

Nature of children's sport participation (Bulletin no 2)

2010-2011 Physical Activity Monitor, CFLRI



	Primary environment for sport			Child's use of a coach for sport	Child trains for sport	Child competes in sport	Level of competition	
	Structured	Unstructured	Both				Local level	Provincial or national
CHILD CHARACTERISTICS								
Total, 5 to 17 year olds	79%	4%	17%	92%	76%	71%	73%	27%
Boys	77%	4%	19%	92%	75%	74%	75%	25%
Girls	81%	4%	15%	93%	77%	67%	70%	30%
5 to 12	79%	4%	17%	92%	71%	64%	83%	17%
13 to 17	79%	4%	17%	92%	82%	82%	62%	38%
PARENTAL CHARACTERISTICS								
Total, 18+ years old	79%	4%	17%	92%	76%	71%	73%	27%
Fathers/male guardian	79%	5%	16%	92%	75%	73%	72%	28%
Mothers/female guardian	79%	3%	18%	92%	76%	70%	73%	26%
25 to 44 years	79%	4%	17%	93%	73%	66%	77%	23%
45 to 64 years	78%	5%	17%	91%	79%	77%	68%	32%
Parents' education level								
Less than secondary	74%	-	17%	88%	70%	54%	75%	-
Secondary	74%	-	20%	89%	72%	71%	74%	26%
College	80%	4%	16%	92%	76%	74%	73%	26%
University	79%	4%	17%	93%	77%	71%	71%	29%
Parents' employment status								
Full-time/self-employed	80%	3%	17%	93%	76%	74%	72%	27%
Part-time	77%	-	17%	93%	80%	73%	76%	24%
Student	-	-	-	95%	-	-	-	-
Homemaker	75%	-	-	89%	78%	62%	76%	-
Unemployed for some reason	78%	-	-	76%	65%	71%	76%	-
Retired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS								
Household income								
Lowest quartile (<\$50,000/yr)	72%	9%	20%	87%	72%	62%	78%	21%
2nd quartile (\$50,000-\$80,000)	77%	4%	18%	92%	72%	66%	76%	23%
3rd quartile (\$80,000-\$100,000)	83%	-	15%	94%	78%	73%	74%	26%
Highest quartile (≥\$100,000/yr)	83%	3%	15%	95%	79%	79%	67%	33%
Region								
Atlantic	80%	3%	17%	94%	78%	76%	62%	37%
Newfoundland and Labrador	76%	-	20%	93%	74%	78%	60%	40%
Prince Edward Island	88%	-	10%	96%	73%	79%	53%	47%
Nova Scotia	79%	-	17%	93%	81%	77%	66%	33%
New Brunswick	81%	-	18%	97%	78%	73%	60%	40%
Quebec	79%	5%	16%	88%	70%	57%	69%	31%
Ontario	78%	4%	17%	93%	77%	75%	79%	21%
West	79%	4%	17%	94%	78%	76%	70%	30%
Manitoba	78%	-	18%	93%	74%	75%	70%	30%
Saskatchewan	77%	-	21%	97%	77%	84%	61%	39%
Alberta	81%	-	15%	94%	76%	77%	69%	31%
British Columbia	79%	-	18%	93%	81%	74%	73%	27%
North	71%	-	20%	84%	70%	68%	62%	38%
Yukon	80%	-	19%	95%	76%	74%	56%	44%
Northwest Territories	79%	-	17%	94%	78%	75%	59%	41%
Nunavut	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Community size								
≥250,000 residents	75%	5%	19%	90%	77%	67%	78%	22%
100,000-249,999	81%	-	14%	95%	76%	78%	76%	24%
10,000-99,999	82%	3%	15%	92%	77%	71%	68%	32%
1,000-9,999	77%	4%	19%	93%	74%	72%	71%	29%
<1,000	80%	5%	15%	92%	76%	76%	68%	32%

- Data not available due to insufficient sample in cell.