Samantha Vaca is the perfect mix of positive attributes that makes her successful. She demonstrates enthusiasm, curiosity, friendliness, kindness, responsibility, and respectfulness each day. Samantha is independent and influential.

Samantha is a sixth grade member of our Student Council. She is a role model to her friends. Her attitude is upbeat and positive. She strives to make others happy. Just being around Sammy makes you smile. Sammy is a good friend to all students and always makes sure everyone is included and having fun.

Samantha is very self-motivated, and she loves school. She is focused on learning and is always asking questions going above and beyond what is required. She facilitates great classroom discussions. In the classroom, her excitement and desire to learn is contagious. Beginning in kindergarten, Sammy has always done her homework without her mother's asking. Her assignments are always complete and turned in on time. She continually concerned about doing her personal best.

Samantha's mother reports she is the fourth of four sisters. She loves being with her family and her two Boston Terriers. Because she has so many positive attributes, she reminds her friends and family to always be kind, include others, and to not gossip. Sammy is concerned with the environment. She loves sports, dancing, singing, travel, and fashion.

Sammy's mother and her teachers report she is a joy to be around. One teacher said, "If the world was full of Sammy Vaca's it would be a better place because I know my classroom was a better place because of her."