


# FAST FACTS 2024

Pace envisions a world where all girls have POWER, in a JUST and EQUITABLE society.

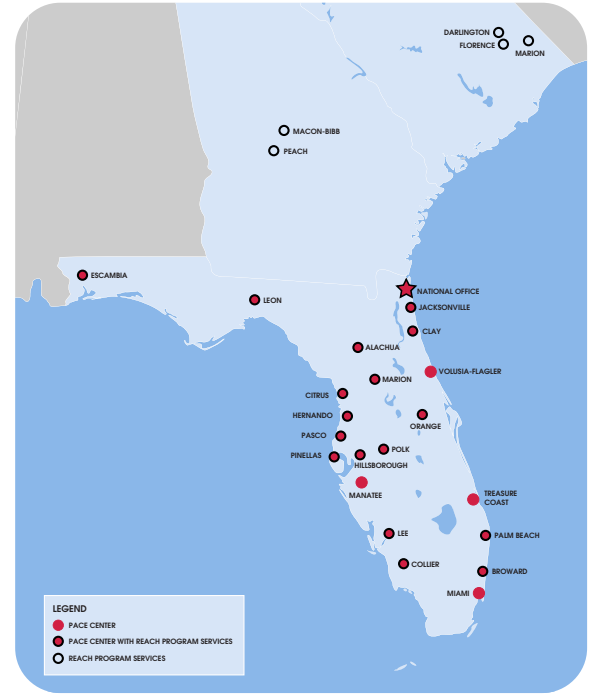
Pace Center for Girls provides a safe and supportive environment for girls to build healthy relationships, plan for their future and overcome histories of trauma. All girls, regardless of their background, deserve an opportunity to become strong, compassionate and successful women. When properly supported,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

 **3,000+ girls** cared for each year

 **40,000+ girls** served since 1985

 **23 Communities** across Florida, Georgia and South Carolina

 **17 Reach locations** across Florida, Georgia and South Carolina



## MELANIE

“ Before coming to Pace, I had mental health and addiction struggles. I never expected to graduate from high school. Since coming to Pace, I have learned to make friends, have more respect for myself, be open to change, and focus on what I need to do. I learned to advocate for myself and be who I really am. I have made life-long friends who have made a positive impact on my life. Now, I am on track to graduate from high school a year early! I plan to attend St. John’s River State College and enter the medical field.



## Center Day Program

Pace's center based, day program provides year-round education, counseling and life skills training for a comprehensive and individualized experience for middle and high school aged girls.

**93 Girls Served  
FY 2023**

### BEFORE PACE

8 in 10



Were failing school six months prior to attending Pace

6 in 10



Demonstrated behaviors related to juvenile delinquency

10 in 10



Were disengaged in school and community life

### AS A RESULT OF PACE

8 in 10



Improved academically  
\*Measured by Florida STAR testing

8 in 10



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

9 in 10



Are engaged in their community, measured by being enrolled in school, higher education, or employment

## Reach Program Services

Pace Reach is a therapeutic and counseling program offering social, emotional, and behavioral health and support services for girls ages 11-17 and their families. Reach therapists provide services in partnering schools, homes and other community locations.

**49 Girls Served  
FY 2023**

### BEFORE PACE

6 in 10



Were feeling sad or hopeless, including thoughts of self-harm

7 in 10



Were disengaged in school and community life

### AS A RESULT OF PACE

8 in 10



Improved healthy social relationships with peers and family members

10 in 10



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

“ As staff, we do impact the girls, but the girls impact our lives as well. We witness the girls embracing growth and change as they prepare for their futures. The best part is when our alumni visit us to share their successes resulting from their hard work.

- Belinda, Pace Clay Counselor