

Students in grades 7 to 12 who report having ever used cannabis

Unit : %

| | Academic Year 2023-2024 | Academic Year 2022-2023 | Academic Year 2021-2022 | Academic Year 2018-2019 |
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| Province | | | | |
| New Brunswick | 17.9 | 19.3 | 19.0 | 24.5 |
| Health zones | | | | |
| Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area | 15.3 | 16.4 | 16.3 | 22.9 |
| Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area | 19.6 | 20.8 | 20.9 | 27.8 |
| Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area | 19.9 | 21.3 | 20.1 | 25.0 |
| Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area | 14.0 | 17.6 | 16.1 | 16.7 |
| Zone 5 - Restigouche Area | 23.2 | 24.2 | 22.3 | 26.7 |
| Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area | 15.7 | 16.6 | 17.1 | 21.6 |
| Zone 7 - Miramichi Area | 21.8 | 24.6 | 25.8 | 27.1 |
| Communities | | | | |
| Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area | 17.2 | 18.7 | 17.8 | 26.4 |
| Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area | 22.5 | 21.4 | 24.0 | 29.8 |
| Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area | 23.4 | 25.4 | 20.9 | 28.2 |
| Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area | 13.7 | 12.9 | 16.6 | 20.2 |
| Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area | 22.9 | 22.4 | 24.3 | 24.4 |
| Dieppe and Memramcook | 8.9 | 9.6 | 8.4 | 15.0 |
| Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area | 24.9 | 27.0 | 25.1 | 25.6 |
| Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area | 12.7 | 16.9 | 14.5 | 16.6 |
| Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area | 18.3 | 21.4 | 21.3 | 23.2 |
| Fredericton | 17.7 | 19.5 | 16.6 | 23.4 |
| Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area | n/a | n/a | 5.5 | S |
| Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area | 16.2 | 18.2 | 16.8 | 13.9 |

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| Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area | 31.1 | 35.9 | 27.9 | 33.8 |
| Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer | 13.7 | 19.4 | 21.6 | 19.4 |
| Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area | 27.1 | 29.5 | 27.0 | 22.1 |
| Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area | 22.7 | 25.7 | 26.5 | 28.5 |
| Moncton | 14.0 | 15.1 | 14.7 | 21.1 |
| Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area | 29.6 | 25.5 | 29.9 | 34.1 |
| Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area | 14.3 | 15.1 | 20.1 | 12.4 |
| New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area | 11.4 | 16.9 | 19.0 | 28.3 |
| Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area | 23.7 | 21.0 | 21.6 | 29.4 |
| Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area | 29.0 | 27.0 | 32.0 | 27.5 |
| Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area | 19.8 | 19.1 | 21.2 | 24.5 |
| Riverview and Coverdale | 13.2 | 18.1 | 17.6 | 26.4 |
| Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area | 23.6 | 20.9 | 24.5 | 25.3 |
| Saint John, Simonds and Musquash | 20.7 | 22.4 | 21.7 | 30.2 |
| Salisbury and Petitcodiac | 23.0 | 25.6 | 24.6 | 29.1 |
| Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé | 13.0 | 15.6 | 13.4 | 22.7 |
| Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area | 18.5 | 17.2 | 22.7 | 22.6 |
| St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area | 18.6 | 19.9 | 21.0 | 31.1 |
| St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area | 16.3 | 20.8 | 18.3 | 24.9 |
| Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area | 19.6 | 20.6 | 21.3 | 32.8 |
| Tracadie and Saint-Isidore | 12.5 | 14.6 | 13.0 | 11.9 |
| School districts | | | | |
| Anglophone East School District | 16.8 | 18.8 | 18.4 | 25.1 |
| Anglophone North School District | 26.1 | 28.5 | 29.1 | 33.5 |

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| Anglophone South School District | 19.8 | 21.1 | 21.3 | 28.3 |
| Anglophone West School District | 20.7 | 21.4 | 20.7 | 25.8 |
| Anglophone sector | 20.1 | 21.5 | 21.3 | 27.4 |
| District scolaire francophone Nord-Est | 14.6 | 15.3 | 15.7 | 18.8 |
| District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest | 13.9 | 17.6 | 15.9 | 16.1 |
| District scolaire francophone Sud | 10.8 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 16.4 |
| Francophone sector | 12.5 | 13.7 | 13.5 | 17.1 |
| Grades | | | | |
| Grades 6 to 8 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 4.6 | 5.7 |
| Grades 9 to 12 | 24.1 | 25.9 | 26.2 | 33.1 |
| Gender | | | | |
| Female | 18.9 | 20.2 | 20.1 | n/a |
| Male | 16.6 | 17.7 | 17.3 | n/a |
| Non-binary | 27.2 | 24.4 | 22.4 | n/a |
| Sex at birth | | | | |
| Female | 19.2 | 20.3 | 20.4 | 23.8 |
| Male | 16.4 | 18.0 | 17.4 | 25.2 |
| 2SLGBTQIA+ status | | | | |
| 2SLGBTQIA+ | 26.8 | 25.0 | 24.4 | n/a |
| Indigenous identity | | | | |
| Indigenous | 34.5 | 35.9 | 34.6 | 36.7 |
| Immigrant | | | | |
| Immigrants | 8.8 | 10.3 | 10.4 | 15.9 |

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| Disability or special need | | | | |
| Disability or special need | 23.9 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
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| Racialized groups | | | | |
| Racialized groups | 12.0 | n/a | n/a | n/a |
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About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 7 to 12 who report having ever used cannabis.

Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "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" 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 | Interpretation | NBHC code |
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| % | Lower is better | SH_MAR02_1 |

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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