

Table 578-0003 ^{1, 2, 3}

Aboriginal peoples survey, path to obtaining high school diploma and postsecondary education, by Aboriginal identity, age group and sex, population aged 15 years and over, Canada, provinces and territories occasional (persons)

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Geography = Northwest Territories
 Aboriginal identity ³ = Total, Aboriginal identity
 Statistics ^{1, 12, 13} = Number of persons

Age group ¹	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
Total, 15 years and over	Both sexes	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	7,250
			Has received postsecondary education	3,920
			Has not received any postsecondary education	3,170
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	160 ^E
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	3,820
			Has received postsecondary education	2,780
			Has not received any postsecondary education	990
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	2,920
			Has received postsecondary education	2,230
			Has not received any postsecondary education	640
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	910
			Has received postsecondary education	550
			Has not received any postsecondary education	340
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	3,400
			Has received postsecondary education	1,140
			Has not received any postsecondary education	2,160
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	90 ^E
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{3, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
Male	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	3,300	
		Has received postsecondary education	1,610	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	1,610	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	70 ^E	

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,600
			Has received postsecondary education	1,050
			Has not received any postsecondary education	520
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	1,210
			Has received postsecondary education	840
			Has not received any postsecondary education	350
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	380
			Has received postsecondary education	210 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	170 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,670
			Has received postsecondary education	560
			Has not received any postsecondary education	1,080
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
	Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F	
		Has received postsecondary education	F	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Female	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	3,950
			Has received postsecondary education	2,300
			Has not received any postsecondary education	1,560
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	90 ^E
Obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	2,230	
		Has received postsecondary education	1,730	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	470	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school		Total, postsecondary education	1,700	
		Has received postsecondary education	1,390	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	300	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²		Total, postsecondary education	520	
		Has received postsecondary education	340 ^E	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	170 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
Has not obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	1,720	

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
			Has received postsecondary education	570
			Has not received any postsecondary education	1,080
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
			Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
			Total, postsecondary education	1,420
			Has received postsecondary education	550
			Has not received any postsecondary education	860
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
			Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	
15 to 24 years	Both sexes	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	720
			Has received postsecondary education	420
			Has not received any postsecondary education	300
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	650
			Has received postsecondary education	400
			Has not received any postsecondary education	250
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	690
			Has received postsecondary education	130 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	550
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	690
			Has received postsecondary education	210 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	470
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
Male	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	350	
		Has received postsecondary education	160 ^E	
		Has not received any postsecondary education		
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a		

Age group ¹	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
			Has not received any postsecondary education	190 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	300
			Has received postsecondary education	160 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	150 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	330
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	270
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{1, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
	Has not received any postsecondary education		F	
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴		F	
	Female	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	730
			Has received postsecondary education	340
Has not received any postsecondary education			390	
Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴			F	
Obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	370	
		Has received postsecondary education	260	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	110 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school		Total, postsecondary education	350	
		Has received postsecondary education	250	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	100 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²		Total, postsecondary education	F	
		Has received postsecondary education	F	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
Has not obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	360	
		Has received postsecondary education	F	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	280	

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
25 to 34 years		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{b, 2}	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
			Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
	Both sexes	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,740
			Has received postsecondary education	1,090
			Has not received any postsecondary education	580
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,040
			Has received postsecondary education	800
			Has not received any postsecondary education	190
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	900
			Has received postsecondary education	720
			Has not received any postsecondary education	140
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	140 ^E		
	Has received postsecondary education	80 ^E		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	F		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	700		
	Has received postsecondary education	290		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	390		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{b, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F		
	Has received postsecondary education	F		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	F		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Male	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	810	
		Has received postsecondary education	440	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	340	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	430	
		Has received postsecondary education	300 ^E	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	110 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	

Age group ¹	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	380 ^E
			Has received postsecondary education	270 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	80 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	60 ^E
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	380
			Has received postsecondary education	140 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	230
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{11, 12}	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
	Female	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	930
			Has received postsecondary education	650
			Has not received any postsecondary education	240
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	600
			Has received postsecondary education	500
			Has not received any postsecondary education	80 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F
Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school		Total, postsecondary education	520	
		Has received postsecondary education	450	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	60 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F	
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²		Total, postsecondary education	80 ^E	
		Has received postsecondary education	F	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F	
Has not obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	320	
		Has received postsecondary education	150 ^E	
	Has not received any postsecondary education	160		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ¹¹	F		
Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{11, 12}	Total, postsecondary education	F		

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
35 to 44 years	Both sexes		Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,250
			Has received postsecondary education	820
			Has not received any postsecondary education	390
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	720
			Has received postsecondary education	580
			Has not received any postsecondary education	130 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	560
			Has received postsecondary education	480
			Has not received any postsecondary education	70 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	160
			Has received postsecondary education	100 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	60 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	520
Has received postsecondary education	240			
Has not received any postsecondary education	250			
Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F			
Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F		
	Has received postsecondary education	F		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	F		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Male	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	550	
		Has received postsecondary education	310	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	230	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	300	
		Has received postsecondary education	210	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	80 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	220	
		Has received postsecondary education	170 ^E	

