



Mrs. Beth Chastain

1st Grade

Beth Chastain is in her fifth year as a first grade teacher at Marvell Academy. Beth has a total of 9 years in education. Four of those years were spent at Whitten Elementary in Marianna, AR as a Kindergarten teacher and after school program director.

Beth graduated from Barton High School in 2002, and attended PCCCUA for two years before earning her Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education from the University of Arkansas at Monticello. She later earned a Master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Arkansas State University.

Beth is married to Brian Chastain, a 2002 graduate of Marvell Academy. They have been married for 16 years and have three children that attend Marvell Academy. Addison is a seventh grader, Kareline is a fifth grader, and Brooks is in first grade. Beth's children are what brought her to Marvell Academy. She took a break from teaching to be a stay-at-home mom when Addison and Kareline were small. When Kareline was entering first grade, Beth returned to be her teacher and hasn't left!

In her spare time, Beth enjoys spending time with her family and relaxing at the lake. She and her family are members of Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Ragtown, where she helps to coordinate monthly youth meetings.