**SWINDON VILLAGE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

27th September 2024

Dear Parents of Year 1

We propose to take Year 1 on a trip to The Wilson in Cheltenham to look at the Edward Wilson Exhibition, looking at artefacts that explorers use in Antartica, studying and drawing Antartic animals, dressing up and trying on Antartic gear to brace the cold, and playing a journey across the ice game on Wednesday 13th November 2024.

Travelling by coach we should leave school at 9.30am and return during the afternoon.   The cost of the visit will be £7.

Payment can be made *by Wednesday 23rd October*:

- on our Online Payments Facility (if you would like to register, please contact Mrs Phelps)
- by cash or cheque payable to Swindon Village Primary School (SVPS)*.*

Please could you sign and return the permission slip below **if not paying online, otherwise there is NO need to return**.

If you would like us to order them a packed lunch, please let us know.

It would not be possible for the school to meet the costs of transport and admission without using funds required for our basic educational needs such as books and other classroom materials.   We must stress that any financial contribution would be entirely voluntary and that your child would not be denied a place on the visit just because you declined to make a voluntary payment. *However, the school will not proceed with the visit unless it is clear that there will be sufficient voluntary contributions for it to be financed.*

If you are able to help, please indicate online or on the slip below if not paying online.

Yours sincerely

**Year 1 Team**

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**The Wilson – Wednesday 13th November 2024**

I am / I am not * willing for my child: _____ Class: _____ to participate in the visit to the The Wilson on Wednesday 13th December 2024.

☐      I enclose £7
☐      I am able to help on the day
☐      Please order my child a packed lunch.  He/she would like ham/tuna/cheese* sandwiches.

Please could you sign and return the permission slip by **Wednesday 23rd October if not paying online, otherwise there is NO need to return**.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____