

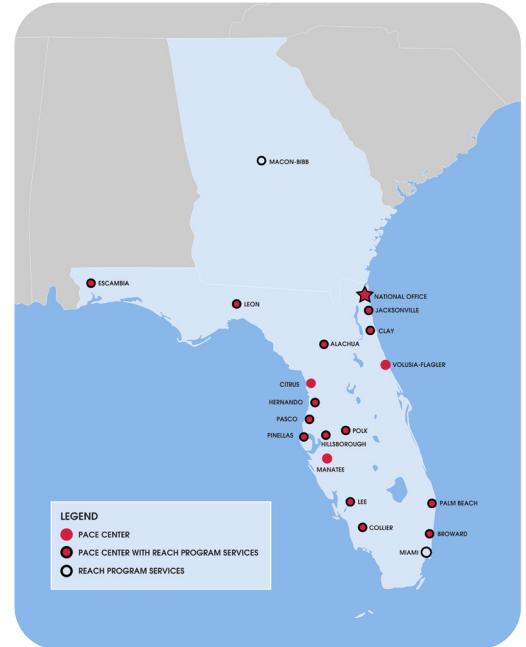
# FAST FACTS 2026

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



### MINNIE

“ My time at Pace has truly changed my life. The staff and counselors gave me guidance, encouragement, and the support I needed when I felt like giving up. They motivated me to stay focused on my goals and reminded me of my potential every step of the way. At Pace, I learned not only academics but also self-confidence and resilience. I am proud that their impact helped me graduate and believe in myself more than ever before.”

# Pace Center for Girls, Escambia-Santa Rosa

Laurie Rodgers, 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.

**104 Girls Served FY2025**

### ACADEMICS



**AS A RESULT OF PACE**  
**80% of GIRLS**  
improved academically

*Before Pace, 61% of girls were failing school six months prior to attending Pace.*

### PERSONAL GROWTH



**AS A RESULT OF PACE**  
**95% of GIRLS**  
no involvement in Juvenile Justice 12 months after program

*Before Pace, 79% of girls demonstrated behaviors related to juvenile delinquency.*

### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



**AS A RESULT OF PACE**  
**90% of GIRLS**  
are engaged in their community, measured by an increase in healthy behaviors

*Before Pace, 51% of 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.

**116 Girls Served FY2025**

### SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS



**AS A RESULT OF PACE**  
**82% of GIRLS**  
improved healthy social relationships with peers and family members

*Before Pace, 60% of girls were feeling sad or hopeless, including thoughts of self-harm.*

### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



**AS A RESULT OF PACE**  
**92% of GIRLS**  
are engaged in their community, measured by an increase in healthy behaviors

*Before Pace, 35% of girls were disengaged in school and community life.*

## FROM OUR COMMUNITY

"Pace helps girls recognize and embrace their own uniqueness while encouraging them to build on their strengths. I deeply admire how the staff consistently look for innovative ways to enhance services for girls and their families. That creativity, paired with the focus on encouragement and affirmation, is what makes Pace such a special place—and why I am honored to be part of its mission."

- Pat Franklin, Board Chair 2025