

Students in grades 6 to 12 who reported having been bullied by use of verbal attacks at school in the last 2 months

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2025-2026	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023
Province				
New Brunswick	29.2	29.4	30.1	29.3
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	27.0	27.4	28.0	27.9
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	30.6	30.7	32.3	30.1
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	30.3	31.7	30.9	30.5
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	S	30.2	32.1	30.7
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	30.7	26.4	30.2	30.9
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	26.6	27.2	27.6	27.4
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	32.1	30.6	29.9	28.0
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	26.7	28.9	30.0	29.3
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	25.8	28.3	28.1	30.8
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	29.9	25.0	29.8	30.2
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	23.4	21.0	22.4	24.0
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	31.9	28.5	30.7	31.9
Dieppe and Memramcook	19.9	20.5	20.2	19.3
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	40.8	38.2	39.9	37.8
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	S	29.3	31.4	29.7
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	32.6	31.2	29.2	27.2
Fredericton	27.1	29.5	28.8	29.1
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	29.2	32.5	36.1	33.3
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	38.5	42.1	35.9	43.8
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S	27.8	24.4	27.7
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	36.7	38.9	37.5	31.8
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	31.6	30.1	29.0	27.6
Moncton	26.7	26.3	27.8	27.6
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	34.1	29.6	30.4	35.4
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	37.1	35.5	37.5	30.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	36.3	37.8	39.4	36.0
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	32.9	33.6	33.0	30.4
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	34.2	36.4	36.3	42.9
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	29.5	30.4	31.5	27.3
Riverview and Coverdale	32.2	30.3	30.7	30.6
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	34.1	35.1	35.5	32.7
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	29.0	29.8	31.4	31.1
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	37.5	37.3	37.9	36.2
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	22.6	26.6	26.2	26.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	24.9	26.0	25.9	25.2
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	37.9	33.6	37.2	34.1
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	35.7	31.1	31.6	30.5
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	32.7	33.3	35.6	29.2
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	29.5	28.8	27.4	27.6
School districts				
Anglophone East School District	31.4	30.1	31.9	31.2

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Anglophone North School District	32.2	32.3	32.0	29.7
Anglophone South School District	30.9	31.0	32.5	30.4
Anglophone West School District	31.8	31.9	31.7	30.9
Anglophone sector	31.5	31.2	32.0	30.7
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	26.7	26.3	27.4	28.1
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	S	29.6	31.5	29.9
District scolaire francophone Sud	19.9	22.2	21.6	22.6
Francophone sector	23.3	24.8	25.1	25.6
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	35.4	35.2	36.1	35.9
Grades 9 to 12	24.7	25.1	25.7	24.5
Gender				
Female	29.9	30.3	32.2	30.7
Male	27.0	27.1	26.3	25.6
Non-binary	53.2	51.8	54.8	47.8
Sex at birth				
Female	30.7	31.4	33.5	32.4
Male	27.3	27.1	26.2	25.8
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	42.3	43.3	44.3	40.9
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	38.3	37.4	38.5	38.3
Immigrant				

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Immigrants	25.2	25.0	24.3	21.6
Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	42.6	42.5	44.2	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	27.0	27.7	26.9	n/a
Socioeconomic status				
High socioeconomic status	26.0	n/a	n/a	n/a
Low socioeconomic status	34.6	n/a	n/a	n/a

About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who reported having been bullied by use of verbal attacks at school in the last 2 months.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey, Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "yes" by the number of respondents who answered "yes or no" to the question: In the last two months, have you been bullied at school in the ways listed below: b) Verbal attacks (for example, being called mean names, made fun of or teased in a hurtful way, threatened, or having lies told or rumours spread about you).

Notes

Due to a low school participation rate in some areas of the province for the 2025-2026 edition of this survey, survey results are not available for District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest (school district), Madawaska and North-West Area (health zone), Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer (community), and Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area (community). 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_BUV02_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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