## Jennifer O'Dowd Description

## **Designation:**

Master Teacher

## How long have you been in education?

13 years

# What is your current teaching position?

8th Grade U.S. History at Ingram Middle School

# Why are you an Educator?

I teach to spread my love of history. History is an often underappreciated world, labeled as boring or unnecessary. I hope to erase this mindset; so that my students will both learn, understand, and enjoy history.

#### Why is Ingram ISD a great place to work?

Ingram ISD is a great place to work because the kids get more one-on-one attention in the small school setting and teachers are given the chance to excel in what they do best.

## Quote

Mrs. O'Dowd possesses all the traits of a natural leader in the classroom. She not only inspires and guides students in the learning process, but she creates an environment where students thrive academically and personally.