

Department of Education and Early Childhood Integrated Student Survey

Grades 6-12 Responses: Detailed Report 2021-2022

In collaboration with:

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New Brunswick Health Council

Competence

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
1. I feel I do things well at school.	7.8%	15.4%	57.8%	19.0%	76.7%	121
2. I can succeed in my schoolwork.	2.8%	9.4%	57.7%	30.1%	87.8%	120

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

	Too Easy	Just Right	Too Hard	# of Responses
3. The work I am given at school is...	19.9%	25.6%	4.5%	123

Note: Too easy includes A little easy .
Too hard includes A little hard .

Autonomy

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
4. I feel I have a choice about when and how to do my schoolwork.	7.3%	22.8%	38.3%	31.6%	69.9%	120
5. I feel free to express myself at school.	10.4%	29.3%	43.6%	16.8%	60.4%	121
6. I can work at my own pace at school.	10.4%	14.1%	50.9%	24.7%	75.5%	120
7. I have choices in how I show what I have learned.	4.8%	20.9%	55.1%	19.2%	74.3%	122
8. Teachers/adults in this school listen to my ideas and opinions.	2.9%	14.9%	60.1%	22.1%	82.2%	121

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

Relatedness

What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?

	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
9. My teachers like me and care about me.	4.8%	7.1%	54.8%	33.3%	88.1%	121
10. There is at least one adult at school I can go to for help.	5.3%	7.6%	39.2%	47.9%	87.1%	121
11. I feel my teachers think I am good at things.	6.4%	21.2%	49.2%	23.2%	72.4%	121
12. I like to be with my teachers.	8.3%	24.1%	45.0%	22.7%	67.6%	122

Note: True includes Sort of true for me and Really true for me .

Relevance

What do you think of the following statements about learning in your school?

	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
13. In the past two weeks, I learned at least one thing in school that made me want to know more.	15.2%	23.1%	61.8%	123
14. The things I learn at school help me to understand the world.	20.5%	25.0%	54.5%	123
15. The things I learn at school are important for my future.	12.1%	22.4%	65.5%	123

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Resilience

To what extent do the statements below describe you?

	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Quite a bit	A lot	# of Responses
16. I am able to solve problems without harming myself or others (for example by using drugs, alcohol or violence).	8.1%	5.1%	16.7%	20.7%	49.4%	117
17. I know where to go in my community to get help.	11.0%	9.4%	26.0%	24.9%	28.7%	120
18. Getting an education is important to me.	4.5%	3.9%	8.6%	35.1%	47.9%	119
19. I try to finish what I start.	6.2%	6.0%	17.6%	33.3%	37.0%	122
20. I have people I look up to.	6.0%	4.9%	21.1%	21.0%	47.0%	121
21. My parent(s)/caregiver(s) know a lot about me.	4.3%	16.9%	13.2%	23.7%	41.9%	120
22. My family stands by me during difficult times.	5.7%	5.7%	23.6%	21.7%	43.3%	120
23. My friends stand by me during difficult times.	9.7%	9.6%	17.3%	29.2%	34.3%	122
24. I have opportunities to develop skills that will be useful later in life (like job skills and skills to care for others).	4.2%	8.0%	22.8%	31.3%	33.6%	121
25. I am treated fairly in my community.	4.1%	9.6%	16.2%	36.9%	33.1%	121
26. I feel I belong at my school.	12.7%	11.2%	24.7%	29.4%	22.0%	122
27. I enjoy my cultural and family traditions.	5.0%	4.9%	15.9%	28.0%	46.2%	121

Family Support

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
28. I feel free to express myself at home.	9.0%	20.0%	31.7%	39.3%	70.9%	120
29. I like to spend time with my parents.	10.2%	17.6%	36.9%	35.3%	72.2%	120
30. I feel I do things well at home.	5.1%	18.4%	46.9%	29.5%	76.5%	121
31. My parents like me and care about me.	0.0%	#VALUE!	31.9%	68.1%	100.0%	120
32. I feel my parents think that I am good at things.	5.1%	8.7%	37.8%	48.4%	86.2%	120
33. I feel like I have a choice about when and how to do my household chores.	8.4%	21.0%	44.8%	25.8%	70.6%	120

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

Support from Friends

<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas in the last week.</i>	Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
34. I feel free to express myself with my friends.	6.4%	13.0%	34.2%	46.4%	80.6%	119
35. I feel I have a choice about which activities to do with my friends.	4.0%	10.7%	47.6%	37.8%	85.4%	120
36. I feel I do things well when I am with my friends.	5.5%	16.8%	36.4%	41.2%	77.7%	121
37. My friends like me and care about me.	2.6%	17.7%	33.0%	46.6%	79.6%	120
38. I feel my friends think I am good at things.	7.7%	16.4%	40.7%	35.2%	75.9%	121
39. I like to spend time with my friends.	6.9%	10.2%	25.8%	57.1%	82.9%	119

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

School Connectedness

<i>How strongly do you agree with each of the following?</i>	Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
40. I feel close to people at my school.	20.9%	79.1%	123
41. I feel I am part of my school.	28.2%	71.8%	121
42. I am happy to be at my school.	26.8%	73.2%	123
43. I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.	12.4%	87.6%	123
44. I feel safe in my school.	18.4%	81.6%	121
45. I feel my learning needs are met at my school.	20.9%	79.1%	123

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.

Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Student Values

		Not important	Important	# of Responses
<i>How important are each of the following to you?</i>				
46.	Getting good grades.	9.5%	90.5%	122
47.	Making friends.	15.7%	84.3%	122
48.	Getting to class on time.	27.2%	72.8%	123
49.	Learning new things.	10.7%	89.3%	121
50.	Expressing my opinion in class.	36.1%	63.9%	120
51.	Getting involved in the student council or other similar groups.	46.1%	53.9%	123
52.	Learning about my culture/heritage.	24.0%	76.0%	122

Note: *Not important* includes *Not very important* and *Not important at all*.
Important includes *Very important*.

Engagement

		Really false	Sort of false	Sort of true	Really true	True	# of Responses
<i>What best describes your feelings and ideas this school year?</i>							
53.	I am disruptive in school.	32.3%	30.8%	28.4%	8.4%	36.8%	118
54.	I get to school or class late.	34.8%	31.5%	22.9%	10.8%	33.7%	120
55.	I work hard to learn in school.	5.7%	10.0%	50.1%	34.2%	84.3%	122
56.	I pay attention in class.	2.9%	10.9%	59.2%	27.0%	86.2%	120

Note: *True* includes *Sort of true for me* and *Really true for me*.

Learning Environment		Did not happen at all	Hardly any / A few classes	Most / All of my classes	# of Responses
<i>In the last two weeks, how often have you noticed the following in your classes?</i>					
57.	The purpose of the lesson was clear to me.	0.6%	38.3%	61.1%	120
58.	The teacher checked to make sure I understood at least once.	2.2%	39.2%	58.7%	121
59.	I had an opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner, or in a small group.	3.6%	51.0%	45.3%	119
60.	We used a rubric to self-assess our learning.	10.6%	60.4%	29.0%	114
61.	We co-constructed a rubric.	26.9%	46.3%	26.8%	113
62.	The teacher showed us how to do something, then worked through an example with us, and then gave us a chance to try it on our own.	6.2%	35.8%	58.0%	116
63.	The teacher gave me a chance to explain my thinking.	6.5%	46.9%	46.6%	120
64.	The teacher took my interests and strengths into account when assigning schoolwork.	13.4%	50.8%	35.8%	120
65.	I got feedback from the teacher that helped me to improve what I was working on.	3.6%	43.6%	52.8%	120
66.	I understood what was taught.	2.8%	29.2%	67.9%	120
67.	I could have learned just as well by reading or researching on my own.	9.2%	55.7%	35.1%	119
68.	It was hard to pay attention because of the disruptions in class.	14.3%	55.3%	30.3%	118
69.	I am expected to work hard in my subjects/courses.	2.2%	23.6%	74.3%	118

Language and Culture		Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
<i>What do you think of the following statements about language and culture?</i>					
70.	I am comfortable speaking French outside of school.	55.0%	20.6%	24.4%	119
71.	I understand when my teacher speaks French to me in class.	49.7%	18.8%	31.5%	119
72.	Respecting other cultures is something that students should learn as early as possible.	6.0%	13.0%	81.0%	119

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

	English Program	French Immersion	# of Responses
73. What program are you in?	96.5%	3.5%	123

Bullying

In the last two months, have you been bullied at school in the ways listed below?

	Yes	# of Responses
74. Physical attacks.	18.2%	119
75. Verbal attacks.	33.0%	120
76. Cyber-attacks.	18.0%	119
77. Exclusion.	19.9%	119
78. Someone stole from you or damaged your things.	29.1%	117
79. Someone made mean comments about your race, religion or personal features.	19.8%	118
80. Someone made sexual jokes, comments or gestures to you.	21.7%	118

	Yes	# of Responses
81. In the last two months, have you bullied another student at	11.7%	120

Think of the last time you were bullied. What did you do?

	Yes	# of Responses
82. I ignored it	51.4%	80
83. I stood up to the bully or fought back	31.7%	80
84. I tried talking to the bully	5.2%	80
85. I told an adult at the school about it	9.2%	80
86. I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	11.9%	80
87. I told another student about it	10.8%	80
88. I called a helpline or other support service	0.0%	80
89. I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	29.7%	119

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer between items 82 to 88.

