

# Christ Church C of E Primary School

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## Edward Wilson Polar Workshop

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to book a history workshop for Year 2 pupils linked to our learning on Captain Scott's expedition to the South Pole on **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026** from **9.00-12.00**.

The focus of the session will be about Edward Wilson, from Cheltenham, who travelled on Scott's infamous expedition as a physician, artist, ornithologist and scientist. The workshop will allow pupils to see a variety of artefacts, pictures and clothing, followed by a hands-on session during which children undertake activities which include object handling, drawing and dressing-up. We are very excited about it!

We will be walking there, leaving at 9.00, and will be back for home-time. Children will wear uniform and will need their waterproof coat which should be in school each day anyway. We will be back in time for lunch as normal.

**We will need parent volunteers to accompany us so if you are able to help, please let me know.**

In order to cover the cost of the trip, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£3.50**. Your contribution is entirely voluntary and your child would not be denied a place just because you were unable to make a payment. However, we will not be able to proceed with the trip unless there are sufficient contributions for it to be financed. If you need financial support, please come and see us.

**Please make your payment and give permission on-line on the Arbor App by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026.**

Many thanks for your support,

Mrs J Proctor

Year 2 Teacher