

## Students in grades 6 to 12 who reported vaping, in any amount, at present (vaping daily or occasionally)

Unit : %

	Academic Year 2025-2026	Academic Year 2024-2025	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2022-2023
<b>Province</b>				
New Brunswick	11.1	12.0	14.0	15.6
<b>Health zones</b>				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	8.3	9.3	11.3	12.8
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	11.7	13.5	14.9	16.2
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	11.8	12.8	14.5	16.0
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	S	13.5	16.1	18.4
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	14.8	13.5	17.4	20.0
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	11.9	12.6	15.3	17.0
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	15.6	15.5	16.7	20.3
<b>Communities</b>				
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	12.5	11.8	12.8	15.0
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	14.5	16.1	17.5	19.7
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	12.7	14.2	17.5	21.6
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	12.0	8.3	16.7	15.0
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	17.9	12.6	17.1	17.8
Dieppe and Memramcook	4.6	6.3	6.7	9.3
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	18.6	19.5	22.2	26.1
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	S	13.1	14.0	17.7
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	12.7	12.7	14.5	16.5
Fredericton	8.8	10.7	12.0	13.7
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	15.3	14.1	18.0	18.0
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	24.6	11.3	22.2	28.9
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	S	13.9	19.4	22.7
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	25.0	18.4	18.4	20.4
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	15.4	15.9	16.9	20.6
Moncton	6.4	6.6	9.7	10.7
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	21.1	19.5	23.2	18.9
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	17.3	12.4	15.3	17.5
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	4.1	7.3	6.4	12.6
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	14.0	13.2	16.1	16.2
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	20.2	21.0	26.9	24.9
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	12.7	13.4	14.5	13.2
Riverview and Coverdale	8.1	9.2	10.2	12.8
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	12.0	15.9	14.4	15.7
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	10.7	13.3	15.1	17.4
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	17.3	17.0	22.2	19.3
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	9.3	12.1	10.9	13.1
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	13.2	16.8	20.9	23.2
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	17.4	15.2	19.3	19.6
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	11.9	13.8	12.8	16.4
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	12.7	13.8	16.3	18.9
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	9.9	14.1	15.2	17.9
<b>School districts</b>				
Anglophone East School District	9.4	9.3	12.5	13.8

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Anglophone North School District	16.7	17.0	19.1	21.9
Anglophone South School District	12.0	13.7	15.2	16.6
Anglophone West School District	12.5	12.9	15.2	16.2
Anglophone sector	12.1	12.7	14.9	16.4
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	11.9	12.2	15.2	17.1
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	S	14.2	16.4	19.2
District scolaire francophone Sud	5.5	7.6	7.7	9.7
Francophone sector	8.8	10.2	11.5	13.7
<b>Grades</b>				
Grades 6 to 8	3.2	4.3	4.8	5.5
Grades 9 to 12	16.5	17.9	20.4	22.8
<b>Gender</b>				
Female	12.5	12.6	15.4	17.3
Male	9.6	10.9	12.6	13.7
Non-binary	18.0	20.8	18.7	17.9
<b>Sex at birth</b>				
Female	12.3	12.7	15.3	17.1
Male	9.6	11.1	12.4	13.9
<b>2SLGBTQIA+ status</b>				
2SLGBTQIA+	15.5	15.9	17.9	18.4
<b>Indigenous identity</b>				
Indigenous	22.2	23.0	26.7	29.0
<b>Immigrant</b>				

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Immigrants	5.5	6.3	7.5	8.9
<b>Disability or special need</b>				
Disability or special need	15.1	16.7	17.1	n/a
<b>Racialized groups</b>				
Racialized groups	7.1	8.2	10.3	n/a
<b>Socioeconomic status</b>				
High socioeconomic status	9.1	n/a	n/a	n/a
Low socioeconomic status	15.9	n/a	n/a	n/a

## About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who reported vaping, in any amount, at present (vaping daily or occasionally). This indicator includes vaping e-liquid with nicotine, without nicotine, or when the student didn't know whether it contained nicotine. Additionally, it includes all e-cigarettes, vaporizers and vape pens. Vaping cannabis is not included.

## Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey, Grades 6-12

## Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who answered "less than once a week, at least once a week, but not every day or every day" by the number of respondents who answered "I do not use e-cigarettes, less than once a week, at least once a week, but not every day or every day" to the question: How often do you use e-cigarettes at present?

## Notes

Due to a low school participation rate in some areas of the province for the 2025-2026 edition of this survey, survey results are not available for District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest (school district), Madawaska and North-West Area (health zone), Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer (community), and Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area (community). 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_VAP03_1

## Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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