

**Stop by for a tour and to meet our staff. Choose from a variety of locations.**

**YMCA Main Site** ★4

339 North Washington Street, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 287 0045 [rhinch@bcfymca.org](mailto:rhinch@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am to 5:30 pm

**YMCA Infant Center** ★3

117 West Penn Street, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 287 0045 [rhinch@bcfymca.org](mailto:rhinch@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am to 5:30 pm

**Emily Brittain Elementary at the Butler YMCA** ★4

339 North Washington Street, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 287 0045 [sdanik@bcfymca.org](mailto:sdanik@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am until school begins and dismissal until 5:30 pm

**Center Township Elementary** ★4

950 Mercer Road, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 406 2214 [sdanik@bcfymca.org](mailto:sdanik@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 7:00 am until school begins and dismissal until 5:30 pm

**McQuiston Elementary** ★2

210 Mechling Road, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 290 1340 [sdanik@bcfymca.org](mailto:sdanik@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 7:00 am until school begins and dismissal until 5:30 pm

**Butler Middle School at the Butler YMCA** ★4

339 North Washington Street, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 287 0045 [sdanik@bcfymca.org](mailto:sdanik@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am until school begins and dismissal until 5:30 pm

**Penn Christian Academy at the Butler YMCA** ★4

339 North Washington Street, Butler, PA 16001  
P 724 287 0045 [sdanik@bcfymca.org](mailto:sdanik@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am until school begins and dismissal until 5:30 pm

**Early Care and School Age Center** ★3  
**@ HIS Kids School**

650 Saxonburg Road, Butler, PA 16002  
P 724 352 8810 [ahleist@bcfymca.org](mailto:ahleist@bcfymca.org)  
M-F / 6:30 am to 5:30 pm

**St. Luke's Lutheran School** ★3

330 Hannahstown Road, Cabot, PA 16023  
P 724 352 1710 [ymcachildcare@southbutler.net](mailto:ymcachildcare@southbutler.net)  
M-F / 7:00 am-9:00 am and 3:00 pm-6:00 pm

**South Butler Primary Intermediate and Middle Schools** ★4

328 Knoch School Road, Saxonburg, PA 16056  
P 724 352 4541 [ymcachildcare@southbutler.net](mailto:ymcachildcare@southbutler.net)  
M-F / 7:00 am to 6:00 pm

**5 top reasons why you and your child will love the YMCA Early Learning Center...**

- **A Healthy Mind.**  
Your child will enjoy a wide variety of mind enriching activities that encourage creativity and individuality.
- **A Strong Body.**  
Your child will be involved in playful activities that develop motor skills and increase your child's physical confidence.
- **A Happy Spirit.**  
Your child will be in a warm and supportive environment which fosters the development of a healthy self-esteem and encourages personal growth.
- **A Safe and Secure Environment.**  
Your child will be guided and cared for by teachers selected because of their training, certification and remarkable sensitivity to the needs of your child.
- **Peace of Mind.**  
Next to your love and care, enrolling your child at our Early Learning Center is the best thing you can do for your child this year.

**YMCA MISSION STATEMENT:** To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all.



# CARING FOR YOUR CHILDREN



## BUTLER YMCA EARLY LEARNING CENTER

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[www.bcfymca.org](http://www.bcfymca.org)  
**Caring for children since 1985**

## WELCOME to the Butler YMCA Early Learning Center!

Congratulations on choosing a program that is licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services and a Keystone STAR 4 Center!

Keystone STARS is a voluntary quality initiative program in Pennsylvania. Learn more at:

[www.pakeys.org/stars](http://www.pakeys.org/stars)

We follow the "Creative Curriculum". Learn more at:

[www.teachingstrategies.com/curriculum](http://www.teachingstrategies.com/curriculum)

Keystone STARS requires child assessments three times per year. The assessment tool we use for all ages is Teaching Strategies, GOLD. Learn more at:

[www.teachingstrategies.com/assessment](http://www.teachingstrategies.com/assessment)

For PA's Early Learning Standards, learn more at:

[www.pde.state.pa.us/early\\_childhood/cwp/view.asp?101706&A=179](http://www.pde.state.pa.us/early_childhood/cwp/view.asp?101706&A=179)



## Program Goals:

To instill the core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility through Character Development.

Grow in recognizing and solving problems through observation, active exploration, trial and error, and interactions and discussions with peers and adults.

Listen responsively to directions, stories, and conversations.

Develop increased ability to make independent choices.

Demonstrate increasing ability to differentiate between appropriate and inappropriate (or dangerous) risk-taking.

Develop increasing ability to find more than one solution to a question, task or problem.

### Your child will enjoy these teacher-guided activities:

- Arts & Crafts
- Dramatic Play
- Environmental Education
- Games
- Gym Time
- Music
- Breakfast, Lunch and Snack provided
- Swimming Lessons
- Outdoor Play
- Physical Fitness
- Science
- Songs & Poems
- Storytime
- Special Family Events

...and much more!



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

## Enroll your child today!

We welcome:

**Infants** 6 weeks to 12 months

**Toddlers** 12 months to 36 months

**Preschoolers** 3 to 5 years old

**Before / After School age** K-6th grade

**Discover all the wonderful features you and your child will love about the YMCA Early Learning Center programs:**

**Quality.** All YMCA Early Learning Center Care Programs incorporate PA Early Learning Standards.

**Convenience.** Our YMCA Early Learning Centers are open weekdays — see site specific times.

**Affordability.** We feel every child deserves quality child care. We accept CCIS.

**Character Development.** All YMCA programs incorporate the core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility.