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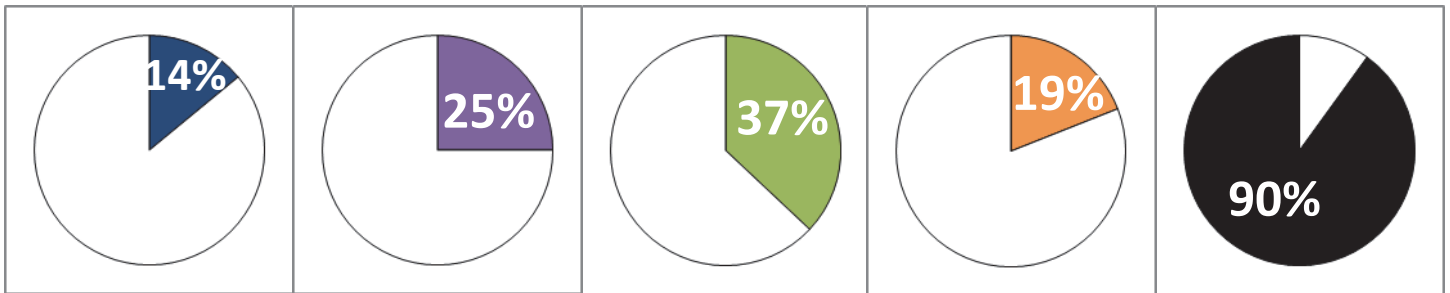
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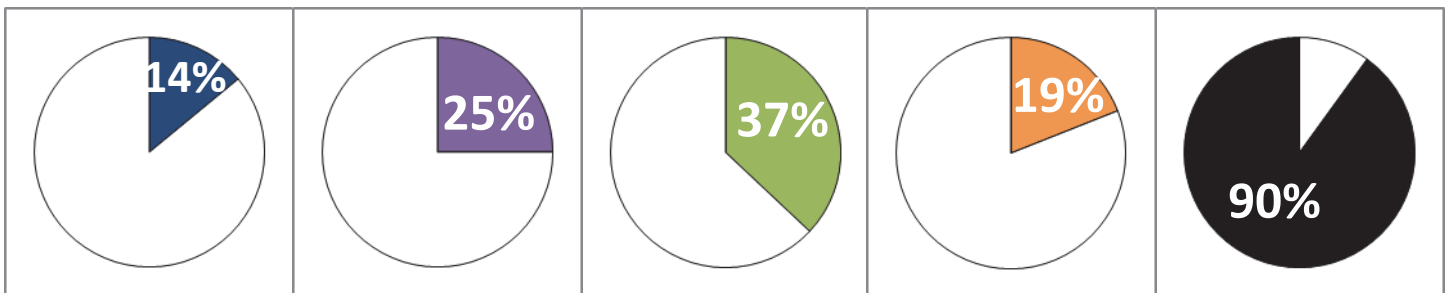
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Project Q

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The Alliance School

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Trevor Project Suicide Hotline

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