## **Bobby Leshikar Description**

**Exemplary Teacher** 

How long have you been in education?

"17 years"

What is your current teaching position?

"ITM Dual Credit English, UIL Academic Coordinator"

## Why are you an Educator?

"I was fortunate to have incredible teachers throughout my life. From Kindergarten to my senior year of high school, I had teachers who saw the best version of me, even when I didn't. I want to pass that forward and be the person who believes in my students and helps them get to wherever they want to be in life."

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

"Every day I get to work with teachers, administrators, and staff who love and support students. I also get to teach amazing students with diverse talents and big dreams."

## A Quote About her:

"Dr. Leshikar's ability to inspire and empower students in both English instruction and UIL academics is truly commendable. His commitment to fostering a love for literature and cultivating critical thinking skills has left an indelible mark on our school community. We are privileged to have him as a valued member of our faculty." Brandie Guzman, ITM Assistant Principal