<i>If you were bullied, including online bullying, when did it happen most often?</i>			# of Responses
90.	Before school	4.7%	115
91.	During classes	22.5%	115
92.	Between classes	13.2%	115
93.	During recess or lunch	20.7%	115
94.	During extra-curricular activities (e.g., sports, clubs)	8.0%	115
95.	After school	15.1%	115
96.	I have not been bullied (did not answer the above questions)	44.1%	115

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 90 to 95.

<i>Do you avoid any places in your school because of bullying?</i>			# of Responses
97.	Classrooms (including library and computer rooms)	22.7%	49
98.	Hallways	30.6%	49
99.	Gym	9.4%	49
100.	Change rooms or locker rooms	17.1%	49
101.	Washrooms	30.7%	49
102.	Lunchroom or cafeteria	22.9%	49
103.	Outside on school property (e.g., playground, parking lot)	27.2%	49
104.	Bus	18.3%	49

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 97 to 104.

<i>Think of the last time you saw or heard another student being bullied. What did you do?</i>			# of Responses
105.	I ignored it	51.5%	65
106.	I stood up to the bully or fought back	15.3%	65
107.	I tried talking to the bully	6.1%	65
108.	I told an adult at the school about it	4.0%	65
109.	I told my parents or another adult outside of school about it	7.4%	65
110.	I told another student about it	11.9%	65
111.	I tried to help the person being bullied	25.8%	65
112.	I have not seen or heard another student (did not answer the above questions)	46.5%	118

Note: Students had the option to choose more than one answer for items 105 to 111.

<i>What do you think of the following statements about how your school handles bullying?</i>	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	# of Responses
112. Adults notice when bullying occurs.	27.9%	25.1%	47.0%	114
113. There is a safe process for reporting bullying.	29.4%	25.0%	45.5%	111
114. Adults deal with bullying quickly whenever it happens.	32.2%	27.4%	40.4%	113
115. My school is good at preventing bullying.	34.9%	29.3%	35.9%	114
116. Respect for others is valued and taught.	19.6%	27.8%	52.6%	112
117. Kindness/empathy is valued and taught.	19.3%	26.5%	54.2%	114

Note: *Disagree* includes *Strongly disagree*.
Agree includes *Strongly agree*.

Well-Being

<i>In the last 12 months...</i>	Yes	# of Responses
118. Did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	43.6%	117
119. Did you ever feel nervous, anxious or on edge or you were unable to stop or control worrying almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	50.1%	117

	Never / Rarely	Sometimes	Most of the time / All the time	# of Responses
120. During the last 12 months, how often have you felt lonely?	47.4%	27.9%	24.7%	120

	Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent	Very good / Excellent	# of Responses
121. In general, would you say your health is...	6.3%	12.2%	36.4%	30.0%	15.0%	45.1%	123

	Low 0 - 5	Medium 6 - 7	High 8 - 9	Best life 10	# of Responses
122. Rating of life satisfaction from 0-10.	25.2%	39.0%	28.2%	7.6%	121

Demographics

<i>About you...</i>	Responses		# of Responses
123. What grade are you in?	Grade 6	0.0%	123
	Grade 7	16.0%	
	Grade 8	12.7%	
	Grade 9	21.0%	
	Grade 10	15.5%	
	Grade 11	18.8%	
	Grade 12	16.0%	

	Responses		# of Responses
124. How old are you today (in years)?	10	0.0%	123
	11	0.8%	
	12	15.5%	
	13	13.3%	
	14	20.1%	
	15	15.5%	
	16	14.6%	
	17	18.6%	
	18	0.8%	
	19	0.8%	

	Responses		# of Responses
125. What language do you speak at home most of the time?	English	93.6%	123
	French	0.6%	
	English and French equally	2.3%	
	Mi'kmaw	3.6%	
	Wolastoqey	0.0%	
	Other	0.0%	

		Responses					# of Responses	
126.	How do you identify?	Man / boy					53.2%	117
		Woman / girl					41.8%	
		Non-binary					5.0%	
		Two spirit					0.7%	
		Responses					# of Responses	
127.	Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual					77.9%	116
		Gay / Lesbian					*	
		Bisexual					14.8%	
		Pansexual					*	
		Two spirit					0.0%	
		Asexual					*	
		I am not yet sure of my sexual identity					*	
		Other					0.0%	
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
128.	Do you identify as First Nations (including Mi'kmaw, Wolastoqey or Passamaquoddy), Metis and/or Inuk/Inuit?	70.7%	29.3%				119	
		Yes					# of Responses	
129.	If you answered <u>yes</u> to the previous question, please select which of the following apply to you.	First Nations person living in a First Nation community					90.2%	34
		First Nations person not living in a First					*	34
		Metis					0.0%	34
		Inuit					*	34
		No	Yes				# of Responses	
130.	Were you born in Canada?	2.2%	97.8%				122	
		1 year to 2 years	3 to 5 years	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 or more years	# of Responses	
131.	If you were not born in Canada, how long have you lived in Canada?	*	*	*	*	*	2	