

Students in grades 7 to 12 who report having had a drink of alcohol in the last 12 months that was more than a sip

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2021-2022	Academic Year 2018-2019
Province				
New Brunswick	33.0	33.0	35.2	40.1
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	29.9	30.2	33.0	39.4
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	31.8	30.9	32.5	38.6
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	31.3	30.2	30.9	35.7
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	42.7	44.0	47.3	48.6
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	40.0	41.3	44.6	49.4
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	42.8	43.1	46.9	46.9
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	34.9	38.8	41.2	45.5
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	37.7	40.3	41.3	44.7
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	40.2	42.4	41.8	47.6
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	39.7	40.1	44.1	50.9
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	45.4	42.5	49.4	46.7
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	40.6	43.1	45.4	47.1
Dieppe and Memramcook	33.5	33.8	36.1	34.8
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	38.1	32.8	38.6	34.9
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	42.3	42.6	46.2	46.0
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	33.8	30.7	36.7	38.1
Fredericton	28.6	28.6	28.2	33.0
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	n/a	10.2	7.2

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	38.8	40.6	42.9	43.4
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	45.5	45.1	45.1	50.7
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	54.9	59.1	64.7	65.3
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	39.5	35.7	33.9	29.4
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	35.0	39.4	41.3	46.3
Moncton	24.6	24.0	27.2	34.8
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	41.6	36.1	40.0	44.1
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	34.0	33.9	40.1	38.0
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	22.6	24.9	31.7	45.2
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	30.0	28.4	27.6	38.1
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	44.3	40.5	37.3	44.9
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	34.5	31.5	34.3	35.1
Riverview and Coverdale	28.1	30.0	33.0	42.7
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	32.6	31.1	37.8	42.6
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	30.2	30.1	32.1	41.4
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	39.9	37.7	39.5	46.2
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	33.2	35.8	36.8	46.4
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	48.5	46.9	56.3	56.0
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	33.9	31.9	34.8	41.7
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	29.2	33.6	29.8	35.1
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	35.8	33.4	35.6	43.8
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	47.0	46.3	51.1	46.5
School districts				
Anglophone East School District	28.7	28.0	31.4	38.8

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Anglophone North School District	36.7	39.9	41.6	47.8
Anglophone South School District	32.3	31.1	32.7	38.9
Anglophone West School District	31.9	30.6	31.4	36.6
Anglophone sector	31.8	31.2	33.0	39.2
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	43.2	42.8	47.2	47.4
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	44.9	45.8	48.5	49.8
District scolaire francophone Sud	29.2	31.5	33.5	36.6
Francophone sector	36.1	37.6	40.5	42.6
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	10.3	9.5	10.8	10.1
Grades 9 to 12	43.9	44.3	47.5	54.1
Gender				
Female	37.1	36.1	39.7	n/a
Male	29.6	30.5	31.8	n/a
Non-binary	33.4	30.9	31.0	n/a
Sex at birth				
Female	36.3	35.1	38.4	41.7
Male	29.4	30.7	31.8	38.6
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	36.9	32.9	35.1	n/a
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	40.3	40.7	39.8	43.2
Immigrant				

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Immigrants	21.2	22.2	24.4	31.7
Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	30.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	21.1	n/a	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 "less than once a month, once a month, 2-3 times a month, once a week, 2-3 times a week, 4-6 times a week or every day" by the number of respondents who answered "I have never had alcohol, I have done this, but not in the last 12 months, less than once a month, once a month, 2-3 times a month, once a week, 2-3 times a week, 4-6 times a week or every day" to the question: In the last 12 months, how often did you drink alcohol (more than a sip)?

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_ALC03_2

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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