

Exhibit 7.6: Students Use Digital Devices to Find and Read Information by Gender

Students' Reports

Assessed Fourth Grade Students at the End of the School Year

☒ Assessed one year later than originally scheduled

■ Delayed Assessment of Fourth Grade Cohort at the Beginning of Fifth Grade

Country		More Than 30 Minutes per School Day		30 Minutes or Less per School Day		No Time per School Day	
		Percent of Students	Average Achievement	Percent of Students	Average Achievement	Percent of Students	Average Achievement
Albania	Girls	26 (1.8)	524 (6.0)	60 (1.6)	532 (3.9)	14 (1.2)	492 (7.1)
	Boys	32 (1.6)	505 (4.6)	54 (1.5)	509 (4.7)	14 (1.2)	487 (7.4)
Australia ☒	Girls	24 (1.3)	551 (4.6)	61 (1.3)	554 (3.2)	16 (1.2)	531 (6.4)
	Boys	30 (1.4)	541 (3.9)	53 (1.4)	538 (3.0)	17 (1.3)	502 (6.3)
Austria	Girls	15 (0.8)	510 (5.0)	54 (1.4)	539 (3.7)	31 (1.4)	548 (3.2)
	Boys	19 (1.0)	507 (4.7)	40 (1.3)	524 (3.1)	41 (1.3)	530 (3.5)
Azerbaijan	Girls	22 (1.0)	451 (5.5)	49 (1.5)	468 (5.0)	29 (1.4)	429 (5.7)
	Boys	27 (1.0)	437 (5.0)	43 (1.2)	445 (5.0)	30 (1.2)	417 (5.2)
Bahrain	Girls	37 (1.3)	483 (4.6)	53 (1.2)	494 (4.2)	10 (0.5)	448 (12.4)
	Boys	39 (1.3)	445 (4.5)	46 (1.2)	449 (3.6)	15 (1.1)	387 (6.6)
Belgium (Flemish)	Girls	14 (0.8)	504 (4.9)	57 (1.5)	512 (2.7)	29 (1.5)	525 (3.4)
	Boys	18 (1.0)	507 (4.2)	52 (1.2)	504 (3.4)	30 (1.1)	514 (3.8)
Belgium (French)	Girls	12 (0.9)	479 (6.2)	37 (1.8)	497 (3.9)	51 (2.0)	507 (4.8)
	Boys	15 (1.0)	476 (5.5)	33 (1.5)	484 (4.1)	52 (1.6)	498 (3.9)
Brazil ☒	Girls	23 (1.4)	429 (7.6)	51 (1.4)	468 (6.0)	26 (1.7)	397 (7.5)
	Boys	26 (1.5)	412 (7.8)	43 (1.5)	442 (7.1)	31 (1.7)	393 (7.1)
Bulgaria	Girls	22 (1.7)	558 (4.6)	54 (2.0)	559 (4.1)	24 (1.7)	520 (6.3)
	Boys	28 (1.5)	531 (5.9)	47 (1.5)	549 (4.5)	25 (1.4)	511 (6.7)
Chinese Taipei	Girls	14 (0.7)	553 (3.9)	57 (1.2)	556 (2.9)	29 (1.2)	541 (3.4)
	Boys	18 (0.8)	534 (3.9)	46 (1.2)	542 (2.9)	36 (1.4)	537 (2.9)
Croatia	Girls	22 (1.2)	550 (5.2)	70 (1.6)	570 (3.3)	8 (1.2)	539 (8.5)
	Boys	27 (1.4)	542 (5.2)	58 (1.8)	562 (2.9)	15 (1.2)	535 (6.4)
Cyprus	Girls	15 (0.9)	513 (5.8)	56 (1.6)	526 (3.2)	29 (1.7)	499 (4.9)
	Boys	17 (1.1)	503 (5.3)	47 (1.4)	516 (3.3)	37 (1.7)	499 (4.7)
Czech Republic	Girls	17 (1.0)	536 (3.8)	52 (1.2)	548 (3.1)	30 (1.4)	538 (4.6)
	Boys	21 (1.0)	528 (4.5)	46 (1.5)	547 (3.4)	33 (1.6)	536 (3.2)
Denmark	Girls	21 (1.4)	543 (4.3)	61 (1.3)	548 (3.0)	18 (1.5)	548 (4.1)
	Boys	26 (1.4)	526 (4.8)	53 (1.3)	538 (3.2)	21 (1.2)	534 (5.1)
Egypt	Girls	25 (1.3)	400 (5.0)	37 (1.7)	395 (7.0)	38 (1.9)	386 (8.1)
	Boys	25 (1.2)	385 (5.7)	34 (1.8)	383 (8.0)	40 (1.6)	367 (8.6)
England ☒	Girls	22 (1.3)	559 (4.8)	65 (1.2)	569 (3.4)	14 (1.0)	547 (6.5)
	Boys	24 (1.3)	549 (5.7)	56 (1.5)	560 (3.7)	20 (1.3)	540 (4.9)
Finland	Girls	16 (0.8)	545 (4.8)	66 (1.2)	564 (2.6)	18 (1.0)	554 (4.6)
	Boys	21 (1.0)	534 (5.4)	54 (1.2)	547 (2.7)	26 (1.3)	538 (4.7)
France	Girls	10 (0.9)	507 (7.0)	40 (1.9)	525 (3.3)	50 (2.3)	522 (4.0)
	Boys	11 (0.8)	486 (6.1)	35 (1.6)	508 (3.3)	54 (1.8)	512 (3.6)
Georgia	Girls	31 (1.1)	505 (4.4)	60 (1.4)	515 (3.0)	9 (0.8)	473 (9.5)
	Boys	33 (1.4)	488 (4.1)	54 (1.5)	494 (3.5)	13 (1.1)	449 (8.0)
Germany	Girls ^r	15 (0.9)	515 (5.1)	51 (1.4)	538 (3.5)	33 (1.5)	543 (3.5)
	Boys ^r	18 (1.0)	511 (4.7)	46 (1.1)	520 (3.4)	37 (1.3)	529 (3.7)
Hong Kong SAR	Girls	20 (1.1)	577 (4.0)	70 (1.3)	582 (2.8)	9 (0.7)	546 (7.7)
	Boys	22 (1.0)	574 (4.9)	62 (1.3)	575 (3.4)	16 (1.0)	537 (6.1)
Hungary	Girls	21 (1.0)	538 (5.2)	56 (1.4)	559 (3.5)	23 (1.1)	531 (5.6)
	Boys	27 (1.1)	523 (5.5)	49 (1.2)	545 (4.2)	24 (1.1)	525 (6.0)
Iran, Islamic Rep. of ☒	Girls	22 (1.6)	426 (7.5)	42 (2.0)	432 (8.0)	36 (2.3)	412 (10.9)
	Boys	26 (1.6)	407 (8.3)	38 (1.8)	420 (7.0)	36 (1.9)	391 (9.3)
Ireland	Girls	13 (1.0)	572 (5.9)	63 (1.7)	584 (3.6)	24 (1.8)	588 (5.7)
	Boys	19 (1.1)	559 (4.9)	51 (1.7)	574 (3.7)	30 (1.9)	578 (3.7)
Israel ☒	Girls	26 (1.2)	506 (3.9)	54 (1.2)	523 (3.3)	20 (1.1)	500 (5.5)
	Boys	26 (1.1)	506 (4.5)	47 (1.3)	517 (2.8)	27 (1.3)	506 (4.3)
Italy	Girls	16 (0.9)	527 (4.1)	32 (1.2)	535 (3.5)	52 (1.4)	551 (2.7)
	Boys	18 (1.0)	519 (3.8)	32 (1.2)	528 (3.2)	50 (1.4)	545 (2.7)
