

Christ Church C of E Primary School

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Year 2 Slimbridge School Trip

Tuesday 14th April 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 2 will be going on a school trip to **WWT Slimbridge on Thursday 21st May 2026** as part of our science learning. The children will take part in a "What lives in a pond?" session and we have self-guided activities to complete throughout the day. We will leave at 8.45am and return for 3.15pm as normal. This is a brilliant opportunity for hands-on learning at a world-famous local location. The children also know Sir Peter Scott, who created WWT Slimbridge and the WWF, was Captain Robert Falcon Scott's son.

The **cost of the trip is £16.00 per child** which covers entry for the day (memberships cannot be used) and the coach journey. I am aware this is an expensive trip so we have set up payment on Arbor now, giving you time to spread payments over 2 instalments if needed. I will send a reminder letter nearer the time. 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 voluntary contributions for it to be financed. Please make your payment and give permission on-line on the Arbor app by Thursday 21st May.

Children need to come wearing old clothes and will wear trainers. Shorts/trousers that can be rolled up for wellybootland are best as they will want to take off their socks/shoes to play in the water.

Children will need to bring:

- Rucksack
- Water bottle
- Packed lunch (from home/school depending on your decision)
- Suncream and sun hat
- Waterproof coat with a hood
- A small towel
- Dry change of clothes for after wellybootland
- Plastic bag

Many thanks,

Mrs J Proctor Year 2 Class Teacher