	33.1	34.4	19.4
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	30.0	29.1	28.6
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	33.1	34.8	26.8
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	24.5	26.6	22.2
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	27.4	32.2	25.7
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	32.1	31.1	28.5
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	32.5	23.7	24.8
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	29.0	32.3	29.0
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	30.8	37.4	30.6

School districts

Anglophone East School District	31.5	30.1	24.2
Anglophone North School District	32.0	29.1	26.6

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Anglophone South School District	30.5	29.0	27.2
Anglophone West School District	31.0	29.3	24.9
Anglophone sector	31.1	29.4	25.7
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	29.2	32.2	24.8
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	31.9	34.3	21.9
District scolaire francophone Sud	23.6	25.9	19.7
Francophone sector	26.9	29.4	21.8
Grades			
Grades 6 to 8	32.1	29.8	18.8
Grades 9 to 12	28.9	29.2	27.2
Gender			
Female	31.1	29.8	n/a
Male	28.4	28.3	n/a
Non-binary	36.4	34.2	n/a
Sex at birth			
Female	31.1	30.0	24.4
Male	28.4	28.5	24.8
2SLGBTQIA+ status			
2SLGBTQIA+	32.2	31.2	n/a
Indigenous identity			
Indigenous	35.5	35.6	34.1
Immigrant			
Immigrants	30.2	28.7	22.4

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Disability or special need			
Disability or special need	35.8	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups			
Racialized groups	32.6	n/a	n/a

About

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Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "1 time, 2 times or 3 or more times" by the number of respondents who answered "never, 1 time, 2 times or 3 or more times". This indicator is based on respondents who answered at least 1 of the following 12 questions on drug use: Have you ever taken any of the following drugs in the last 12 months to get high? a) LSD and other hallucinogens (e.g., PCP, magic mushrooms, mescaline, peyote, Salvia), b) Pain Relievers (e.g., Fentanyl, Percodan, Percs, Demerol, Oxycontin, Oxycodone, Oxy, Oxyneo, OC, APO, Codeine, Morphine), c) Amphetamines (speed), d) Ecstasy, MDMA (E, Xtc, Adam, X), e) Cocaine (coke, crack, snow, rock), f) Cough and cold medicines, g) Stimulants (e.g., Ritalin, Concerta, Adderall), h) Sedatives / tranquillizers (e.g., Valium, Ativan, Xanax, GHB), i) Methamphetamines / Crystal methamphetamine (ice) and l) Other?

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_DROAL_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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