DIG IN.

Every year, Dig-In sends out over 6 million samples to UK students

WITH EXCLUSIVE ACCESS TO

80%

All new students

162

UK Universities

460k

Students every year

8.2m

Student insights

£1bn

Spending power

If you want to get your product to students, you're in the right place

We asked students across the UK...

students responded

Gender Breakdown

• 49% Male

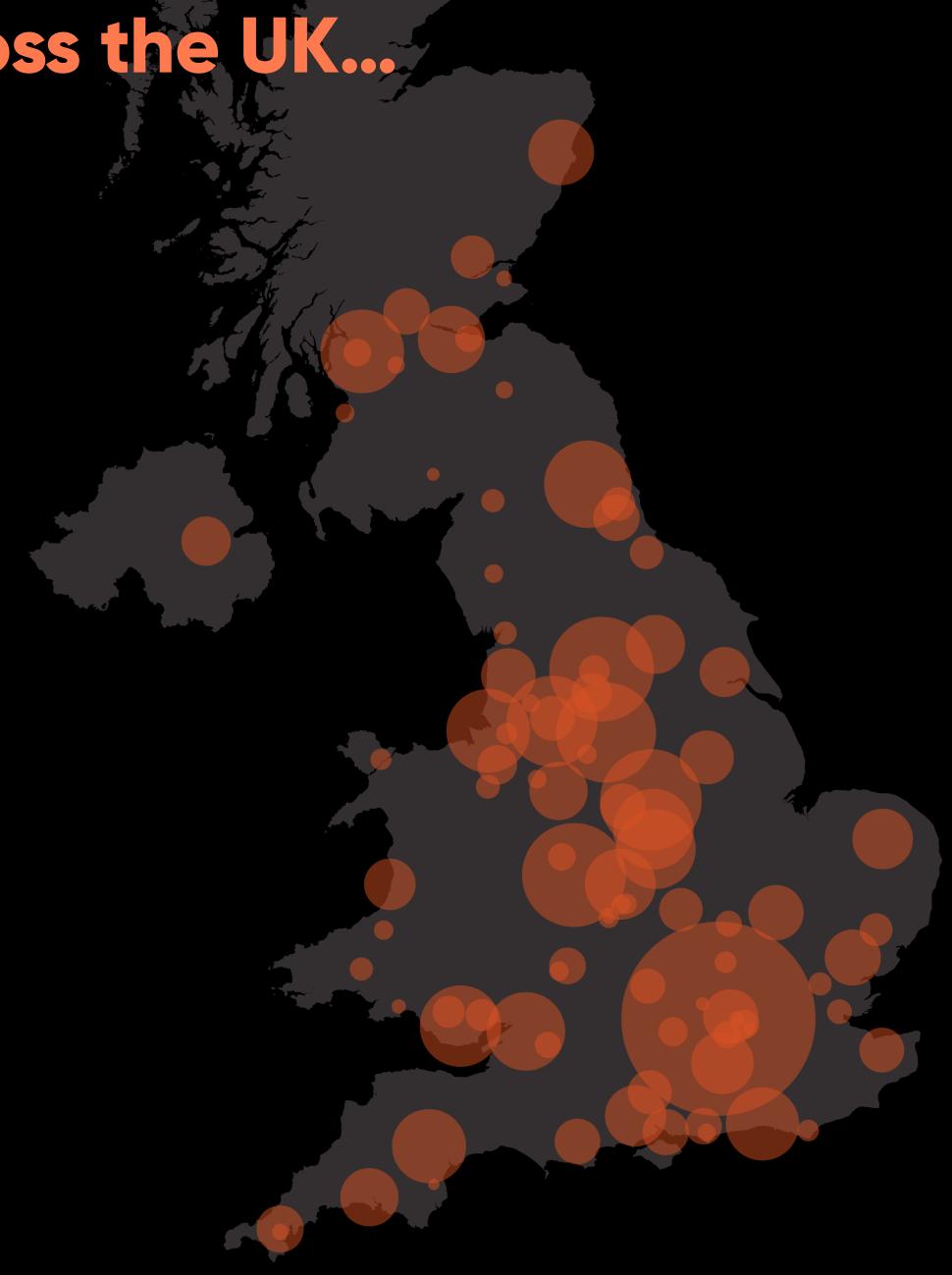
• 51% Female

Origin Breakdown

• 83% UK

• 8% EU

9% International



Since COVID-19...

