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**What led you to be a Spanish Instructor?**

I have wanted to be a teacher since I was young. It wasn't until High School I realized that teaching Spanish was my calling. It all started with a teacher who encouraged and believed in me and it led to me taking as many Spanish classes as possible and immersing myself in the language as much as I could. I studied Spanish in college and then did a short study abroad program in Argentina.

**What do you feel makes St. Joseph Parish School special?**

I think that St. Joseph Parish School is a very welcoming place. It has a staff that truly enjoys what they do and working together, and that was evident in the first meeting I had at school.

**Where are you originally from?**

I am originally from Kenosha, WI. I went to Holy Rosary school from K-8<sup>th</sup> grade and then local public school for 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades. I am the oldest of 2, I have a younger sister.

**What are your hobbies?**

I enjoy watching basketball, especially the Bucks, and going to games is awesome. I also love to read, and cooking is one of my favorite things to do. It helps me to relax. If I have time to watch TV, my go to shows are HGTV and Disney Plus.

**What is your favorite food and drink?**

My favorite food is Thai food, and my favorite drink is Coke Zero.