

Students in grades 6 to 12 who reported eating a meal while using an electronic device 7 times or more in the last 7 days

Unit : %

Province	Academic Year	Academic Year
	2023-2024	2021-2022
Province		
New Brunswick	20.3	19.5
Health zones		
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	19.0	18.9
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	22.6	20.3
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	21.2	20.1
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	14.3	14.9
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	21.1	24.1
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	17.3	18.1
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	23.6	22.1
Communities		
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	17.5	19.0
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	21.9	20.6
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	20.2	23.4
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	16.1	16.1
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	22.3	25.0
Dieppe and Memramcook	11.8	13.5
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	21.9	28.0
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	14.1	13.9
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	21.1	18.2
Fredericton	19.0	18.5
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	14.7	15.8

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	26.4	23.2
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	14.4	17.3
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	31.1	26.3
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	23.9	22.4
Moncton	20.5	20.2
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	26.9	23.5
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	21.4	19.7
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	15.1	15.4
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	23.6	22.4
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	27.4	24.5
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	17.7	15.5
Riverview and Coverdale	18.7	19.6
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	21.6	19.5
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	26.4	23.2
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	18.5	18.9
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	15.4	16.3
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	18.2	21.3
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	25.2	23.9
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	21.5	21.7
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	18.7	18.0
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	17.2	16.0

School districts

Anglophone East School District	22.2	21.8
Anglophone North School District	25.8	25.2

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Anglophone South School District	22.8	20.5
Anglophone West School District	22.2	21.0
Anglophone sector	22.8	21.5
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	16.1	17.1
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	12.8	13.7
District scolaire francophone Sud	13.0	13.4
Francophone sector	13.9	14.6

Grades

Grades 6 to 8	18.2	17.2
Grades 9 to 12	21.7	21.2

Gender

Female	18.8	17.5
Male	20.9	20.2
Non-binary	30.5	28.8

Sex at birth

Female	19.7	18.6
Male	20.7	20.3

2SLGBTQIA+ status

2SLGBTQIA+	29.9	26.3
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Indigenous identity

Indigenous	25.2	24.1
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Immigrant

Immigrants	20.3	18.8
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Disability or special need

Disability or special need	29.2	n/a
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Racialized groups

Racialized groups	21.4	n/a
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About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who reported eating a meal while using an electronic device 7 times or more in the last 7 days.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "7+ times" by the number of respondents who answered "never, 1-2 times, 3-4 times, 5-6 times or 7+ times" to the question: In the last 7 days, how many times did you: b) Eat a meal while using any electronic device, such as a smartphone, computer, tablet, video game console or TV?

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_EAT14_4

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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