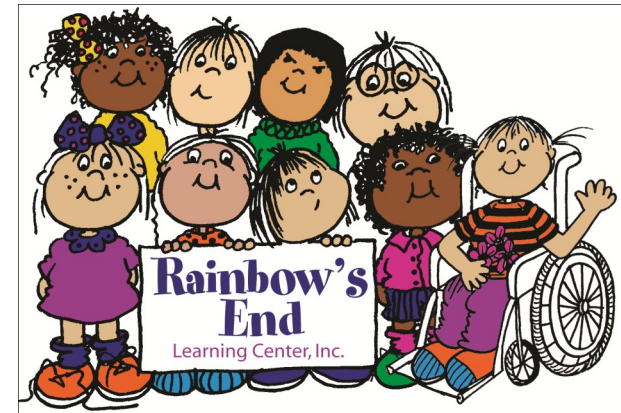




Rainbow's End Learning Center is conveniently located at 300 North Avenue in Waynesburg, PA. Our hours of operation are 6:30AM -6PM, Monday through Friday.



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The first 5 years of a child's life are very important at setting the stage for success in school and later life. During infancy and early childhood, many experiences should be gained and a variety of skills learned.

Rainbow's End offers affordable, quality childcare that includes:

- Developmentally Appropriate use of the **Creative Curriculum**
- Keystone Stars Participant, **Star Level 1**
- Qualified & Experienced Staff
- Inclusive Classrooms
- Infant Program, **Space is Limited!**
- Computer Assisted Learning
- Meals and Infant Formula **Provided**
- Safe & Secure Facility
- CCIS Subsidy is Accepted
- American Sign Language used in all classrooms, **Infancy — School Age**



"Being a first time mom, the thought of coming back to work and leaving my daughter Avery was heartbreaking. Knowing she was going to be at Rainbow's End with the caring staff made the transition a little easier. They work with Avery to reach her developmental milestones and Avery gets socialization experiences while playing with the other children. My husband and I couldn't be happier with the care Avery receives each and every day."

- Amy Matteson, Parent



...Where Children of All Abilities Learn & Play Together!

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Dear Parent or Caregiver,

At Rainbow's End Learning Center, our goal is to provide a safe, well-supervised learning environment for your child. It is our mission to provide an atmosphere that encourages intellectual, emotional, physical, and social growth and development. Our role as educators is to facilitate quality play through creative arrangement of the classroom environment and implementation of age appropriate curriculum. A unique feature of Rainbow's End Learning Center is that we also provide specialized care for children with special needs. The mission of Rainbow's End Learning Center is an educationally based, hands-on approach to teaching. This mission is adapted to meet the individual needs of the children in each of our classroom environments, infancy through school-age.

We believe each child is unique and learns at his or her own pace and in their own special way. The use of the Creative Curriculum allows children to experience all levels of play that are essential to learning including gross motor skills, fine motor skills, self-help skills, and social, emotional and cognitive play. The Creative Curriculum is a research based curriculum that has clearly defined learning objectives for children from infant to preschool age and is cross-walked with the Pennsylvania Early Learning Standards



to ensure that each child is reaching their maximum learning potential. Teachers will also use informal and formal observations to help guide theme and activity planning, as well as incorporate individual goals based upon our curriculum's objectives and the Early Learning Standards. Rainbow's End Learning Center knows children thrive in an environment in which they feel safe. Children are given the opportunity and encouraged to make choices and problem solve.

We would like to extend an invitation for you to schedule a tour at our Greene County location by contacting Daralyn Jurkovich at (724) 627-5421.

We look forward to meeting with you.

In each of the following programs, parents are given the curriculum for their child and are updated on his/her development on a regular basis. Parents are also strongly encouraged to participate in their child's classroom experiences.

Infant Program

Children age 6 weeks through 12 months receive quality and individualized care in our infant classroom. Within the first month of enrollment, each infant is evaluated to determine their individual level of development. This evaluation is then utilized daily when interacting with the infant to aid in the progression of his/her individual developmental needs. Each infant is assigned a primary care giver to foster attachment to significant adults in the childcare setting.



Toddler Classes

Children 12 to 36 months old receive quality care and developmentally based group programming within our toddler classroom. These children are provided an array of hands-on activities to explore daily. The activities are based upon the developmental needs of the children. A primary caregiver will be assigned to each child to ease transition, facilitate learning, and provide individualized care as needed. This class will provide activities to support the children's emerging language as well as ample opportunity for active play to improve coordination skills and movement.



Preschool — 3's & 4's

The children 3 to 4 years of age by September 1st will be in the Preschool Program at Rainbow's End. This program is educationally based and provides exciting activities to further learning. The children are taught through the utilization of a play-based approach to learning. The children are also taught school readiness skills enabling them to adjust comfortably to school routines and procedures.

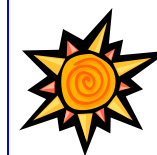


Before & After School Program

This program is available for children age 5 years through 12 years attending local area schools. Children attending Central Greene Elementary School may choose to have Rainbow's End Learning Center designated as their bus-stop.



The program is designed to promote creativity, independence, and develop confidence in making choices for themselves. All children attending program are offered tutoring and homework help, as well as an After-School snack.



Summer Program

This recreational program operates June through August for children age 7 years through 12 years, providing quality care and enriching experiences for the children. Experiences include local walking trips, crafts, sports, the SPARKS program, and special visitors.

Mixed Age Groups

It is sometimes necessary for children of different age groups to interact. This occurs most often during special activities, early morning, late afternoons and on days of low enrollment. When children are in a mixed group the child/staff ratio is based on the youngest child in the group. During this time activities will be provided to meet the needs of all children.

