#### **Your Background**

I come from the Northeast of England, originally living in Durham before moving further north to Newcastle and growing up in the countryside in Northumberland. I spent most of my childhood outdoors and taking part in sporting activities including wrestling for England, rugby and mountain biking.

# What brought you to Greenmount?

I came to Greenmount when I saw a teaching position was available after I had graduated from Leeds Beckett University. I really enjoyed the engagement of the children and the atmosphere of the school when I came to visit, and I knew I had to apply.

## What do you like about being a governor?

I enjoy listening to the discussions about how the school plans to make improvements following Ofsted and how we regularly updated the SIP. I have found it interesting understanding how we budget and make plans for the school to best support the children in their learning and ensuring that everyone is included.

### **Your thoughts about Greenmount**

Greenmount is a very positive and engaging environment for staff and pupils, and we strive to push everyone forward to be the best they can be. We offer some amazing experiences through school, and we try to allow children to not just develop academically but, physically, socially and emotionally as well.

#### Your hobbies or interests?

I have a range of interest that I actively take part in regularly, including; kickboxing, baking, writing, drawing and design and I enjoy doing DIY whenever I can.