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Article 28: Children have a right to a primary education.

Dear Parent/Carer,

9th February 2024

We will be starting our very exciting 'Ice Trap' topic next half term and to kick start it we are going to have a survival day! On **Wednesday 21st February 2024**, the children will be taking part in a variety of outdoor activities. They will be looking at some of the skills Ernest Shackleton had to draw upon to survive his famous Trans-Antarctic Expedition of 1914.

We would appreciate it if, on this day, the children come to school in **warm** clothes **suitable for getting dirty and wet.** Please could we also ask that they also bring a change of clothes in case of wet weather.

Planned Activities

- Camp fire/Supervised fire lighting using a fire steel
- Base Building
- Obstacle Course
- Team building

Please acknowledge receipt of this letter by going onto the school gateway system online by Friday 17th February 2023 to give consent for your child to take part in the fire lighting activity.

We are really looking forward to the day and hope it is an experience the children will remember for a long time to come.

Yours faithfully,

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Mike Thompson Year 4 Leader



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