"... have your spending habits changed?"

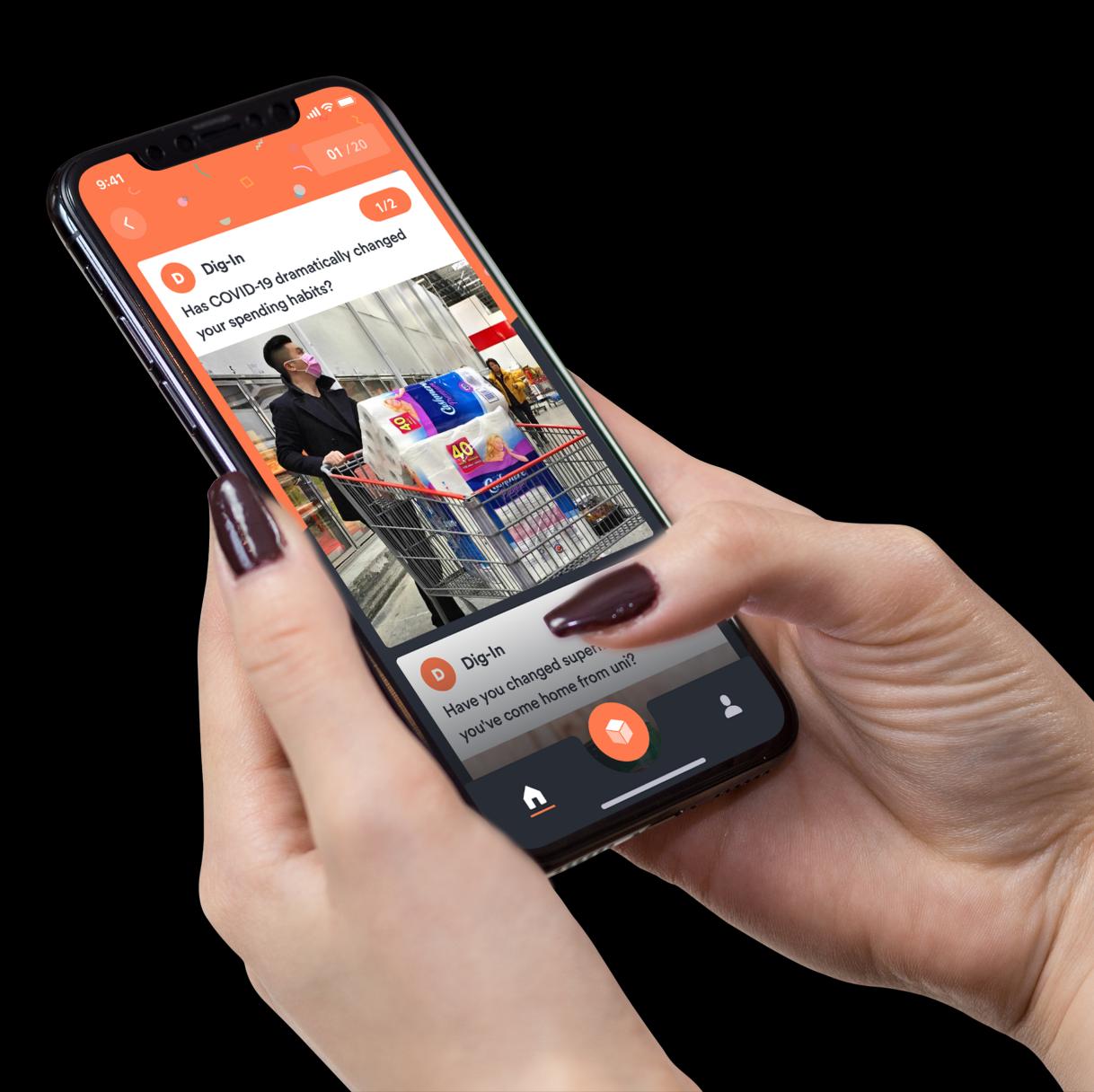
80% SAID DRASTICALLY

"... have your brand allegiances changed?"

