



**Mark Thornley – Vice Chair of Governors**

My name is Mark Thornley and I am the Vice Chair at Peel Hall Primary School.

Peel Hall is a very special place to me; I initially started as a Teaching Assistant at Peel Hall in 2006 and then, through the graduate teacher programme, trained to be a teacher at Peel Hall. I then left the school and returned as Deputy Headteacher in 2014.

I am now the Headteacher at Heathfield Primary School in Bolton.

It is a privilege to be part of the school's continual journey of school improvement and to use my knowledge and experience of school leadership, pedagogy and curriculum design to support the strategic direction of the school.