

Students in grades 6 to 12 who, on average, spend 2 hours or more a day using electronic devices for entertainment on weekends

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023	Academic Year 2021-2022
Province				
New Brunswick	54.9	52.9	55.1	54.7
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	53.8	52.6	53.3	54.2
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	56.0	53.4	56.9	55.6
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	55.6	52.8	55.6	53.6
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	51.6	50.9	52.0	51.7
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	57.9	54.8	58.8	59.0
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	52.6	50.9	53.3	55.0
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	59.9	57.7	58.7	60.1
Communities				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	54.2	48.6	54.9	55.4
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	56.6	53.8	57.4	57.5
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	57.5	53.3	61.0	60.6
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	43.2	48.6	49.7	55.6
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	58.4	56.9	55.6	56.8
Dieppe and Memramcook	48.4	49.1	48.4	48.5
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	63.8	55.6	58.0	52.7
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	52.7	50.7	53.5	50.7
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	60.1	54.3	56.0	56.3
Fredericton	52.8	51.1	55.0	51.3
Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	49.0	54.0	51.1	54.0

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Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	57.4	57.8	57.3	60.3
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	53.8	43.6	47.9	51.0
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	55.9	57.9	59.6	56.3
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	60.6	58.9	58.6	60.3
Moncton	52.3	53.1	53.5	55.6
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	57.4	53.5	52.8	55.7
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	53.7	47.7	58.9	58.6
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	48.1	41.4	45.0	50.4
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	57.6	56.8	56.4	55.8
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	61.2	55.6	62.1	61.4
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	51.4	51.9	53.3	51.6
Riverview and Coverdale	61.6	53.3	55.1	56.3
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	56.9	55.5	58.7	50.3
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	58.8	55.2	59.9	59.3
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	56.2	52.0	52.3	48.6
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	53.2	50.2	50.7	54.0
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	50.7	54.0	51.5	55.0
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	60.2	55.0	56.9	60.0
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	57.2	52.5	58.6	55.0
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	52.9	51.5	51.9	49.9
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	56.7	54.5	53.9	53.6
School districts				
Anglophone East School District	56.8	54.9	56.3	56.5
Anglophone North School District	62.7	59.6	62.2	62.9

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Anglophone South School District	56.3	53.8	57.3	55.7
Anglophone West School District	56.2	53.8	56.3	54.3
Anglophone sector	57.2	54.7	57.3	56.2
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	51.1	49.5	51.8	53.7
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	49.9	48.4	50.1	50.4
District scolaire francophone Sud	47.4	47.6	47.8	49.6
Francophone sector	49.0	48.3	49.4	51.0
Grades				
Grades 6 to 8	45.6	44.0	44.2	45.6
Grades 9 to 12	61.8	59.3	62.7	61.4
Gender				
Female	62.0	61.4	64.1	62.8
Male	47.5	44.1	45.7	45.8
Non-binary	68.1	63.1	66.5	68.1
Sex at birth				
Female	62.1	61.5	64.3	63.4
Male	47.3	43.8	45.6	45.6
2SLGBTQIA+ status				
2SLGBTQIA+	67.4	65.0	63.4	63.8
Indigenous identity				
Indigenous	60.5	58.5	62.1	59.0
Immigrant				
Immigrants	54.4	52.8	54.5	53.4

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Disability or special need				
Disability or special need	58.7	54.2	n/a	n/a
Racialized groups				
Racialized groups	53.6	52.6	n/a	n/a

About

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Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "about 2 hours a day or about 3 or more hours a day" by the number of respondents who answered "none at all, about half an hour a day, about 1 hour a day, about 2 hours a day or about 3 or more hours a day" to the question: Using electronic devices for other purposes like: social media, chatting, instant messaging, emailing or surfing the Internet: Weekends

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
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Interpretation
Lower is better

NBHC code
SH_SOME_1

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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