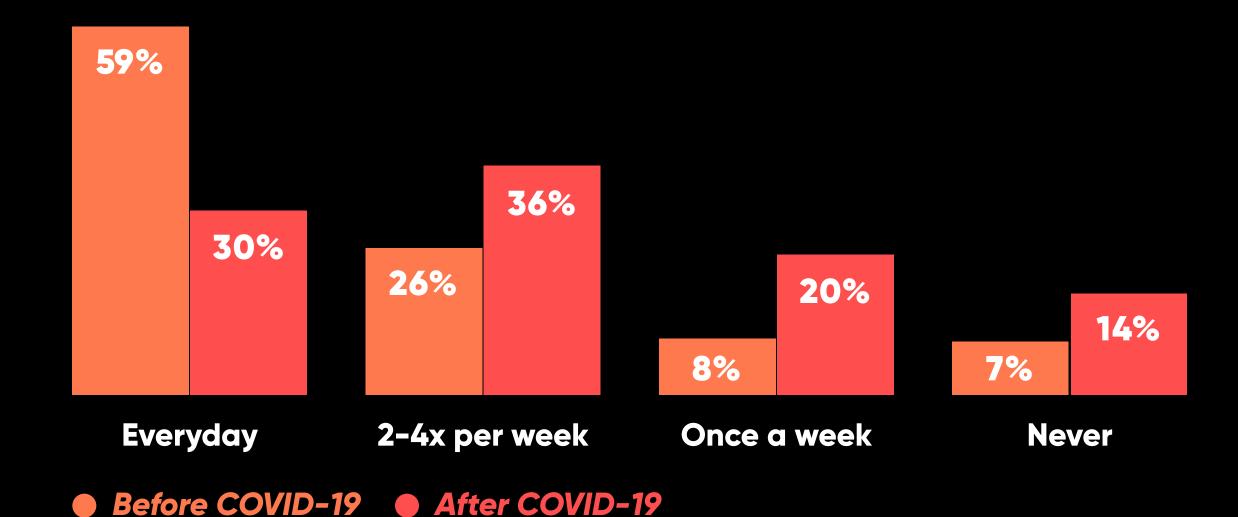
71% SAID ABSOLUTELY

"... have you been shopping more or less?"

72% SAID MORE



"How often do you cook for yourself?"



DIG-IN'S INSIGHT

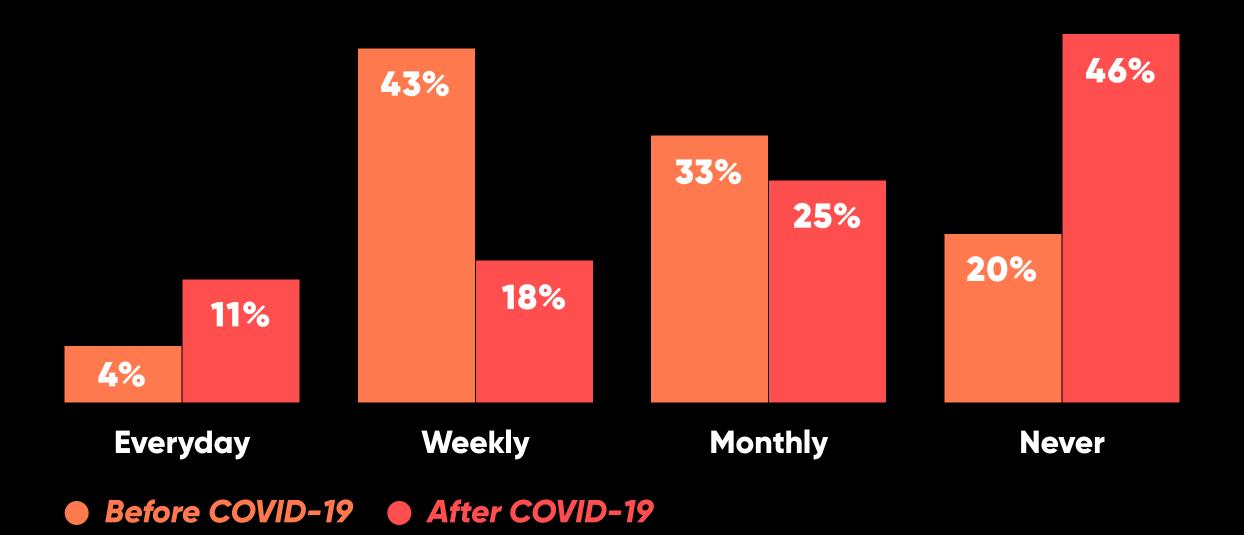
"We've highlighted this as it's not necessarily a result we were expecting. Alcohol consumption in this age group has dropped significantly since Covid, bucking the trend of the rest of the country."