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012	
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	80 ^E	
			Has received postsecondary education	F	
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	250	
			Has received postsecondary education	100 ^E	
			Has not received any postsecondary education	140	
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{4, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F	
			Has received postsecondary education	F	
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
		Female	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	700
				Has received postsecondary education	510
	Has not received any postsecondary education			160	
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴			F	
	Obtained a high school diploma		Total, postsecondary education	420	
			Has received postsecondary education	370	
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school		Total, postsecondary education	340	
			Has received postsecondary education	320	
Has not received any postsecondary education			F		
Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴			F		
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education		80 ^E		
	Has received postsecondary education		50 ^E		
	Has not received any postsecondary education		F		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴		F		
Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education		270		
	Has received postsecondary education		140 ^E		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	110 ^E			
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ⁴	F			
Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{4, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F			
	Has received postsecondary education	F			
	Has not received any postsecondary education	F			

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
45 years and over	Both sexes	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	2,840
			Has received postsecondary education	1,450
			Has not received any postsecondary education	1,340
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,350
			Has received postsecondary education	980
			Has not received any postsecondary education	370 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	810
			Has received postsecondary education	630
			Has not received any postsecondary education	180 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	530
			Has received postsecondary education	350 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	190 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,490
			Has received postsecondary education	480
			Has not received any postsecondary education	970
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
Male	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,240	
		Has received postsecondary education	650	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	570	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	510	
		Has received postsecondary education	380	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	140 ^E	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	
	Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	320 ^E	
		Has received postsecondary education	250 ^E	
		Has not received any postsecondary education	F	
		Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F	

Age group ^a	Sex	Path to obtaining high school diploma	Postsecondary education ¹⁰	2012
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	200 ^E
			Has received postsecondary education	120 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	720
			Has received postsecondary education	280 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	430
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F
			Has received postsecondary education	F
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
	Female	Total, path to obtaining high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	1,600
			Has received postsecondary education	800
			Has not received any postsecondary education	770
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	830
			Has received postsecondary education	600
			Has not received any postsecondary education	230 ^E
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
		Obtained a high school diploma: completed high school	Total, postsecondary education	490
			Has received postsecondary education	380 ^E
			Has not received any postsecondary education	F
			Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F
Obtained a high school diploma: completed an upgrading or high school equivalency program ²	Total, postsecondary education	340 ^E		
	Has received postsecondary education	230 ^E		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	110 ^E		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Has not obtained a high school diploma	Total, postsecondary education	760		
	Has received postsecondary education	200 ^E		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	530		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		
Not specified if obtained high school diploma ^{a, 2}	Total, postsecondary education	F		
	Has received postsecondary education	F		
	Has not received any postsecondary education	F		
	Not specified if received any postsecondary education ^a	F		

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Symbol legend:

- E Use with caution
- F Too unreliable to be published

Footnotes:

1. Source: Aboriginal Peoples Survey 2012.
2. Excludes persons living on Indian reserves or settlements, and persons who were attending high school (grades 7 to 12 or equivalent) at the time of the survey.
3. Aboriginal identity includes persons living off reserve who reported being an Aboriginal person, that is, First Nations (North American Indian), Métis or Inuk (Inuit) and/or those who reported Registered or Treaty Indian status, that is registered under the Indian Act of Canada, and/or those who reported membership in a First Nation or Indian band. The sum of the categories included in this variable is greater than the total population estimate for Aboriginal identity because a person may have reported more than one Aboriginal identity: for example, a person could self-identify as both First Nations and Métis.
4. Atlantic includes Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick.
5. Registered or Treaty Indian status refers to whether or not a person reported being a Registered or Treaty Indian. Registered Indians are persons who are registered under the Indian Act of Canada. Treaty Indians are persons who belong to a First Nation or Indian band that signed a treaty with the Crown. Registered or Treaty Indians are sometimes also called Status Indians.
6. Proxy reporting was used in the 2012 Aboriginal Peoples Survey for nearly half of youth aged 15 to 17 years and for adults in certain specific situations (for example when the selected adult was not able to answer for health related reasons, due to a language barrier, or because the selected respondent was going to be away from home for the duration of the survey.)
7. Includes General Educational Development (GED) and Adult Basic Education (ABE).
8. "Not specified" categories consist of item non-response ("Refusal", "Don't know", and "Not stated").
9. Includes persons aged 15 to 44 who indicated that they were "home schooled" because they were not asked any follow-up questions on level of educational attainment.
10. Postsecondary education consists of any education above the high school level that could be counted towards a certificate, diploma or degree from an educational institution such as a university, a college, CEGEP or other non-university institution, or a trade school. Persons whose postsecondary education consists only of a college, CEGEP, or other non-university certificate or diploma program of less than 3 months are not considered to have any postsecondary education.
11. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
12. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified by an (E) and should be interpreted with caution.
13. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed (F) due to extreme sampling variability.

Source: Statistics Canada. *Table 578-0003 - Aboriginal peoples survey, path to obtaining high school diploma and postsecondary education, by Aboriginal identity, age group and sex, population aged 15 years and over, Canada, provinces and territories, occasional (persons unless otherwise noted)*, CANSIM (database). (accessed:)
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