THE WATER SAFETY ADVENTURES OF ALBERT and EINSTEIN

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“Along the State Water Project”
Meet Albert and Einstein

DWR's water safety mascots. They're here to take you along with them on a day of sun and safe water fun along the California State Water Project's reservoirs and California Aqueduct.

Watch out for Einstein, a heron who has a lot to learn from his buddy Albert, a fish who knows his water safety tips.

Have fun as you follow their adventures but remember that Albert and Einstein want you to play safe - especially around water.

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OH BOY!
LOOK, ALBERT-
THE CALIFORNIA AQUEDUCT.
LET'S GO!

WELL, I DON'T KNOW, EINSTEIN-
"HELP EINSTEIN"
EVERY SIGN ABOVE IS HIDDEN IN THE LETTERS BELOW. CAN YOU HELP EINSTEIN FIND THEM ALL?
COME ON!
I'LL RACE YOU TO THE WATER!

WAIT!

LOOK AT ALL THESE SIGNS!
BE CAREFUL! THESE SIDES ARE SLIPPERY - LOOK OUT!

WHOOPS!

SLIP!
ALBERT- I'M JUMPING IN TO SAVE MY RUBBER FROGGY!

NO! THIS WATER IS TOO ROUGH AND FAST!

EINSTEIN SHOULD KNOW IT IS TOO DANGEROUS TO TRY AND FISH OUT HIS FAVORITE TOY. CONNECT THE DOTS AND FIND OUT WHAT ELSE HE MUST LOSE.
"HELP EINSTEIN SAVE ALBERT"
CIRCLE ALL THE OBJECTS BELOW THAT CAN FLOAT IN WATER AND BE USED AS A LIFE PRESERVERS.

Object List:
- Beach ball
- Life preserver
- Coolers (two)
- Oar
- Life ring
- Empty soda bottle

Descrition:
- Floatable things: Beach ball, ice chest, empty soda bottle.
Gee!
Swimming in the aqueduct doesn't look like such a good idea, huh Albert?

Yeah—let's go to the reservoir.
"Safe Swimming"

Albert and Einstein want to swim where it is safe. Can you help them find the way?
OH BOY! WATER!!

HEY, EINSTEIN! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

EVERYONE IS SWIMMING OVER THERE!
WATCH THIS, ALBERT!
A HERON DIVE!

BOUND! BOUND!
BOUND!
BOING!
"Unscramble These"
Unscramble the underlined letters in each sentence and find out the rules Einstein needs to remember when swimming.

1. Obey posted
   G S I N S

2. Know how to
   W I S M

3. Swim with a
   D U B D Y

Gosh!
This water's shallow. I could've hurt myself!

Get off me!
HELP ALBERT WARN EINSTEIN ABOUT BOAT SAFETY. USING THE KEY, DECODE ALBERT'S SAFETY RULES.

The Code: 1=A 2=C 3=D 4=E 5=F 6=H 7=I 8=J 9=K 10=L 11=N 12=O 13=R 14=S 15=T 16=W 17=Y

ANSWERS: 1. WEAR A LIFEJACKET 2. STAY SEATED 3. WEAR TENNIS SHOES
Bird Over Board!

Quick! Connect the dots to draw a life jacket on Einstein before he falls into the water.
LOOK’IT WHAT I DRAWN ALL BY MYSELF, ALBERT!

HMMM-VERY GOOD. BUT, ARE ALL THESE ACTIVITIES SAFE?
SEE IF YOU CAN CIRCLE ALL THE SAFE WATER FUN ON THESE TWO PAGES, AND PUT AN "X" THROUGH ALL THE UNSAFE WATER ACTIVITIES.
Now it's your turn!

Draw your own water safety picture
BLEAH!
THIS ISN'T FUN!

Drugs and alcohol can hurt you. You don't need them to have fun!
WELL, ALBERT- TODAY WE DID SWIMMING, WE DID BOATING, AND NOW IT'S TIME WE DO FISHING!
GOT ANY THREES?

GO FISH.
CUT OUT AND PUT TOGETHER YOUR OWN

ALBERT™

and

EINSTEIN

STAND-UP

and see if you can remember the
10 Water Safety Tips

Instructions

STEP ONE:
With a good pair of scissors cut along the outside line of the piece marked BACK TAB.

STEP TWO:
Being very careful, cut along the dotted line of the STAND-UP.

STEP THREE:
Fold the BACK TAB along the dotted line and tape to the back of the STAND-UP, and there you go—your own Albert & Einstein Stand-up!
SAFETY TIPS:

- Obey all safety signs
- Aqueduct sides are slippery - be careful
- If a toy falls into the Aqueduct, let it go
- Know what things float
- Learn to swim and swim only in swimming areas
- Swim with a friend and near a lifeguard
- Wear a life jacket
- Stay seated in a boat
- Wear tennis shoes in a boat
- Drugs and alcohol are dangerous

TIPS THAT SAVE LIVES!

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