



Beach Safety – Junior Ideas

1. Write down at least 5 words of things you find at the beach. More brainstormed words could be done if done orally as a class/group.
2. Group activity. Draw as many beach related things as you can in a set amount of time. This could also include safety 'Do's' or 'Don't's'. Come back as a class and share/discuss.
3. Teacher to write down some safe and unsafe things, and the group/class have to categorise these into safe and unsafe things.
4. Using card or paper, make some a mini pop up scene which shows a safety scene at the beach. This could be done either individually or as a small group.
5. Discussing how the School Values relate to staying safe near water, (i.e. whanaungatanga vs being with people).
6. Write a story, (which could have some of the brainstormed words from point 1 above), about something they have done at the beach or a time when they went to the beach. They could also write 1 or 2 things that they did to make sure they were safe then.
7. Using natural things as leaves, grass, sand, twigs etc, the kids, (individually or as a small group), could design and make up their own mini beach landscape. Playdough could also be used.
8. Make up their own beach or river safety themed maze. For more able kids, this could also include having to pass through certain safety points before reaching the end.
9. Make a mini video (using Ipad camera), which highlights safe practices at the beach. This could simply be a couple of kids filming themselves with 1 safety message, and then another couple of kids doing the same, and so on. Come back and view/share/discuss as a class.

10. Make up their own mini 'Beach Safety' booklet, based on the upcoming beach safety trip to the BoP.
11. Using coloured card, cut out magazine pics etc, kids make up their own beach themed collage. This could include a number of things, or just be related to 1 thing.
12. Using paper/card, kids cut out shapes to make a cut out picture of something to do with the beach. This could be a sea animal, a landscape such as the beachline, and/or something related to safety such as flags, people etc.
13. Class or Group Mural. Using a long piece of paper or card (such as a paper roll), or large pieces of card, (which would be joined together after the activity), get the kids to draw anything to do with the beach/river and beach safety. Some maybe upside down (such as using the roll where some kids would be drawing on one end and others on the other end), but that's fine.
14. Get the kids to design, cut-out and make their own bottle of sunscreen, a new safety flag or something along those lines.
15. Kids make up their own A4/A3 or cartridge sized Safety at the Beach poster such as the ones shown below.

16. Make up your own Beach Safety Fun Page.



DANGERS

Can you remember the following dangers on the playground?

- Please wear your knee pads to prevent the surface
- Never jump off cliffs into the water
- This sun is the sun - it can hurt you as little as an hour too long
- Don't ignore the danger signs
- Never swim when a red flag is flying
- Don't swim near pipes and roads
- Beware of currents - they can carry you out to sea
- Don't drink from your bottle or swim if it's windy
- Red and yellow flags mean lifeguards and experienced swimming
- Listen to what the lifeguard tells you
- Keep an eye on children. Don't let them wander off!

Spot the danger






Advice follow the signs and advice

Friend always get your friends or family

Emergency always get help and call 999

For more games and information visit www.rlss.org.uk

Seemore says, "KNOW BEFORE YOU GO!"

-  **DOUBLE RED FLAGS**
Water Closed to Public
-  **RED FLAG**
High Surf and/or Strong Currents
-  **YELLOW FLAG**
Moderate Surf and/or Currents
-  **GREEN FLAG**
Low Hazard - Calm Conditions
Exercise Caution
-  **PURPLE FLAG**
Stinging Marine Life
Man O' War, Jellyfish, Stingrays

