

Students in grades 7 to 12 who reported having used cannabis in the last 12 months

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2021-2022
Province				
New Brunswick	11.3	14.3	15.4	15.9
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	9.5	12.1	13.1	13.6
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	12.8	15.8	16.6	17.5
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	13.2	16.3	17.3	17.3
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	8.6	10.3	13.3	13.1
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	11.9	17.1	18.7	18.4
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	8.2	11.6	12.8	13.2
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	14.6	17.7	20.2	21.6
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	11.0	13.4	15.1	14.1
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	15.5	18.2	17.2	20.3
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	12.9	16.8	19.3	17.3
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	4.7	9.4	10.3	13.5
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	10.5	17.7	17.8	20.2
Dieppe and Memramcook	5.3	7.1	7.7	6.2
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	24.1	19.2	24.7	20.9
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	7.5	9.1	12.8	12.8
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	12.1	14.9	17.5	18.2
Fredericton	10.2	14.6	16.1	14.5
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	10.1	12.2	13.5	12.5

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	18.0	25.9	27.3	24.5
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	9.5	10.1	14.7	16.2
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	18.8	23.8	23.1	23.4
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	15.0	18.5	21.1	22.3
Moncton	6.9	11.1	11.9	12.1
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	19.3	25.1	19.6	24.8
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	10.0	10.9	11.9	15.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	10.9	8.3	13.8	17.7
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	14.7	17.8	16.7	18.7
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	26.4	25.7	20.7	25.7
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	13.8	16.5	15.1	17.8
Riverview and Coverdale	10.3	10.3	15.5	15.6
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	20.9	18.3	17.3	20.2
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	12.0	16.5	17.7	18.1
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	17.2	18.6	20.2	20.5
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	8.8	9.4	11.6	11.7
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	6.6	13.9	11.3	16.6
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	16.0	15.1	17.1	19.0
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	13.1	12.2	16.1	16.0
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	10.5	16.0	17.0	17.5
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	6.2	8.1	10.8	9.4
School districts				
Anglophone East School District	10.2	13.4	15.2	15.4
Anglophone North School District	17.2	21.0	23.7	24.4

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Anglophone South School District	13.0	16.0	16.8	17.9
Anglophone West School District	13.2	16.9	17.3	17.7
Anglophone sector	12.9	16.2	17.4	18.0
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	7.0	10.6	11.1	12.3
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	8.6	10.0	13.4	13.0
District scolaire francophone Sud	6.5	8.4	8.9	9.1
Francophone sector	7.0	9.4	10.4	10.8
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	2.9	3.6	3.8	3.6
Grades 9 to 12	15.5	19.3	20.9	22.1
Gender				
Female	10.8	15.0	16.1	17.1
Male	11.3	13.4	14.2	14.2
Non-binary	21.1	20.8	18.8	18.7
Sex at birth				
Female	11.1	15.1	16.2	17.2
Male	11.2	13.2	14.4	14.4
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	16.8	21.1	19.8	20.6
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	22.0	28.0	29.7	29.5
Immigrant				
Immigrants	5.1	6.5	8.1	8.2

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Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	16.4	19.3	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	7.3	9.6	n/a	n/a

About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 7 to 12 who reported having used cannabis in the last 12 months. This indicator includes marijuana, any other products made from the cannabis plant such as dry cannabis and cannabis that is mixed or processed into another product.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "less than once a month, once a month, 2 or 3 times a month, once a week, 2 or 3 times a week, 4 to 6 times a week or every day" by the number of respondents who answered "I have never used cannabis, I have used cannabis, but not in the last 12 months, less than once a month, once a month, 2 or 3 times a month once a week, 2 or 3 times a week, 4 to 6 times a week or every day" to the question: In the last 12 months, how often did you use cannabis?

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

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Interpretation

Lower is better

NBHC code

SH_MAR02_2

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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