

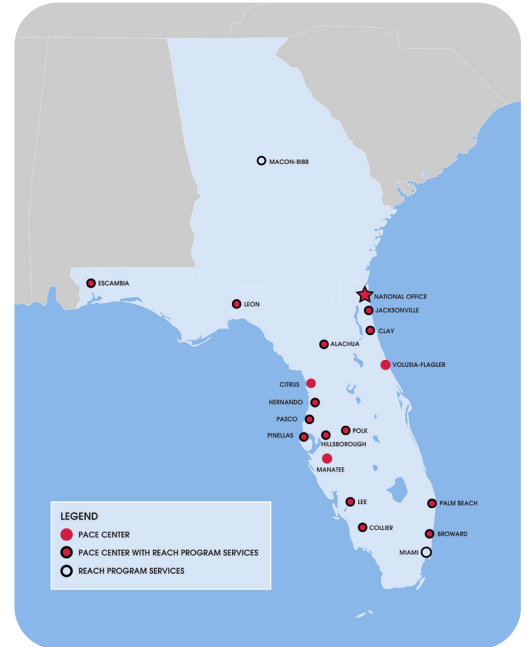
FAST FACTS 2026

Pace envisions a world where all girls and young women are safe, have economic security and an opportunity to use their voice in shaping their future.

Pace Center for Girls provides a safe and supportive environment for girls to build healthy relationships, plan for their future and overcome histories of trauma. All girls, regardless of their background, deserve an opportunity to become strong, compassionate and successful women. When properly supported, all girls have the power to achieve their vision of success, which leads to positive outcomes for themselves, their families and communities.

KEY METRICS 2025

3,049 GIRLS SERVED **14** AVERAGE AGE **41%** MIDDLE SCHOOL **59%** HIGH SCHOOL



IN HER WORDS

KILEIRA

“When I first came to Pace, I was nervous, just like at my old schools where I never felt comfortable. But Pace quickly became my second home. It opened my mind to new opportunities—like field trips and joining the Girls Leadership Council to build my leadership and public speaking skills. Pace has helped me realize I have so much life ahead of me. I dream of becoming a mental health therapist and professional dancer, and I plan to attend college in New York City to study psychology.”

Pace Center for Girls, Hillsborough

Davia Lerebours, Executive Director



Day Program

Pace's Day Program provides year-round academics, counseling, life skills, and career preparation for middle and high school girls, with individualized plans tailored to each girl's strengths, experiences, and needs.

105 Girls Served FY2025

ACADEMICS



AS A RESULT OF PACE

8 in 10 GIRLS

improved academically, measured by Florida STAR testing

Before Pace, 9 in 10 girls were failing school six months prior to attending Pace.

PERSONAL GROWTH



AS A RESULT OF PACE

8 in 10 GIRLS

strengthened or maintained high self-efficacy, the belief that you can succeed

Before Pace, 8 in 10 girls demonstrated behaviors related to juvenile delinquency.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



AS A RESULT OF PACE

9+ in 10 GIRLS

are engaged in their community, measured by an increase in healthy behaviors

Before Pace, 7 in 10 girls were disengaged in school and community life.

Reach Program

The Pace Reach Program offers social, emotional, and behavioral health support for girls ages 11-17 and their families. Reach therapists provide these therapy services at community locations, such as partnering schools, homes, and at Pace Centers.

159 Girls Served FY2025

SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS



AS A RESULT OF PACE

9 in 10 GIRLS

improved healthy social relationships with peers and family members

Before Pace, 4 in 10 girls were feeling sad or hopeless, including thoughts of self-harm.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



AS A RESULT OF PACE

9+ in 10 GIRLS

are engaged in their community, measured by an increase in healthy behaviors

Before Pace, 5 in 10 girls were disengaged in school and community life.

FROM OUR COMMUNITY

"What stands out most to me is the remarkable growth and character of Pace girls as they transition from the center. Many of these young women face significant challenges each day, yet Pace provides the consistent support and guidance they need to thrive. The organization instills values of community, accountability, reliability, and empathy—principles that deeply resonate with my own. I believe we are here to help one another, and Pace Center for Girls is truly a shining light in what can sometimes feel like a dark world."

- Andrew Gordon, Board Member



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