

Employee of the Month March 2012

The employee of the month for March, 2012, is Cathleen Dumais. Cathleen is the secretary for the student assessment and instructional technology department. She has worked for CHISD for seven years. She has held her current position for the last six years. Prior to joining the Curriculum and Instruction team, Cathleen was the Campus Secretary and Office Manager for Permenter Middle School.

Cathleen says that the favorite part of her job is helping to make sure that the student assessment and instructional technology departments run smoothly. She enjoys the challenges and diversity of her job. "I love people, and it gives me great satisfaction to assist the teachers, staff, and parents," says Cathleen. She adds, "It is a pleasure working for Ronald Moss, Ed Ohan, Tracey Willyard and Sabreana Smith."

Cathleen is currently a student at Texas A&M Commerce, and will graduate this spring with a degree in Early Childhood Education (K-6).

In her spare time, she enjoys family, traveling, and gardening. She has been married for twenty-nine years to her wonderful husband Larry. They both are high school Youth Ministers for their church. They enjoy the teaching, youth trips, and various activities that are associated with the youth program.

Cathleen has one daughter, Jacklyn, who is a graduate of Texas A&M and currently works as a Philanthropist for the Scotts Foundation. Jacklyn is married to Matthew, who is an engineer. They live in Sheridan, Wyoming. Cathleen and her husband enjoy travelling to beautiful state of Wyoming to visit their daughter and son-in-law.

Cathleen's friendly, patient demeanor and fierce dedication to detail and follow-through is a constant reminder that positive attitude and hard work are necessary to our maximize potential.