

# Students in grades 6 to 12 who reported having ever tried using a water-pipe (hookah) to smoke sheesha (herbal or tobacco)

Unit: %

	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2021-2022		
Province				
New Brunswick	4.7	5.0	5.5	7.2
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	4.2	4.4	5.2	6.5
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	5.1	5.1	5.9	6.7
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	4.8	4.8	5.4	9.0
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	4.1	5.5	3.6	4.8
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	6.9	6.6	6.7	5.7
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	4.8	5.5	5.4	7.6
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	5.2	6.8	6.6	8.3
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	4.5	5.6	6.8	6.4
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	7.4	6.2	7.9	6.8
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	5.8	5.9	6.4	4.3
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	4.8	5.0	3.3	9.5
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	8.6	7.5	7.1	7.1
Dieppe and Memramcook	2.6	2.8	3.4	4.5
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	8.5	6.4	5.1	9.8
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	3.3	5.4	3.1	4.7
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	4.0	6.8	4.9	7.2
Fredericton	4.3	3.5	4.9	6.7
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	5.4	4.4	2.9	4.1



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10.5	11.6	7.4	5.7
4.3	9.4	6.7	7.3
7.3	6.6	6.1	9.9
5.0	6.9	7.0	8.5
3.4	3.9	4.8	6.4
6.9	6.0	6.0	12.3
7.0	5.6	3.5	6.8
S	5.8	7.7	13.8
5.8	4.6	6.4	12.1
6.0	9.9	6.6	12.0
4.9	4.6	4.6	6.2
3.6	4.4	5.2	8.0
6.6	4.4	5.8	7.5
5.0	5.7	5.9	6.6
6.1	7.2	8.0	10.3
4.0	3.8	4.0	4.5
6.2	6.9	7.1	9.7
4.9	4.5	7.1	8.9
a <b>4.8</b>	5.7	6.8	7.1
6.6	4.3	8.4	7.3
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Anglophone South School District       5.1       5.1       6.1         Anglophone West School District       5.0       4.9       5.5         Anglophone sector       5.0       5.3       6.0         District scolaire francophone Nord-Est       5.2       5.2       4.9         District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest       3.9       5.7       3.5         District scolaire francophone Sud       3.1       3.2       3.8         Francophone sector       3.9       4.3       4.1	6.7 9.2 8.0 6.7 4.5 4.4
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Francophone sector 3.9 4.3 4.1	
Cradas	1.8
Grades	1.8
Grades 6 to 8 1.9 1.5 1.3	
Grades 9 to 12 6.7 7.5 8.4	10.9
Gender	
Female 4.3 4.6 n/a	n/a
Male 4.9 5.1 n/a	n/a
Non-binary 10.0 6.3 n/a	n/a
Sex at birth	
Female 4.4 4.7 4.5	n/a
Male 4.9 5.2 6.4	n/a
2SLGBTQIA+ status	
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Indigenous identity	
Indigenous 10.7 11.5 8.6	14.1
Immigrant	
Immigrants 4.5 5.5 7.3	n/a



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## Disability or special need

Disability or special need	8.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	5.4	n/a	n/a	n/a



#### **About**

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who reported having ever tried using a water-pipe (hookah) to smoke sheesha (herbal or tobacco).

#### Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

#### **Calculations**

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who selected "using a water-pipe (hookah) to smoke sheesha (herbal or tobacco)" by the "total number of respondents" to the question: Have you ever tried any of the following? Smoking little cigars or cigarillos (plain or flavoured), smoking cigars (not including little cigars or cigarillos, plain or flavoured), smoking roll-your-own cigarettes (tobacco only, in rolling papers), using heated tobacco products, using smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, pinch, snuff, or snus), using a water-pipe (hookah) to smoke sheesha (herbal or tobacco) or using blunt wraps (a tube made of tobacco used to roll cigarette tobacco)

#### **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_SMOWP_1

### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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