

Kid Scoop

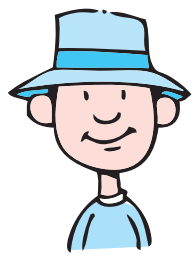
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Water Park Fun!

Water parks are great fun in the summertime. Thrilling, twisty water slides, relaxing lazy rivers and spraying fountains that drench you in cool water make for the perfect place to spend a summer vacation day.

But you need to be careful so you don't get too much sun! Too much sun can cause a painful burn and even increase your chances of skin cancer.

Protect Your Skin! Replace the missing vowels to discover how to protect your skin from burning at a water park.



W _ _ R
 A
 H _ T



ST _ Y
 _ N THE
 SH _ D _



USE
 S _ NSCR _ _ N



W _ _ R A
 SH _ RT
 OVER
 Y _ _ R
 SW _ M S _ _ T



How many sunglasses can you find on this page?

Extra! Extra!
Hot Words

How many words can you find in today's newspaper that mean the same as HOT?

SCORE:
 1-3: Cool Dude!
 4-6: Hot Stuff!
 7+: Steaming!

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.

Wild Water Slides

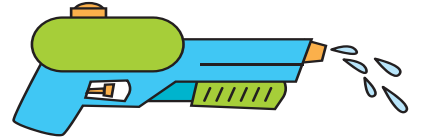
Can you figure out where each water slide begins and ends? Write the correct letter at the end of each slide.

Kid Scoop Together: Make Your Own Water Park

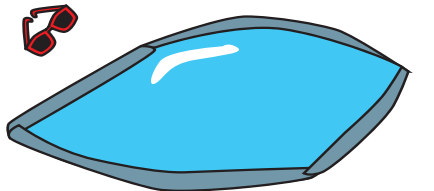
If you can't make it to a water park, try making your own water playground in your backyard or at a local park. Here are some ideas!



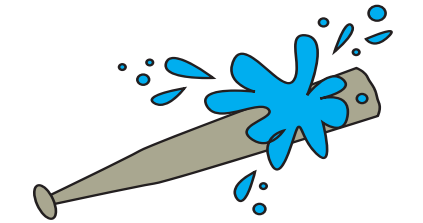
Juggle or toss water balloons.



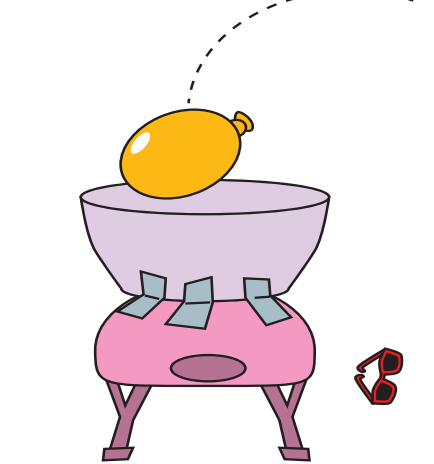
Create a squirt gun shower. Squirt water out of the gun and over your head and see if you can turn around two times before the water hits the ground.



Make a water blob. Use two thick sheets of plastic sheeting and a roll of duck tape to make a giant sack to fill with water. Roll around and slide on your water blob!



Play baseball and/or basketball with water balloons instead of balls!



Play a water balloon head catch game by taping a plastic mixing bowl to the top of a bike or batting helmet. One person throws the balloon and the other one tries to catch it in the bowl. Lots of splashes guaranteed!

Always remember to collect broken water balloons at the end of your game and put them in the trash.

Kid Scoop VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word: BEHAVIOR
 The noun **behavior** means the way in which a person acts, especially toward others.

The twins were on their best **behavior** so they would get a treat at the end of the day.

Try to use the word **behavior** in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family.

Amazing Water Parks

Do the math to discover amazing facts about these water parks!

The Wisconsin Dells boasts more than twenty indoor and outdoor water parks. They hold a combined total of _____ million gallons of water.
 $8 + 2 + 6$

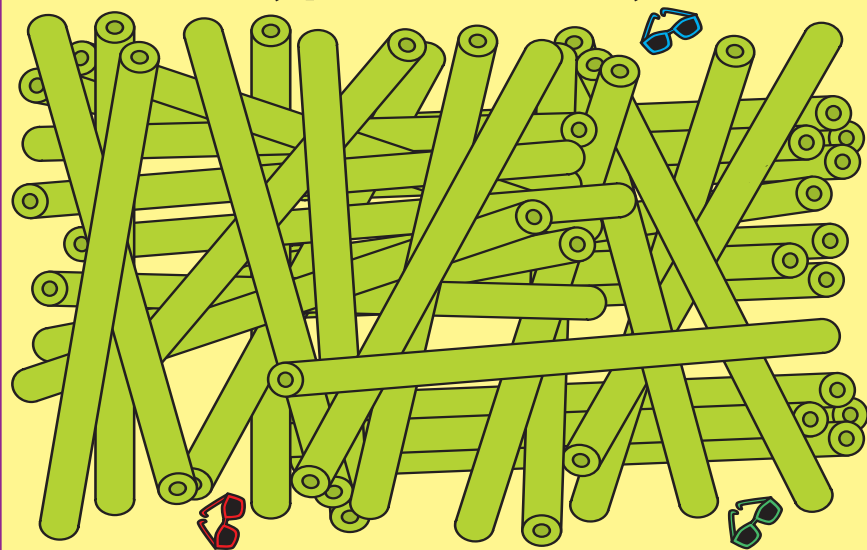
Noah's Ark, located in the Dells, is America's largest water park. It covers _____ acres with three _____ miles of water slides.
 $47 + 23$

A water slide at the Atlantis resort in the Bahamas features a _____ foot slide with _____ a clear tube through a shark pool!
 $29 + 31$

Standards Link: Math: Addition to 100.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

How many pool noodles do you see?



Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Kid Scoop Word Search

WISCONSIN
 GALLONS
 CAPITAL
 SLIDES
 SPLASH
 RIVERS
 LAGOON
 WATER
 NOAHS
 SHADE
 PARK
 SWIM
 WAVE
 AQUA
 HAT

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.

S N I S N O C S I W
 P L I S H A O N S A
 S H I R H W L O N V
 P E G E A A A L N E
 L D D V T T P L D S
 A S W I M E P A L A
 S S P R L R H G R H
 H A Q U A S I N G K
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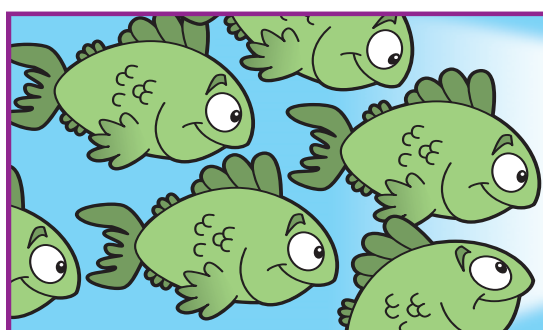
Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE LESSON LIBRARY

Safe or Unsafe?

Look through the newspaper for examples of safe and unsafe behaviors. Cut out pictures and articles that illustrate both safe and unsafe activities and create a poster to educate others.

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate info.



What's the most popular TV show in the ocean?

ANSWER: Whale of Fortune.

Write On! WATER GAMES

Make up a game that includes water. It could be played in water or with water. It might use a hose or a squirting device.

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