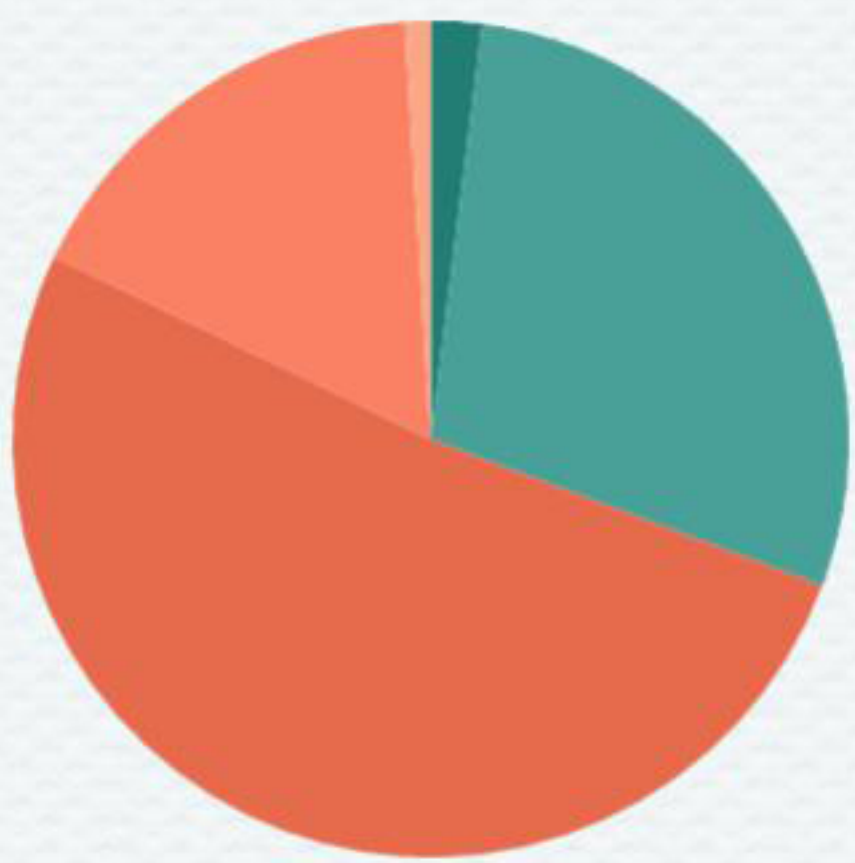
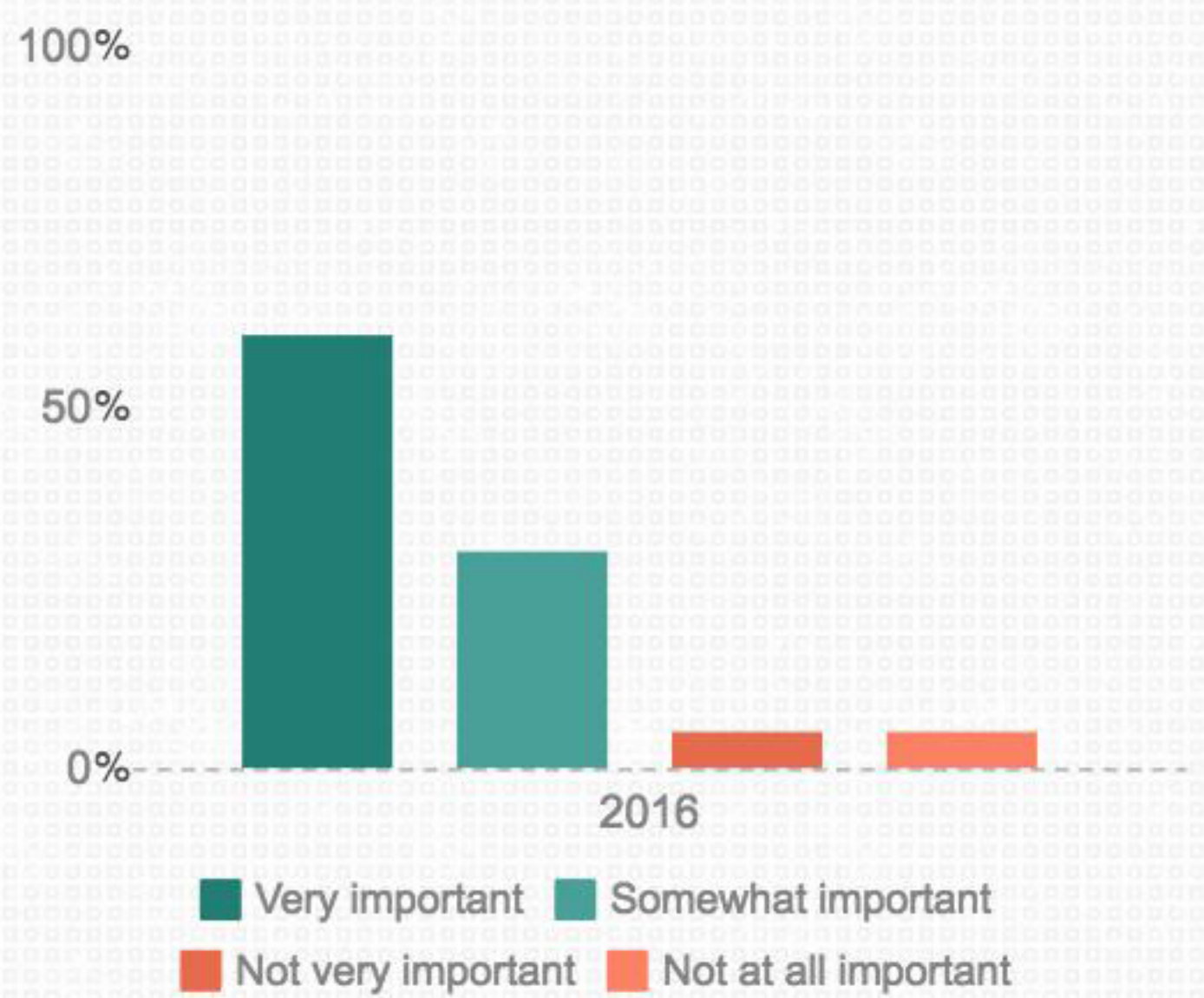


# What is public opinion on student-centered learning?

With help from the Rennie Center, we set out to understand how New Englanders' understanding of our current education system is growing and changing. Here is what we learned.

