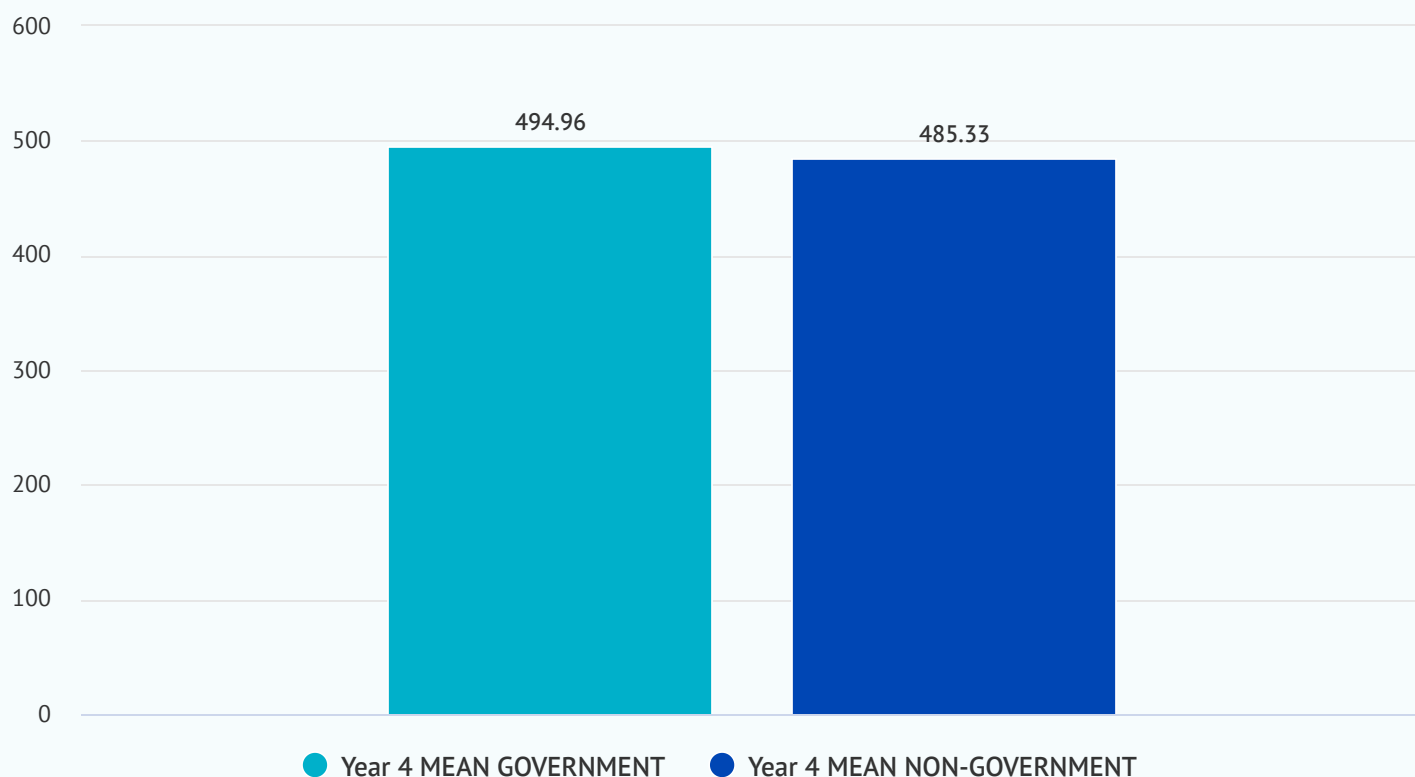


Year 4 writing performance by school authority

Figure CWF4.5

Year 4 Writing performance by school authority 2021



Year	Year 4 MEAN GOVERNMENT	Year 4 MEAN NON-GOVERNMENT
2021	494.96	485.33

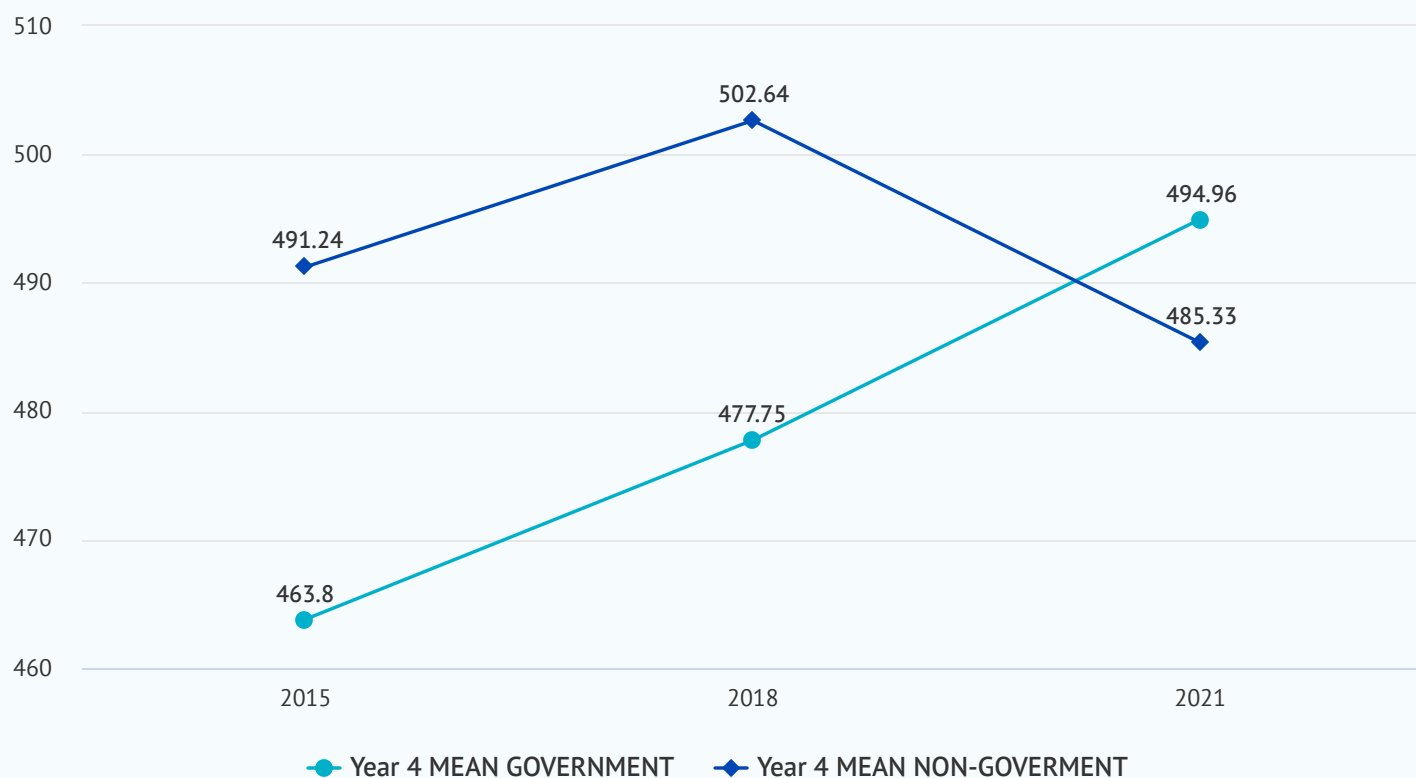
Average writing scores for year 4 students by school authority, Cook Is, PILNA 2021

More than 7 out of 10 year four students are enrolled in Cook Island government schools. Figure CWF4.5 shows the average performance of these students by school authority. Students in government schools showed a slightly better performance in writing than those in non-government schools. This is the opposite of what was observed in previous PILNA cycles. In 2018 and 2015, students in non-government schools achieved better results than those in government schools as shown in Figure

CWF4.6. Further statistical testing needs to be performed to understand if these differences in scores are significant or the result of chance or outliers.

Figure CWF4.6

Year 4 Writing performance by school authority over time



Year	Year 4 MEAN GOVERNMENT	Year 4 MEAN NON-GOVERNMENT
2015	463.8	491.24
2018	477.75	502.64
2021	494.96	485.33

Average writing scores for year 4 students by school authority, Cook Is, PILNA 2015, 2018, 2021