# FAST FACTS 2025

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 2024**

3,048 14 44% 56%

GIRLS SERVED AVERAGE AGE MIDDLE SCHOOL HIGH SCHOOL





## IN HER WORDS

#### **MIYESHA**

In my time at Pace, I was offered many opportunities including being on Girl's Leadership Council, it was there that I learned to advocate for myself and for my fellow Pace sisters and showed me my future career path of entrepreneurship. Now that I have graduated from Pace, I have enrolled at Pensacola State College, and I am working towards my associate's degree in business entrepreneurship with the hopes of running my own business! I could not have realized my own potential and self-worth if it wasn't for the genuine love, care, and support of the staff at Pace."





### 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.

111 Girls Served FY2024

#### **ACADEMICS**



Before Pace, 8 in 10 girls were failing school six months prior to attending Pace.

#### PERSONAL GROWTH



Before Pace, 7 in 10 girls demonstrated behaviors related to juvenile delinquency.

#### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



Before Pace, 6 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.

88 Girls Served FY2024

#### **SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS**



Before Pace, 5 in 10 girls were feeling sad or hopeless, including thoughts of self-harm.

#### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



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## FROM OUR COMMUNITY

"I am so excited to be a new member on the Pace Center for Girls, Escambia-Santa Rosa board! A little over a year ago, I was invited to tour the Pace center by a friend who is on the board. I knew within 10 minutes of my visit that I needed to be involved with this amazing organization. I have a strong passion to inspire and support the young women in our community and believe Pace is the best place to do so!"

- Rianna Jorgenson, Board Member



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