



Pam Powers  
Interview by Zack Nix  
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Zack: Did you go to school at Ambler?

Pam: Yes.

Zack: For how long?

Pam: For six years, the first grade through the sixth grade.

Zack: Who was your principal?

Pam: My principal was Mr. Hamilton.

Zack: What do you remember most about going to school at Ambler?

Pam: I remember playing softball with my P.E. teacher, Mr. Hamilton. He was also my principal. When my Mom was late picking me up, he would tease me and say I was going to have to go live with him at his house.

Zack: Now you work at Ambler. Do you enjoy your job at the school?

Pam: Yes, I enjoy my job very much because I really love children and enjoy working with them.

Zack: In what ways do you work with the children and what part do you enjoy the most?

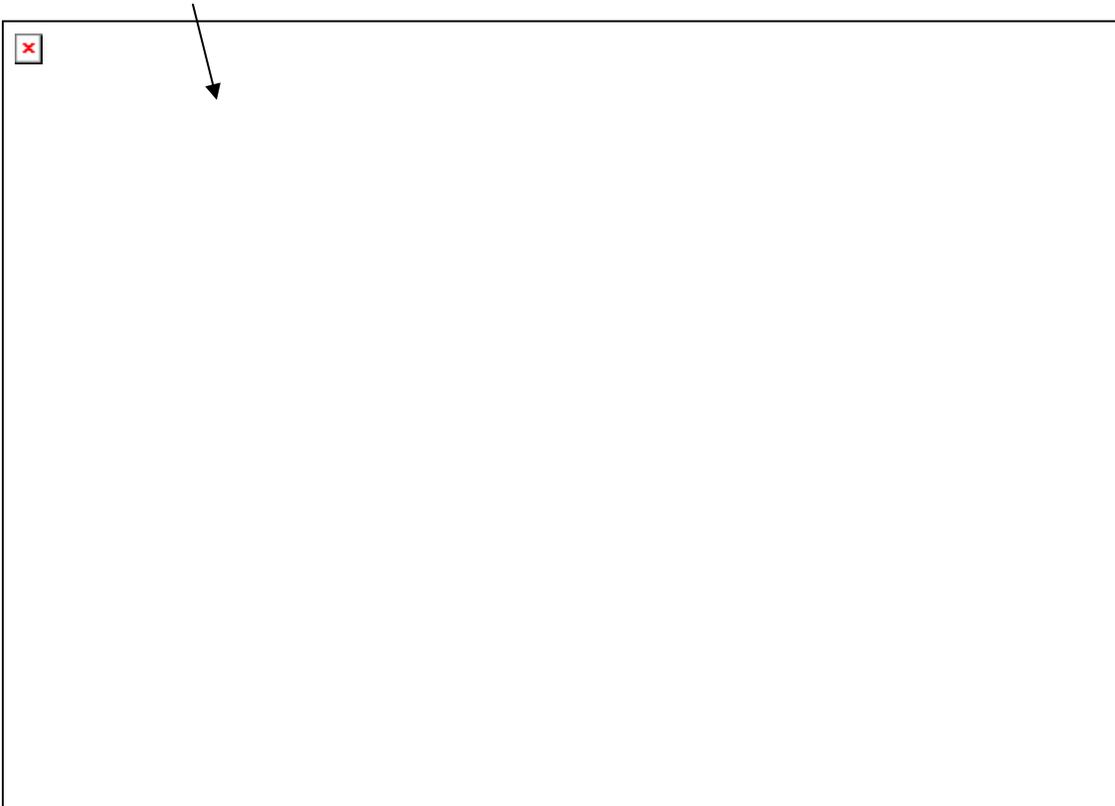
Pam: I help them contact their parents if they are sick or forget to bring their homework or many other reasons that come up. Sometimes they just need someone to talk to about something important to them. What I enjoy the most is the hugs and smiles I get from the kids.

Zack: How long have you worked at Ambler?

Pam: When my daughter started to attend Ambler, I began doing voluntary work at the school practically every day. After a couple of years of doing this I decided I might as well work here. I have been working at Ambler for nine years.

Zack: Have you always been the secretary?

Pam: No. I began my career at Ambler as the Director of the After School Program and as a substitute teacher. I worked from 2:00 pm until 6:00 pm in the After School Program. On the days I was a substitute teacher I would come in at 8:00 am and leave at 6:00 pm. My second year at Ambler, I was hired to teach Enrichment classes. Next, I became the Data Entry Clerk and continued as the After School Care Director. Finally, three and a half years ago, I took my present job as the school secretary.



Pam with her first grade class