

for all the children. Other community facilities offered were those of the Buffalo Police Department, the Buffalo and Erie County Public Library, and numerous local service clubs.

Early Push was operated on a budget of five hundred thousand dollars and served fifteen hundred pre-kindergarten children, three to five years of age. The city's Public and Diocesan

schools cooperated to make classroom space available for the children who were scheduled for half-day sessions.

The Buffalo Public School System, through the Early Push Program, has attempted to provide emotional, cultural and remedial experiences specifically designed to facilitate successful learning for the pre-school child.