DIG-IN'S INSIGHT

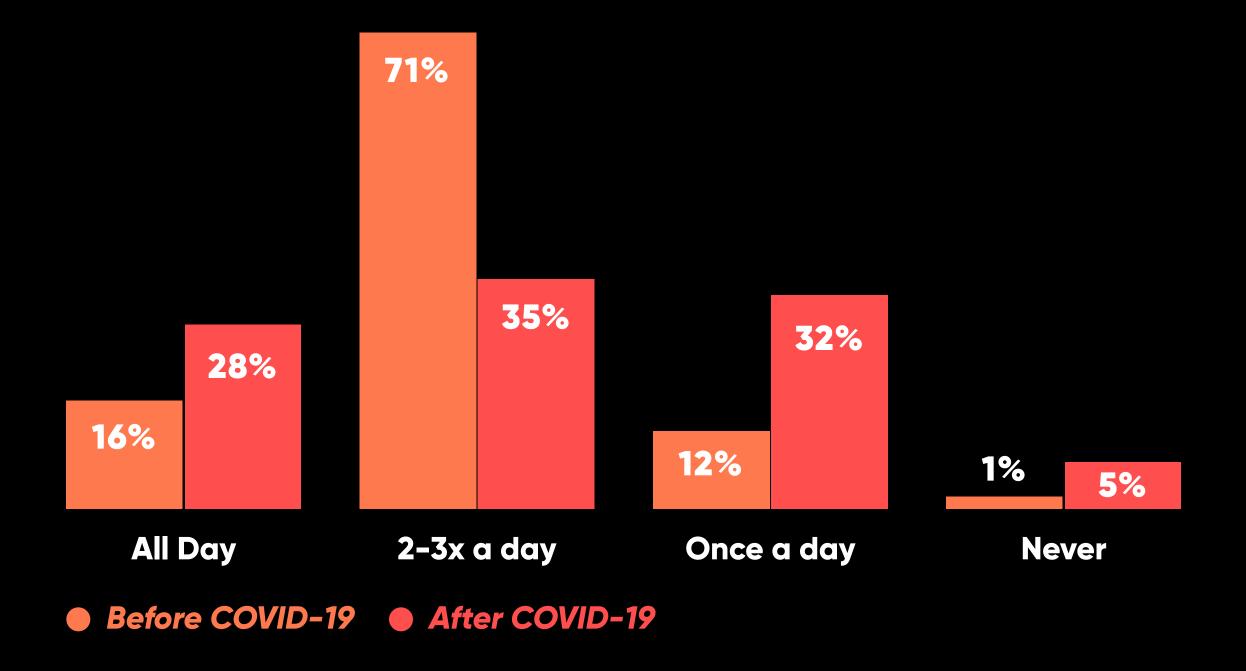
"We see here a huge drop in Gen Z consumers cooking their own meals, but perhaps surprisingly this trend can be seen both in those that returned home and those still in their halls at university.

Many purchasing habits that were being established have been disturbed."

"How often do you drink alcohol?"



"How often do you snack on average per day?"



DIG-IN'S INSIGHT

"28% of students are now snacking all through the day since lockdown, many of us can relate to that.

Further significant shifts can be seen in the underlying data with 69% reporting that they are making healthier choices."

DIG-IN'S INSIGHT

"We know much shopping across all sectors has been pushed online and we also knew this age group were more likely to shop online. What fascinates us here, is us wanting what we don't have. While only 26% preferred to shop online pre lock down – now a staggering 60% would prefer to shop in store!"

"Do you prefer to shop online or in-store?"

In-Store 26%
In-Store 60%

● Before COVID-19 ● After COVID-19

SELECTED INSIGHTS

of students think that stockpiling is a selfish act

of students continue to shop for groceries in-store despite the risk

of students can't wait to get back to university

of students now consider a brand's ethical values when purchasing

of students are working out at home to try to keep active

of students are browsing online out of boredom

LET'S TALK POLITICS

MaleFemale

"Do you trust Boris Johnson?"

38% 25% YES

"What's most concerning about COVID-19?"

Economy Illness

"Are you happy with the government's response compared to other countries?"

65% 80% NO NO

Just 1 hour after Boris's Sunday announcement...

