

Butler County Community College (BC3)

Regional Community College in Northwest PA

Location(s): BC3 Main Campus - Butler; BC3 Cranberry - Cranberry Township; BC3 Lawrence Crossing - New Castle; BC3 LindenPointe - Hermitage; BC3 Brockway - Brockway; BC3 Armstrong - Ford City

Degrees: Certificate, Associate

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Hospitality Management - Meeting and Event Planning, Certificate

Location(s): Main Campus

This certificate program prepares students for an exciting career in meeting and event planning. Students gain a solid understanding of the details and logistics needed to plan a successful meeting, convention, or special event. A graduate of this program seeks employment as an event planner, wedding planner, or assistant catering manager.

Hospitality Management, AAS

Location(s): Main Campus

Blend theory and application as you work in a kitchen, and develop skills in customer service, food and beverage purchasing and cost control analysis. This program provides students with the knowledge and skills necessary for entry-level positions in the restaurant and food service industry. The curriculum focuses on hospitality management, customer service, food and beverage purchasing, cost control analysis, and hands-on food preparation. Graduates of this program may seek employment as a Food Service Manager, Catering Manager, Restaurant Assistant Manager, Dining Room Supervisor, Event Planner, or Food and Beverage Sales Manager.

Park and Recreation Management - General Option, AAS

Location(s): Main Campus

This program prepares students to be multi-skilled park and recreation professionals. Skills acquired include: adventure education, recreation leadership, EMS, search and rescue, environmental interpretation, first aid, park visitor services, forest and wildlife management. (cont'd on next page)

Park and Recreation Management - General Option, AAS

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Professional certifications obtained upon successful completion of minimum competency standards in specific courses include: First Responder, CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer, Water Rescue and Emergency Response, Ice Rescue and Emergency Response, Advanced Line Systems Rescue, Firefighter Training (S-130), Project Wild, and Project Learning Tree.

Graduates are employed at national and state parks, camps, municipal recreation facilities, and other recreation and resource management areas. Employment opportunities include park managers, rangers, naturalists, guides, camp directors, as well as many other positions. Get hands on outdoor training and earn certifications that qualify you to work after you graduate or transfer to a four-year institution.

Park and Recreation Management - Park Law Enforcement Option, AAS

Location(s): Main Campus

This program prepares students to be multi-skilled park and recreation professional with major course emphasis in law enforcement. Students will take ACT 120 course off site.

Skills acquired include: adventure education, recreation leadership, EMS, search and rescue, environmental interpretation, first aid, law enforcement, forest and wildlife management.

Professional certifications obtained upon successful completion of minimum competency standards in specific courses include: ACT 120, First Responder, CPR for the Professional Rescuer, Water Rescue and Emergency Response, Ice Rescue and Emergency Response, Advanced Line Systems Rescue, Firefighter Training (S-130), Project Wild and Project Learning Tree.

Graduates are employed by federal, state, and local government agencies. Employment opportunities include entry-level positions in law enforcement agencies, park rangers, private security firms, naturalists, guides, camp directors, as well as many other positions. Get hands on outdoor training and earn certifications, including Act 120*, that qualify you to work after you graduate or transfer to a four-year institution.

Physical Education - Physical Activity and Fitness Management, AS

Location: Main Campus

Get the fitness, exercise and wellness background you need to transfer to a four-year institution that will prepare you to work with athletic training and health clubs. The Associate in Science Degree in Physical Education is designed to provide the first two years of a four-year baccalaureate degree. There are four areas of specialization which the student may select, Exercise Science, Sport Management, Teacher Preparation as well as Physical Activity and Fitness Management in Physical Education. Physical Activity and Fitness Management is designed to prepare students to lead, teach and/or manage physical activities. Employment opportunities are available in commercial or community settings, schools as well as possible individual entrepreneurships. Each four-year college or university determines which BC3 courses are acceptable in transfer. Students should contact the institution for assurance prior to registering for the course at BC3.

Physical Education - Sport Management Option, AS

Location: Main Campus, Lawrence Crossing, LindenPointe

Learn skills in sports, fitness, management, marketing and public relations to prepare for transfer to a four-year institution. Physical Education-Sport Management is designed to prepare students with the sport skills, fitness concepts, management, marketing, and public relations skills to become managers in sport related agencies. Employment opportunities may include professional sports, health and racquet clubs, community recreation centers, and sports arenas. Each four-year college or university determines which BC3 courses are acceptable in transfer. Students should contact the institution for assurance prior to registering for the course at BC3.

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