## New Englanders Believe Student-Centered Learning Is Key To College and Career Readiness

90% of New Englanders felt that it was important for students to participate in a student-centered learning environment in order to be college and career ready.



To the best of your knowledge, how many public high school graduates in [your state] do you think are prepared for college and a career?

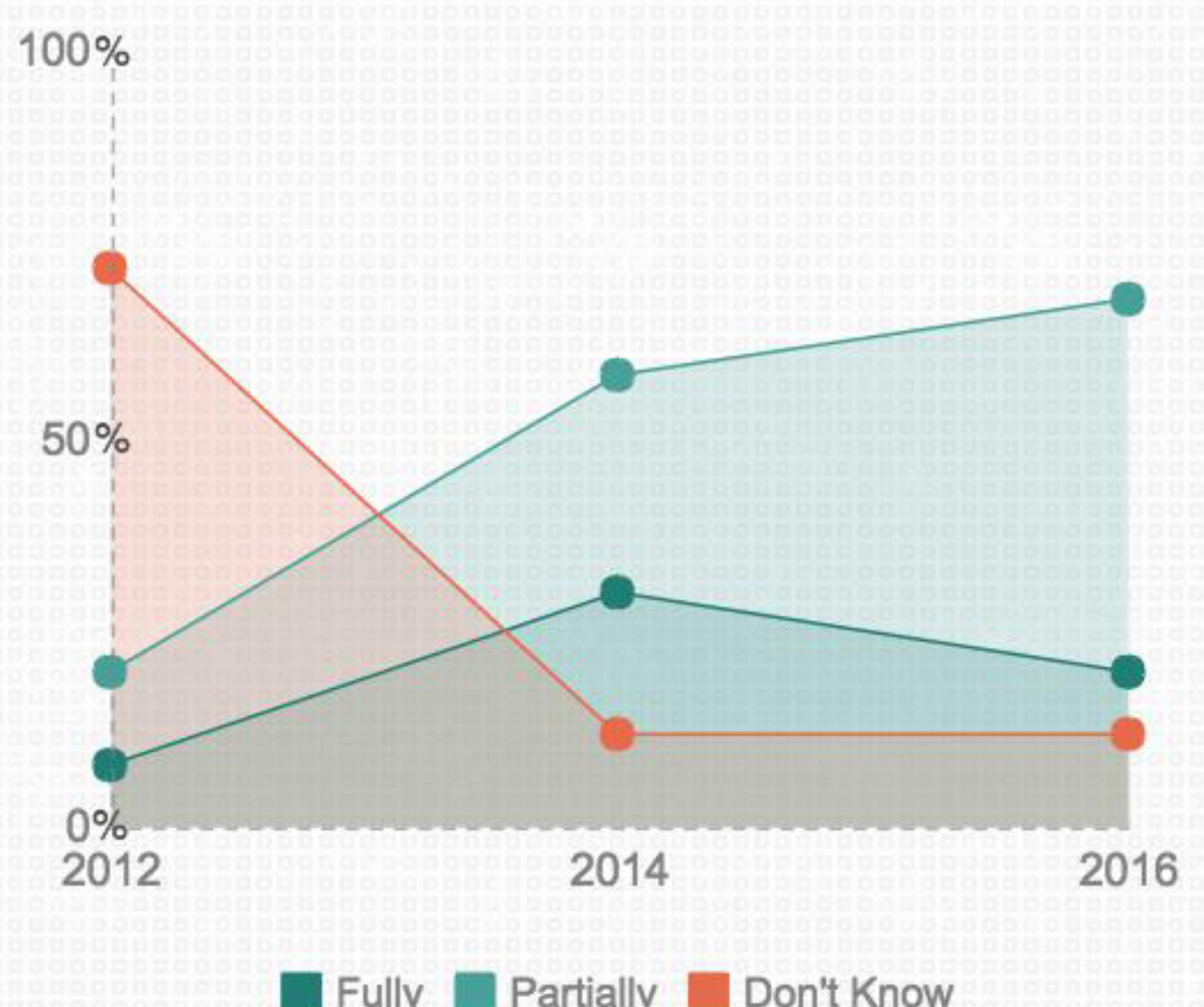
- All graduates (1.98%)
- Most graduates (28.71%)
- Half of graduates (51.49%)
- Few graduates (16.83%)
- No graduates (0.99%)

## New Englanders Know Students Aren't Graduating College And Career Ready

Only half of our students are prepared for life after high school. More than 50% of New Englanders were able to correctly identify this fact. Overall, nearly 70% believe we are seriously falling short in terms of ensuring students' college and career readiness.

## New Englanders Are Developing A Deeper Understanding About Student-Centered Learning

Four years ago, only 30% of New Englanders who had heard the term student-centered learning had a partial or full understanding of the definition. Now, 88% of New Englanders who have heard the term student-centered learning can correctly identify at least 4 of 8 elements of the definition.



We are tracking biannual changes in New England public opinion on education issues with help from the Rennie Center. To learn more about student-centered learning, visit us at [www.nmefoundation.org](http://www.nmefoundation.org).

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