



Meet Tracy Conaghan, Regional Education Network Coordinator for Lane ESD and LBL ESD.

Tracy was born and raised in Tigard, Oregon and graduated from Tigard High School. She received a bachelor's degree from the University of Oregon where she studied psychology and dance prior to attending Pacific University in Forest Grove, OR and obtaining a MAT in elementary education.

She launched her career in Beaverton, OR where she taught 2nd-5th grades at Greenway Elementary. Later on, she lived for two years in Maple Valley, WA where she taught 4th grade at Glacier Park Elementary, and dance classes at the local community center. In 2005, she and her family returned to Eugene, OR to raise their children, and she was hired by the Eugene School District 4j where she spent eight years as a Title I Reading Specialist and English Language Development specialist traveling from school to school.

Her career path shifted when she joined Pacific University's Eugene campus supporting the College of Education graduate and professional programs working with prospective educators and graduate students. Prior to her current position, she served as the District ELD Specialist TOSA for Springfield Public Schools.

Tracy is a proud mother of two young adults. Her son, Ryan, is entering his final year at the University of Oregon where he is majoring in Psychology. Whitney, is a senior at Sheldon High School, where she is enrolled in the International High School and spends her evenings and weekends at All That! Dance as member of their competitive team. When Tracy is not volunteering at the dance studio, she is enjoying spending time practicing yoga, dancing, exercising her dog, and finding quiet time to read.

Tracy is scheduled to start her new position on October 14.

Welcome to our team, Tracy!!!

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