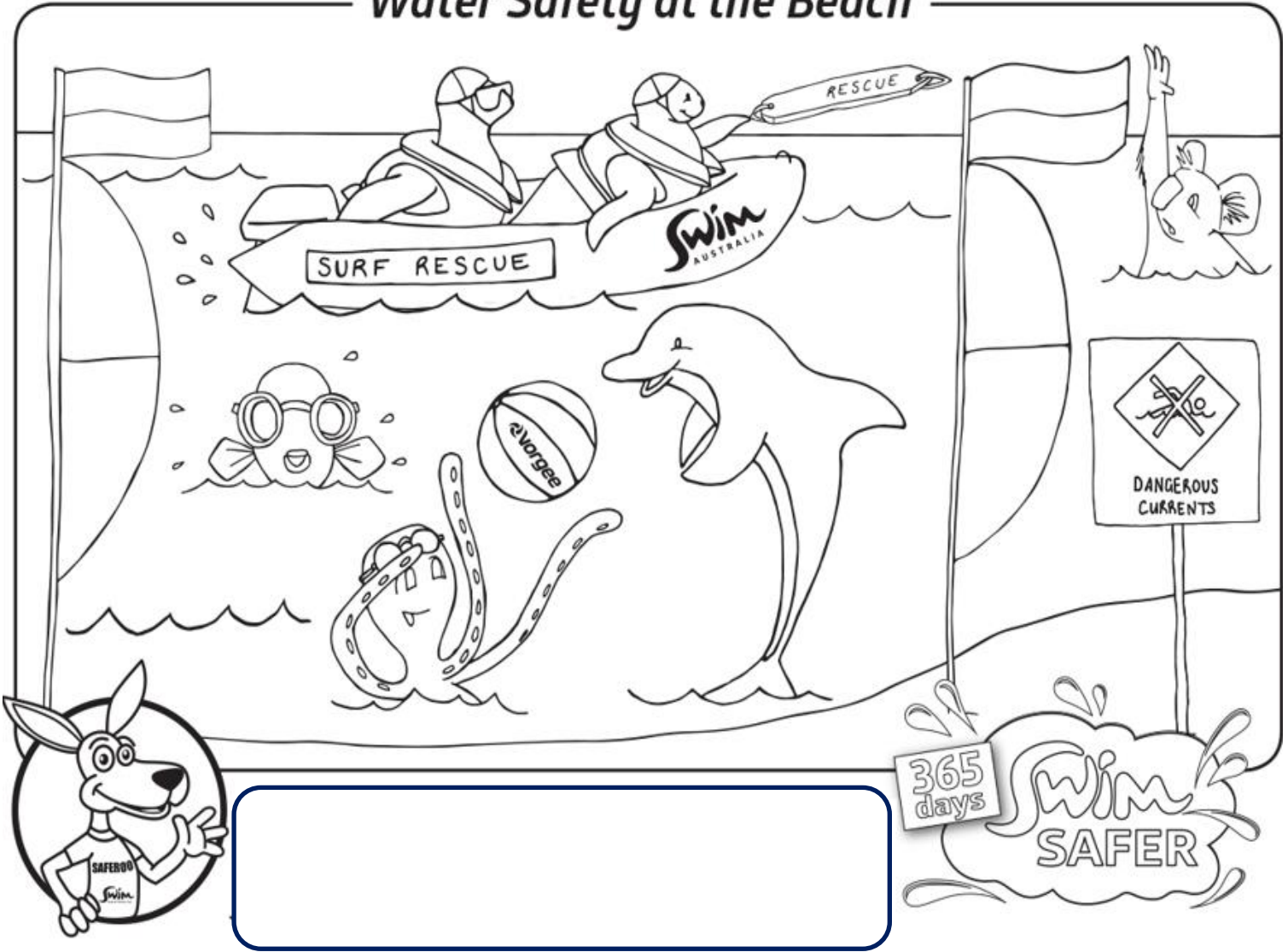
SEEMORE
the safety crab

SOUTH WALTON
FLORIDA

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BEACHSAFETY.COM

Water Safety at the Beach

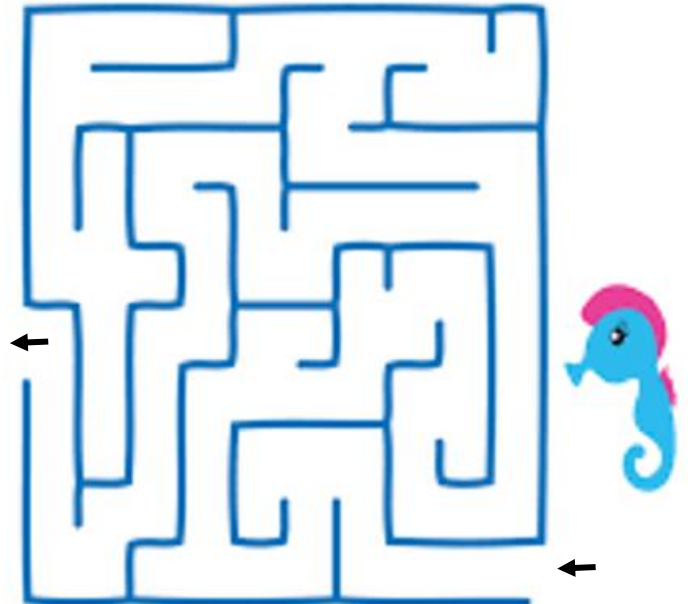


w	a	t	e	r
1	2	s	e	a
3	h	a	t	4
5	s	a	n	d
f	l	a	g	s

Find the words or letters

water sea sand flags hat

Draw a picture of something to do with staying safe at the beach or river.



Use the words from the box below to fill in the missing words (Class Oral Activity for Juniors).

swim instructor flags out adult

1. Have an _ _ _ _ _ watch over you
2. Never _ _ _ _ or surf alone.
3. Listen to the advice of a surf _ _ _ _ _ .
4. Swim between the _ _ _ _ .
5. If in doubt (if you are not sure), stay _ _ _ .

What are these pictures of / what do they mean?

