



Teacher of the Month
January 2004

Stacey Willis – Draper Elementary School

The selection committee respectfully requests that Mrs. Stacey Willis, a fifth grade teacher at Draper Elementary School, be named as Teacher of the Month for January 2004. Mrs. Willis is a graduate of Radford University with a degree in Elementary Education and has taught in Pulaski County for six (6) years.

Mrs. Willis served as chairperson of the SACS committee for Draper Elementary and demonstrated exceptional organizational and leadership skills. She was also instrumental in the development of teaching strategies that helped boost SOL scores in all of the core academic areas. Draper Elementary School has been fully accredited by the State Department of Education for the last two years.

Stacey is described as a teacher that is caring and nurturing and one that is a positive role model for her students. Each child is encouraged to develop a "CAN DO" attitude and is treated as an individual of worth.

Mrs. Willis is highly respected by her colleagues and it has been reported that she even shares her chocolate.

Mrs. Willis' contributions to Draper Elementary School's students and staff reflect great credit on her and the Pulaski County Public Schools.