

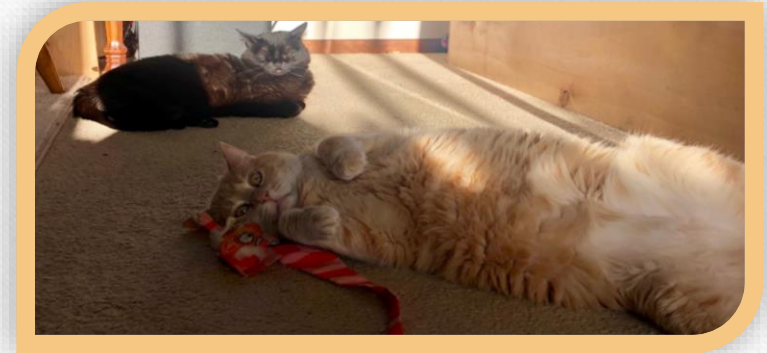
Ms. Paytas was born in California and raised in Las Vegas, Nevada. After receiving her bachelors' degree in Psychology from UNLV, she traveled to Guadalajara, Spain to be an Au-Pair. While in Guadalajara, Ms. Paytas volunteered in a local elementary school and fell in love with educating. Upon returning to the United States, Ms. Paytas moved to Oregon in 2016 to be near her grandparents. She began working in the LCSD as a substitute, then spent three years as a teaching assistant in the SLC at Newport Middle School. After finally pursuing her teaching certificate, Ms. Paytas is *VERY* excited to begin her first year of teaching at Toledo Elementary.

Ms. Paytas



~ FAVORITE ~ THINGS ~

- ❖ *Book: Harry Potter series*
- ❖ *TV Show: Doctor Who!*
- ❖ *Color: Yellow*
- ❖ *Drawing & Painting*
- ❖ *Exploring the Oregon Coast*
- ❖ *Her cats: Alice & Penny*



How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world.

—Anne Frank