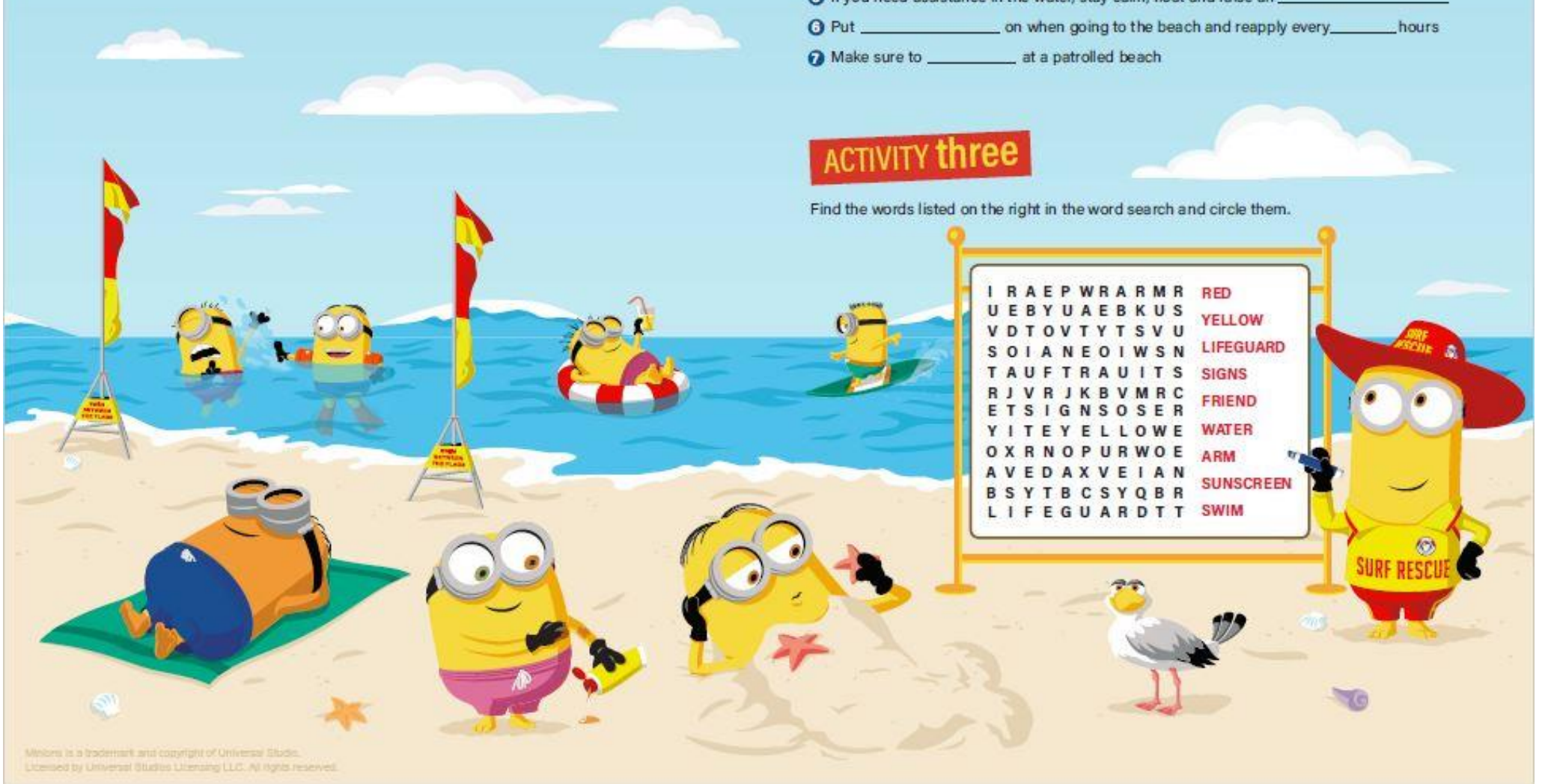


FUN WITH BOB and the squad

Do you remember Bob's Tips? Test what you know and have fun with the whole Squad!

IS THIS surf safe? **ACTIVITY one**

Label the different activities that the squad are doing on this beach as either safe with a green tick or dangerous with a red cross!



FIND A word **ACTIVITY two**

Use the following words to complete the sentences below:
red, lifeguard, yellow, signs, water, arm, swim, sunscreen, friend, 2

- 1 Swim between the _____ and _____ flags.
- 2 Ask a _____ for advice.
- 3 To stay safe, always read and obey the safety _____.
- 4 Always swim with a _____.
- 5 If you need assistance in the water, stay calm, float and raise an _____.
- 6 Put _____ on when going to the beach and reapply every _____ hours.
- 7 Make sure to _____ at a patrolled beach.

ACTIVITY three

