

Students in grades 6 to 12 who are susceptible to smoking cigarettes [among those who have never tried it]

Unit : %

Province	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2021-2022	Academic Year 2018-2019	Academic Year 2015-2016
	31.0	33.3	28.0	21.9
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	28.9	32.2	26.3	20.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	33.6	35.5	29.4	23.2
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	33.4	34.5	29.3	24.8
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	28.2	29.5	23.7	18.2
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	30.0	34.6	33.6	21.9
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	26.3	29.0	26.0	17.9
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	32.3	33.8	29.5	24.8
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	26.9	29.7	27.5	17.2
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	25.8	27.2	24.5	20.1
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	27.2	34.2	33.1	18.8
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	23.7	29.8	24.2	16.5
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	34.3	35.3	34.3	25.4
Dieppe and Memramcook	26.2	30.2	23.7	16.2
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	42.9	36.7	27.0	31.5
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	26.7	27.4	23.3	16.3
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	32.2	33.0	28.5	22.0
Fredericton	30.7	33.0	27.7	22.4
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	32.1	30.2	23.2	19.4

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	36.3	47.4	38.4	24.9
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	23.5	40.4	26.9	24.3
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	40.9	36.5	35.4	27.6
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	33.5	35.0	30.4	24.1
Moncton	27.6	33.0	25.2	20.1
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	32.3	37.5	31.8	26.0
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	22.3	23.5	23.0	30.3
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	33.1	35.1	24.9	30.7
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	39.8	37.8	32.3	27.6
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	40.5	41.7	34.5	32.1
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	34.6	34.3	30.2	23.9
Riverview and Coverdale	35.8	35.3	27.0	22.2
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	37.4	36.7	34.2	24.1
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	32.8	36.2	28.7	22.8
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	36.1	33.4	33.6	28.4
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	27.2	27.6	26.5	16.0
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	26.5	29.9	24.7	19.9
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	35.7	39.0	32.5	23.4
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	33.7	33.2	31.4	24.6
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	34.5	34.5	28.7	24.3
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	26.5	26.4	24.7	18.4

School districts

Anglophone East School District	32.1	34.8	27.9	22.2
Anglophone North School District	35.1	36.4	32.5	24.1

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Anglophone South School District	33.8	35.5	29.5	23.4
Anglophone West School District	34.4	35.2	29.2	24.5
Anglophone sector	33.7	35.3	29.4	23.5
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	24.0	28.4	26.1	18.4
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	26.3	28.4	23.2	17.6
District scolaire francophone Sud	24.6	28.5	24.5	18.4
Francophone sector	24.7	28.4	24.8	18.2
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	29.9	32.4	25.7	19.9
Grades 9 to 12	32.1	34.0	30.0	23.8
Gender				
Female	30.5	31.7	n/a	n/a
Male	30.5	32.4	n/a	n/a
Non-binary	44.8	49.3	n/a	n/a
Sex at birth				
Female	31.4	33.7	26.8	n/a
Male	30.6	32.6	29.2	n/a
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	42.0	42.2	n/a	n/a
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	38.6	39.5	32.8	28.1
Immigrant				
Immigrants	26.9	32.0	28.5	n/a

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Disability or special need

Disability or special need	34.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
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Racialized groups

Racialized groups	26.7	n/a	n/a	n/a
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About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who are susceptible to smoking cigarettes [among those who have never tried it].

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is based on respondents who have never tried smoking. This indicator combines the responses to the following 3 questions: 'Do you think in the future you might try smoking cigarettes?', 'If one of your best friends was to offer you a cigarette would you smoke it?' and 'At any time during the next year do you think you will smoke a cigarette?'. The response options to these 3 questions are: 'definitely not, probably not, probably yes and definitely yes'. This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered 'probably not, probably yes and definitely yes' to at least 1 of the 3 questions by the number of respondents who answered all 3 questions.

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_SMOSU_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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