Pack Your Bags!

**Background:** What does it take to prepare for an expedition to the Antarctic Sea? Dr. Shears is the best person to ask as the Expedition Leader for the Endurance22 Expedition, which will journey into the Weddell Sea off Antarctica in February 2022 in search of Sir Ernest Shackleton's lost ice ship, Endurance. Planning an expedition of this scale requires a massive amount of planning and Dr. Shears is drawing on his years of experience to make sure all team members are prepared for a safe journey. Listen to Dr. Shears’ video call [here](#).

**Your Assignment:** Imagine you are traveling to Antarctica’s Weddell Sea as part of the Endurance22 expedition Dr. Shears spoke about during his call. How would you prepare for the expedition? What would be the biggest challenges? What are you hoping/expecting to find? What supplies would you need to pack with you for a successful trip? Your multi-paragraph response should be at least one page in length and contain some basic information about the location you are visiting, along with evidence that you have conducted research on the topic.