

Mr Gillies - 5L



### How I can help you

My classroom is a safe and welcoming environment; I am always available should you need to speak to me about anything big or small. I will support you with all your learning and answer any questions that you may have. I am also here to help your parents with any concerns they may have.

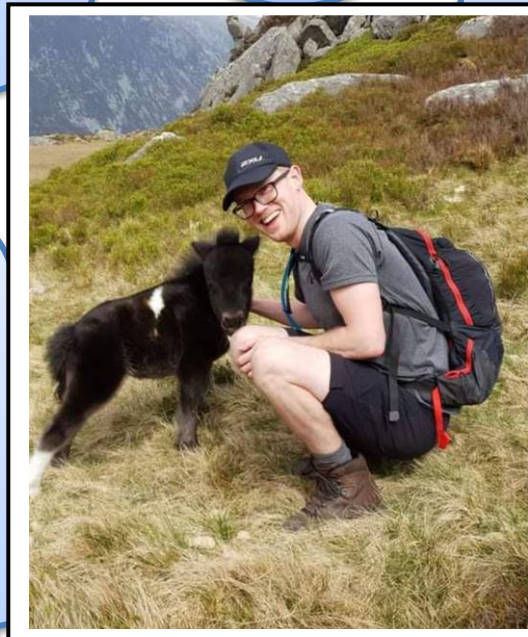
### What I do at school

My most important job here at Banks Lane Junior School is to be the 5L teacher. It is my first year teaching at this school and I am very excited to get to know everybody and support my class on their journey through year 5.

### Some of my favourites...

I love travelling to new places, although I haven't been to many different countries for a couple of years! One day I would love to visit Japan.

I love listening to music and going to gigs and festivals - I have even been fortunate enough to see Prince live!



### What I like to do at home

I like spending my time outdoors - that picture is of me and a foal that I met on a hike up Tryfan in Wales! I enjoy running and have completed several half marathons. I also love food (both cooking and eating!) so I regularly visit new restaurants.

### Other interesting things about me

Before I was a teacher, I used to design websites for different companies.

I once walked 54 miles to raise money for charity - it was very difficult!