

Year 6 reading performance by school locality

Most year six students who had their performance analysed in the PILNA 2021 reading assessment were enrolled in non-urban schools: 78% in non-urban schools and 22% in urban schools.

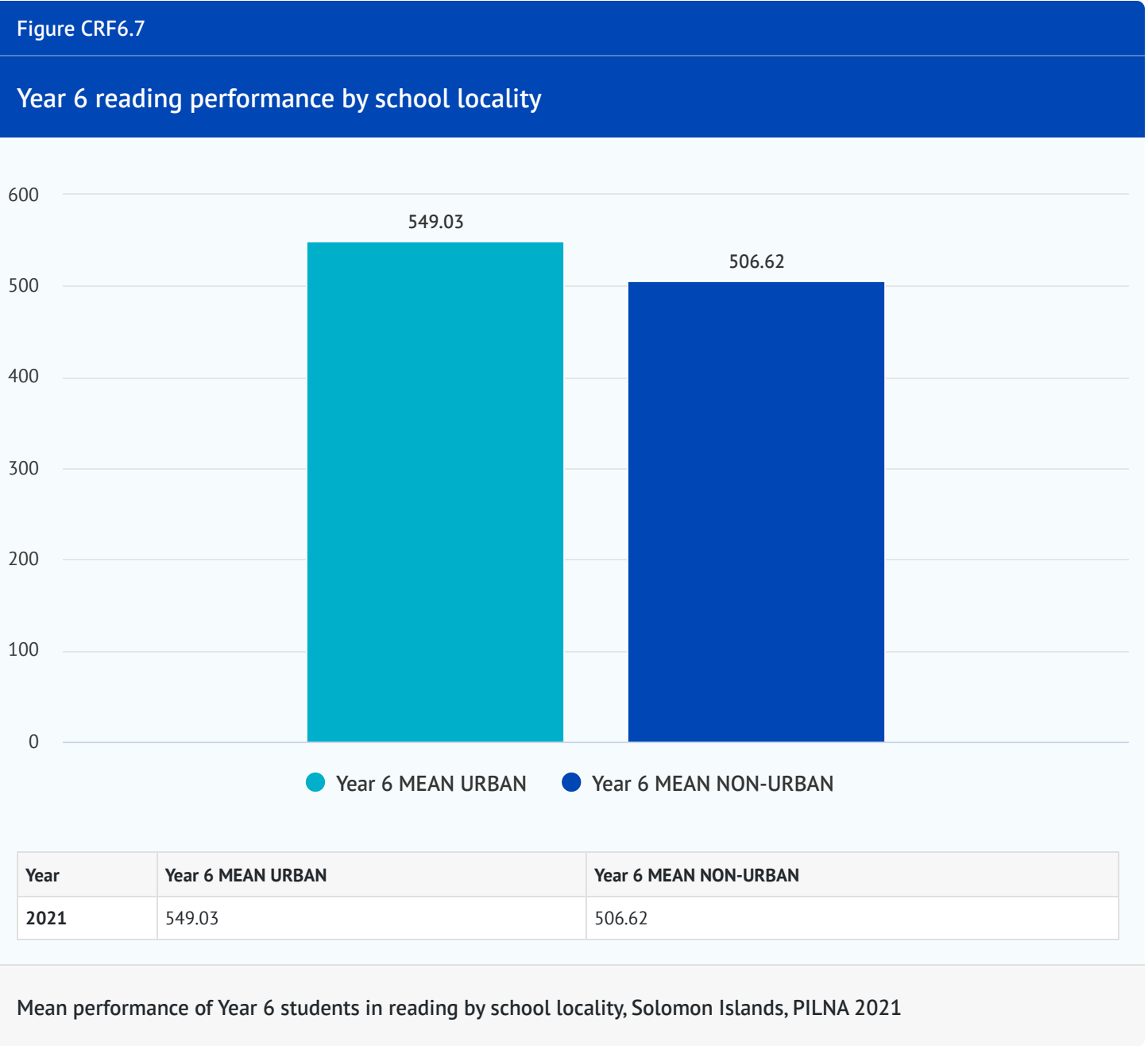
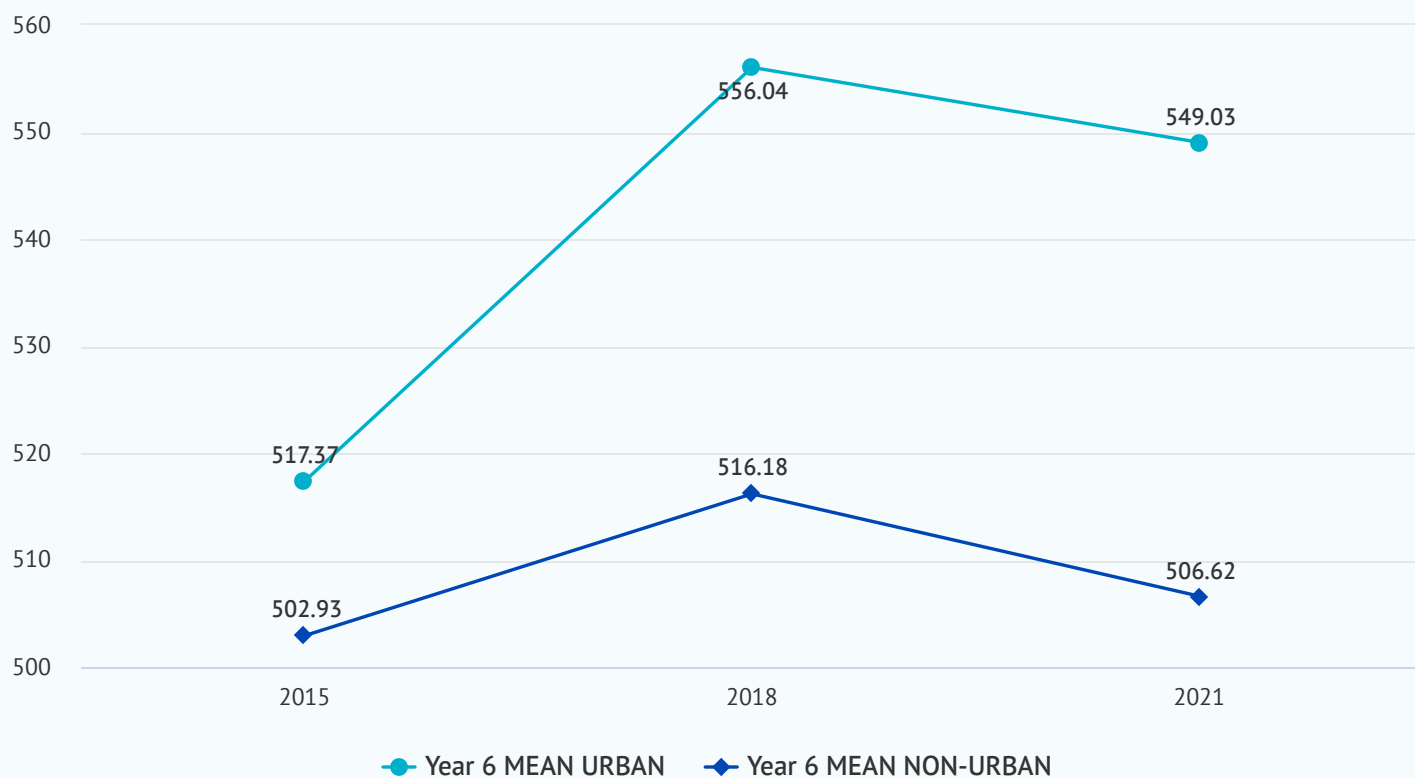


Figure CRF6.7 shows the average performance of year six students by school locality. Year six students in urban schools achieved higher reading results on average than those in non-urban schools. This is consistent with the two previous PILNA

cycles, 2015 and 2018 (Figure CRF6.8).

Figure CRF6.8

Year 6 reading performance by school locality over time



Year	Year 6 MEAN URBAN	Year 6 MEAN NON-URBAN
2015	517.37	502.93
2018	556.04	516.18
2021	549.03	506.62

Mean performance of Year 6 students in reading by school locality, Solomon Islands, PILNA 2015, 2018 and 2021