

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

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2021-2022	Academic Year 2018-2019	Academic Year 2015-2016
<b>Province</b>				
New Brunswick	4.7	5.0	5.5	7.2
<b>Health zones</b>				
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
<b>Communities</b>				
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 Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	S	S	S

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	5.4	4.4	2.9	4.1
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	10.5	11.6	7.4	5.7
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	4.3	9.4	6.7	7.3
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	7.3	6.6	6.1	9.9
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	5.0	6.9	7.0	8.5
Moncton	3.4	3.9	4.8	6.4
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	6.9	6.0	6.0	12.3
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	7.0	5.6	3.5	6.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	S	5.8	7.7	13.8
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	5.8	4.6	6.4	12.1
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	6.0	9.9	6.6	12.0
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	4.9	4.6	4.6	6.2
Riverview and Coverdale	3.6	4.4	5.2	8.0
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	6.6	4.4	5.8	7.5
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	5.0	5.7	5.9	6.6
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	6.1	7.2	8.0	10.3
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.5
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	6.2	6.9	7.1	9.7
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	4.9	4.5	7.1	8.9
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	4.8	5.7	6.8	7.1
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	6.6	4.3	8.4	7.3
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	4.5	4.8	3.2	6.3
<b>School districts</b>				
Anglophone East School District	4.4	4.7	5.7	7.7

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Anglophone North School District	6.4	7.9	7.9	8.8
Anglophone South School District	5.1	5.1	6.1	6.7
Anglophone West School District	5.0	4.9	5.5	9.2
Anglophone sector	5.0	5.3	6.0	8.0
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	5.2	5.2	4.9	6.7
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	3.9	5.7	3.5	4.5
District scolaire francophone Sud	3.1	3.2	3.8	4.4
Francophone sector	3.9	4.3	4.1	5.2
<b>Grades</b>				
Grades 6 to 8	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.8
Grades 9 to 12	6.7	7.5	8.4	10.9
<b>Gender</b>				
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
<b>Sex at birth</b>				
Female	4.4	4.7	4.5	n/a
Male	4.9	5.2	6.4	n/a
<b>2SLGBTQIA+ status</b>				
2SLGBTQIA+	6.6	6.0	n/a	n/a
<b>Indigenous identity</b>				
Indigenous	10.7	11.5	8.6	14.1
<b>Immigrant</b>				

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Immigrants	4.5	5.5	7.3	n/a
<b>Disability or special need</b>				
Disability or special need	8.4	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Racialized groups</b>				
Racialized groups	5.4	n/a	n/a	n/a

## About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who report 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.

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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