"... are you happy with the Government's proposed next steps?"

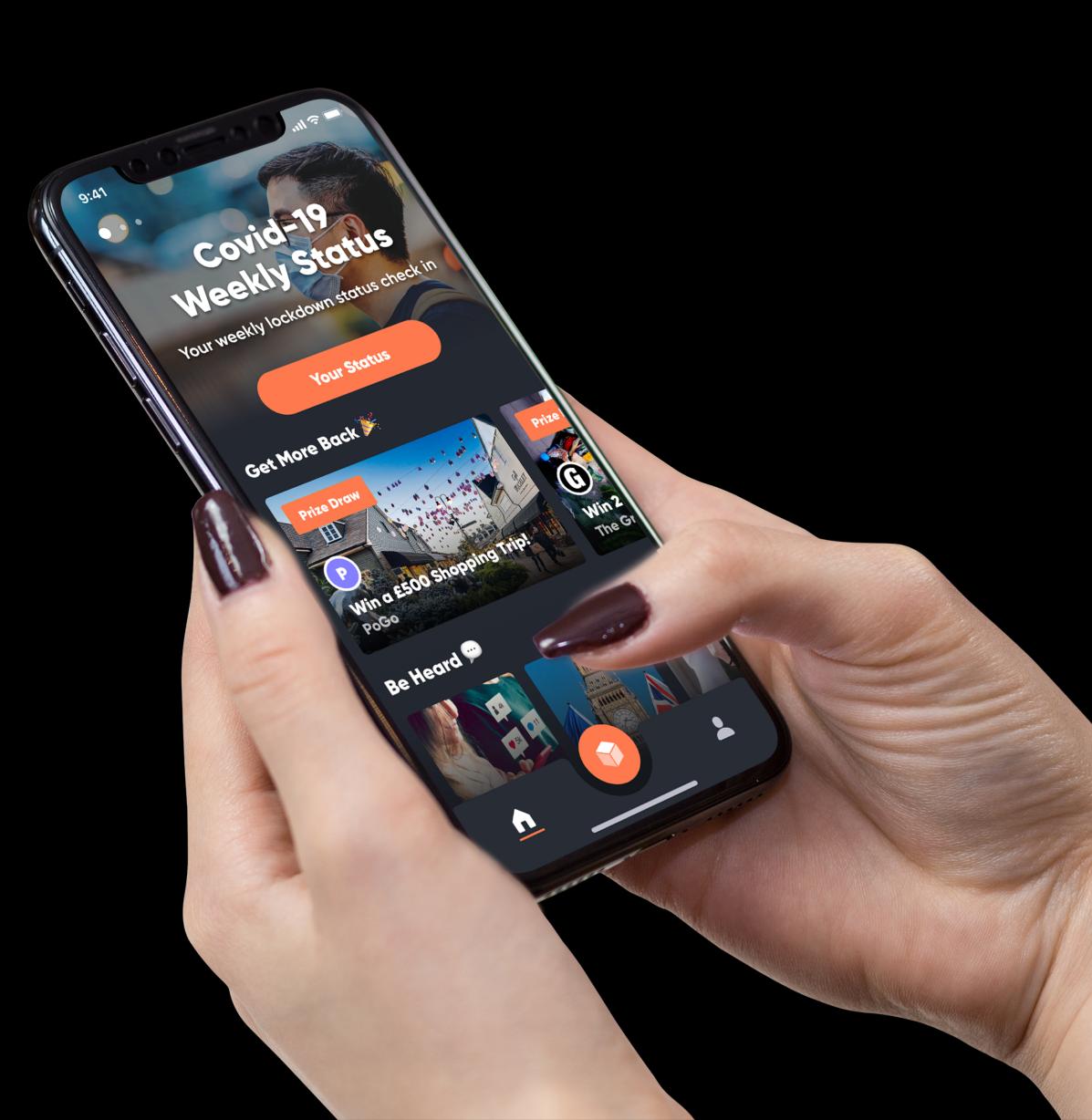
81% SAID NO

"... how do you think the UK's response to the crisis compares to other countries?"

75% SAID WORSE

"... do you think you've had Coronavirus?"

