Candice Goldstein Golden Apple Award Recipient April 5, 2004

Candy Goldstein joined the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District educational team in 1981; she has been an extraordinary staff member and a valuable resource at Redoubt Elementary School for 24 years.

During her tenure with the District, Candy has taught special education resource and primary students. It has been said that in Mrs. Goldstein's 24 years of teaching she has helped over 500 children learn how to read, make applesauce from apples, turn cream into butter, blow bubbles using dish soap, find Antarctica on a map, go to the moon, roam the earth with dinosaurs, make paper snowflakes, take walks to visit community hot spots and model the golden rule daily.

Candy is the epitome of a teacher who shows excellence in job performance. Year after year, children have come to her classroom eager to be filled with knowledge. Every year, in May, those children leave Mrs. Goldstein's classroom with a wealth of knowledge in every area of curriculum. Her students leave as well prepared, confident, and capable learners.

Candy models leadership by being available to both parents and teachers. Many times she simply listens to them or helps by sharing her vast knowledge of children. Mrs. Goldstein can find the positive side of every situation and her professionalism never waivers.

We, the Board of Education, recognize Candice Goldstein as a "master teacher" and invite you to join us in honoring her for her outstanding service to the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District.