Find the words listed on the right in the word search and circle them.

I	R	A	E	P	W	R	A	R	M	R	RED
U	E	B	Y	U	A	E	B	K	U	S	YELLOW
V	D	T	O	V	T	Y	T	S	V	U	LIFEGUARD
S	O	I	A	N	E	O	I	W	S	N	SIGNS
T	A	U	F	T	R	A	U	I	T	S	FRIEND
R	J	V	R	J	K	B	V	M	R	C	WATER
E	T	S	I	G	N	S	O	S	E	R	ARM
Y	I	T	E	Y	E	L	L	O	W	E	SUNSCREEN
O	X	R	N	O	P	U	R	W	O	E	SWIM
A	V	E	D	A	X	V	E	I	A	N	
B	S	Y	T	B	C	S	Y	Q	B	R	
L	I	F	E	G	U	A	R	D	T	T	



ACTIVITY one

WHAT DO you know?

Match up the safety signs images and descriptions scrambled to join via a line.



SHARKS

SUBMERGED ROCKS

HIGH SURF

JELLY FISH

STRONG CURRENTS

ACTIVITY two



SPOT THE difference

Can you spot 10 differences below?



1. Tube changed colour 2. Wave missing 3. Star fish colour change 4. Star fish missing 5. Jelly fish missing 6. Missing crab 7. Missing surfer 8. Missing star fish 9. Extra crab 10. Missing surfer