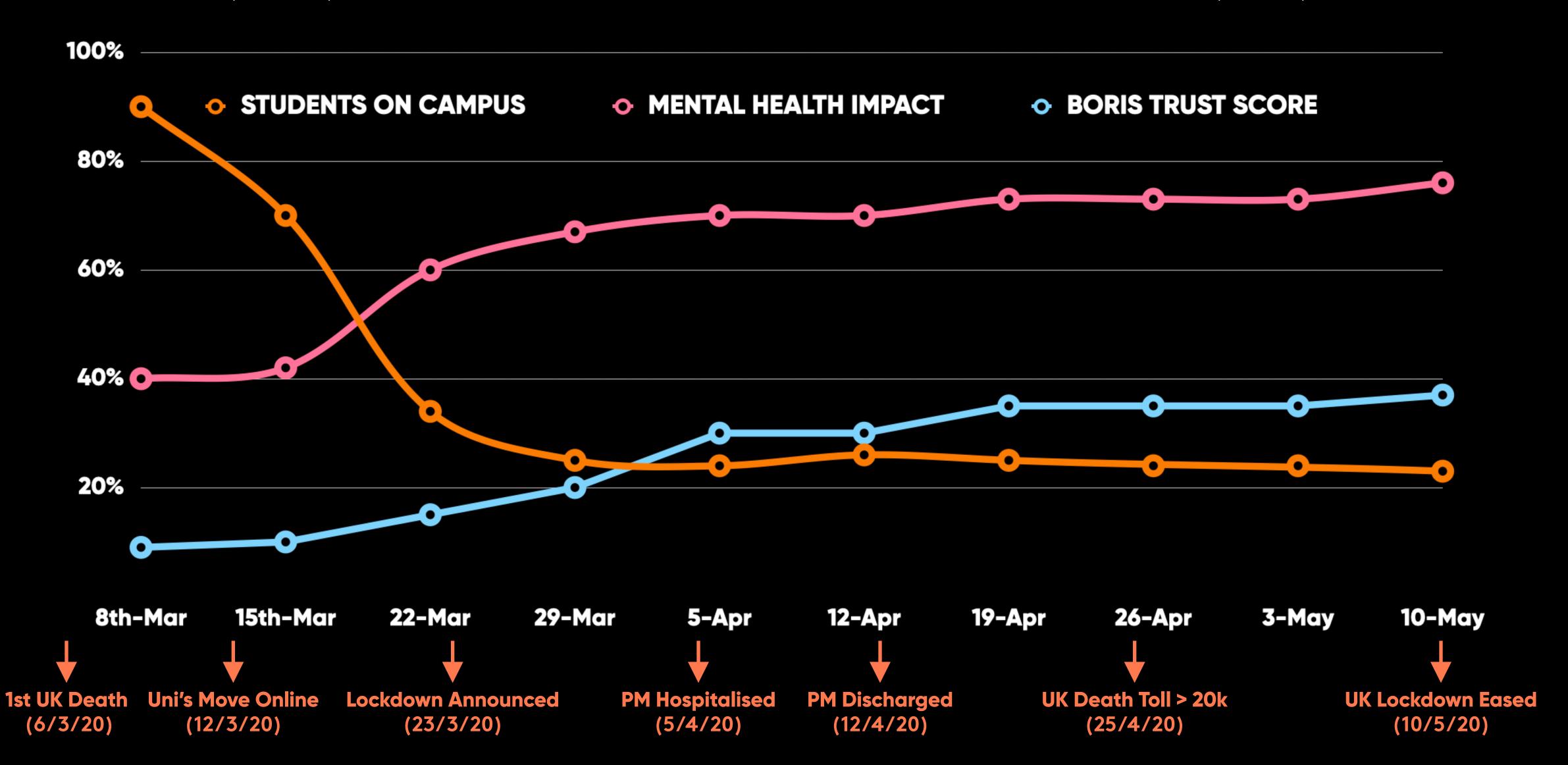
16% SAID YES



64% think the media is over-reacting (14/3/20)

STUDENT TRACKER

75% would cut summer short for September start (2/5/20)



Dig-In provides your brand with: student sampling, digital marketing, market research and co-registrations



97%

Gave their Dig-In box a positive rating

97%

Dig-In improved their welcome experience

98%

Want to recieve more free samples

96%

A good sample will lead to them buying it

86%

Willing to do more surveys for samples

WITH BRAND STRATEGIES HAVING TO RAPIDLY ADAPT, DO YOU REALLY WANT TO MISS OUT ON THIS?

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