Jordan	Girls	29 (1.8)	406 (8.2)	47 (1.8)	411 (8.1)	24 (2.1)	373 (8.0)
	Boys	32 (1.8)	374 (8.5)	39 (2.1)	374 (10.2)	29 (1.9)	344 (14.1)
Kazakhstan	Girls	41 (1.1)	511 (2.8)	47 (1.1)	525 (3.1)	12 (0.6)	471 (5.9)
	Boys	39 (1.1)	495 (3.5)	45 (1.2)	508 (3.6)	16 (0.8)	463 (6.3)
Kosovo	Girls	38 (1.1)	439 (3.7)	49 (1.3)	436 (3.5)	13 (0.9)	401 (7.1)
	Boys	42 (1.3)	421 (4.1)	44 (1.5)	417 (4.6)	14 (0.9)	375 (8.4)
Latvia	Girls	24 (1.2)	538 (4.8)	68 (1.5)	546 (3.5)	8 (1.3)	523 (7.6)
	Boys	28 (1.3)	512 (4.7)	58 (1.3)	523 (3.4)	14 (1.0)	493 (8.1)
Lithuania	Girls	22 (1.1)	559 (4.6)	67 (1.2)	567 (2.4)	11 (1.1)	555 (5.1)
	Boys	26 (1.1)	537 (5.1)	60 (1.2)	551 (2.6)	14 (0.8)	521 (4.8)
Macao SAR	Girls	21 (0.7)	549 (3.1)	66 (1.0)	545 (1.8)	13 (0.8)	507 (5.3)
	Boys	22 (0.8)	533 (3.5)	59 (1.0)	539 (2.2)	19 (0.8)	505 (3.8)
Malta	Girls	27 (1.3)	519 (5.3)	61 (1.3)	524 (4.0)	12 (1.0)	496 (10.7)
	Boys	29 (1.3)	509 (4.6)	56 (1.6)	522 (3.8)	15 (1.0)	495 (7.0)

() Standard errors appear in parentheses. Because of rounding some results may appear inconsistent. An "r" indicates data are available for at least 70% but less than 85% of the students.

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Country		More Than 30 Minutes per School Day		30 Minutes or Less per School Day		No Time per School Day	
		Percent of Students	Average Achievement	Percent of Students	Average Achievement	Percent of Students	Average Achievement
Montenegro	Girls	24 (1.1)	497 (4.5)	55 (1.1)	507 (2.5)	21 (1.0)	482 (4.6)
	Boys	29 (1.1)	477 (3.4)	48 (1.3)	488 (3.0)	23 (1.1)	470 (4.6)
Morocco	Girls	25 (1.5)	403 (5.5)	48 (1.8)	404 (5.5)	27 (1.7)	357 (8.7)
	Boys	27 (1.2)	362 (6.3)	45 (1.5)	369 (6.1)	29 (1.7)	337 (9.1)
Netherlands	Girls	21 (1.4)	533 (4.7)	60 (1.4)	535 (3.8)	19 (1.3)	531 (4.6)
	Boys	24 (1.3)	522 (4.4)	55 (1.3)	523 (3.6)	21 (1.2)	515 (4.3)
New Zealand	Girls	27 (0.9)	535 (4.7)	57 (1.0)	540 (3.4)	16 (0.9)	502 (4.9)
	Boys	30 (1.4)	521 (4.4)	50 (1.3)	521 (3.4)	21 (1.2)	496 (4.0)
North Macedonia	Girls	33 (1.7)	453 (6.8)	55 (2.1)	471 (5.0)	12 (1.5)	410 (12.2)
	Boys	33 (1.5)	429 (7.5)	51 (2.0)	450 (4.8)	17 (2.0)	390 (9.9)
Northern Ireland	Girls	21 (1.1)	569 (4.6)	70 (1.2)	582 (2.9)	9 (0.8)	569 (8.5)
	Boys	20 (1.2)	552 (5.1)	62 (1.4)	560 (3.1)	18 (1.3)	535 (7.9)
Norway (5)	Girls	28 (1.7)	546 (4.2)	63 (1.7)	553 (2.3)	9 (0.9)	527 (7.3)
	Boys	30 (1.3)	535 (3.7)	58 (1.1)	536 (2.6)	11 (0.9)	507 (5.0)
Oman	Girls	35 (1.3)	452 (6.2)	53 (1.4)	459 (4.5)	12 (0.9)	412 (7.0)
	Boys	32 (1.2)	420 (5.8)	51 (1.2)	427 (4.6)	18 (0.9)	388 (7.7)
Poland	Girls	24 (1.3)	553 (4.4)	65 (1.3)	565 (3.2)	10 (0.9)	546 (6.0)
	Boys	35 (1.2)	527 (3.6)	53 (1.4)	553 (3.2)	12 (0.8)	527 (5.7)
Portugal	Girls	21 (0.8)	515 (3.7)	57 (1.2)	527 (2.8)	22 (1.2)	520 (4.2)
	Boys	25 (0.9)	508 (3.3)	50 (1.1)	521 (3.0)	25 (1.0)	523 (4.8)
Qatar	Girls	32 (1.4)	501 (5.0)	55 (1.2)	502 (4.3)	13 (0.9)	455 (6.1)
	Boys	38 (1.1)	489 (5.4)	46 (1.2)	486 (5.3)	16 (0.9)	445 (7.4)
Russian Federation	Girls	25 (0.9)	569 (4.6)	58 (1.1)	585 (3.2)	17 (0.9)	554 (5.9)
	Boys	27 (0.8)	558 (5.2)	51 (1.1)	570 (5.2)	22 (1.1)	546 (6.6)
Saudi Arabia	Girls	31 (1.3)	472 (5.2)	51 (1.6)	475 (5.5)	18 (1.2)	440 (7.9)
	Boys	31 (1.4)	435 (5.3)	45 (1.2)	439 (5.2)	25 (1.2)	418 (6.8)
Serbia	Girls	31 (1.6)	518 (5.1)	52 (1.6)	523 (4.3)	17 (1.3)	510 (9.2)
	Boys	36 (1.9)	507 (3.7)	47 (1.7)	517 (4.4)	17 (1.3)	497 (7.8)
Singapore	Girls	28 (0.8)	601 (3.6)	60 (0.8)	599 (3.2)	12 (0.6)	573 (5.9)
	Boys	29 (0.9)	588 (4.5)	53 (1.0)	585 (3.8)	18 (0.7)	553 (6.1)
Slovak Republic	Girls	16 (1.0)	539 (4.7)	63 (1.6)	545 (3.1)	21 (1.5)	502 (6.6)
	Boys	23 (1.0)	526 (5.2)	51 (1.2)	538 (3.1)	26 (1.1)	505 (7.1)
Slovenia	Girls	18 (0.9)	519 (4.1)	59 (1.3)	535 (2.5)	23 (1.1)	523 (3.8)
	Boys	26 (1.0)	503 (4.2)	47 (1.2)	521 (2.7)	27 (1.2)	503 (4.7)
South Africa ☒	Girls	28 (1.0)	354 (6.5)	34 (0.9)	342 (5.9)	39 (1.2)	285 (4.7)
	Boys	26 (1.0)	293 (7.4)	35 (1.1)	284 (7.0)	39 (1.2)	239 (5.2)
Spain	Girls	24 (0.8)	516 (4.3)	61 (1.1)	527 (2.7)	15 (0.9)	518 (4.8)
	Boys	25 (1.0)	520 (3.3)	54 (1.0)	524 (2.8)	20 (0.9)	516 (4.5)
Sweden	Girls	25 (1.2)	555 (4.0)	65 (1.2)	554 (2.9)	10 (0.9)	543 (7.3)
	Boys	28 (1.1)	533 (3.3)	59 (1.3)	543 (3.0)	13 (1.0)	527 (7.4)
Turkiye	Girls	29 (1.2)	505 (4.7)	59 (1.4)	518 (3.8)	13 (1.2)	450 (8.5)
	Boys	35 (1.2)	487 (4.4)	53 (1.1)	499 (3.9)	12 (1.0)	451 (8.6)
United Arab Emirates	Girls	34 (0.6)	512 (3.4)	56 (0.6)	507 (2.8)	11 (0.5)	424 (4.9)
	Boys	39 (0.6)	496 (3.6)	46 (0.7)	486 (4.2)	15 (0.5)	398 (5.1)
United States	Girls	22 (1.7)	538 (11.7)	63 (2.1)	560 (7.3)	15 (1.6)	543 (12.3)
	Boys	24 (1.6)	551 (7.7)	58 (1.8)	549 (9.1)	18 (2.0)	528 (13.5)
Uzbekistan	Girls	22 (1.2)	445 (4.8)	36 (1.4)	463 (3.7)	42 (1.7)	443 (3.8)
	Boys	22 (1.2)	423 (4.3)	34 (1.4)	432 (5.0)	44 (1.9)	425 (4.0)
International Average	Girls	24 (0.2)	510 (0.7)	56 (0.2)	520 (0.5)	21 (0.2)	494 (0.9)
	Boys	27 (0.2)	494 (0.7)	49 (0.2)	503 (0.6)	25 (0.2)	479 (0.9)
Benchmarking Participants							
Alberta, Canada	Girls	25 (1.8)	551 (5.6)	62 (2.0)	548 (3.8)	12 (1.1)	542 (9.5)
	Boys	34 (1.4)	533 (4.5)	50 (1.6)	540 (4.8)	16 (1.3)	519 (9.4)
British Columbia, Canada	Girls	25 (1.2)	544 (4.3)	59 (1.5)	550 (4.0)	16 (1.3)	530 (5.3)
	Boys	30 (1.3)	529 (4.5)	50 (1.5)	537 (5.3)	20 (1.3)	520 (7.5)
Newfoundland & Labrador, Canada	Girls	25 (1.3)	529 (5.0)	60 (1.7)	537 (4.0)	15 (1.1)	523 (7.3)
	Boys	28 (1.6)	516 (5.4)	52 (1.8)	527 (3.9)	20 (1.2)	500 (10.1)
Quebec, Canada	Girls	22 (1.3)	563 (4.2)	61 (1.4)	557 (3.4)	17 (1.0)	549 (6.8)
	Boys	29 (1.1)	544 (4.4)	49 (1.5)	550 (3.5)	22 (1.4)	541 (5.5)
Moscow City, Russian Federation	Girls	23 (0.9)	601 (3.3)	61 (1.0)	609 (2.3)	17 (0.9)	595 (3.6)
	Boys	24 (0.8)	588 (3.8)	55 (1.2)	599 (2.5)	20 (1.0)	584 (4.3)
South Africa (6) ☒	Girls	38 (1.3)	430 (5.9)	42 (1.2)	415 (5.7)	20 (1.5)	367 (6.2)
	Boys	32 (1.0)	382 (6.8)	43 (1.2)	367 (6.5)	25 (1.4)	328 (6.4)
Abu Dhabi, UAE	Girls	31 (0.8)	478 (4.7)	55 (1.0)	472 (4.3)	13 (0.7)	377 (8.0)
	Boys	36 (0.9)	458 (6.3)	45 (1.0)	445 (6.7)	20 (0.8)	360 (7.6)
Dubai, UAE	Girls	35 (1.2)	564 (3.7)	59 (1.2)	563 (2.8)	6 (0.5)	488 (7.8)
	Boys	42 (0.9)	559 (3.4)	49 (1.0)	558 (2.9)	9 (0.6)	478 (8.5)