

# Albert Supersize

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## Join Albert the Tortoise on his biggest adventure yet

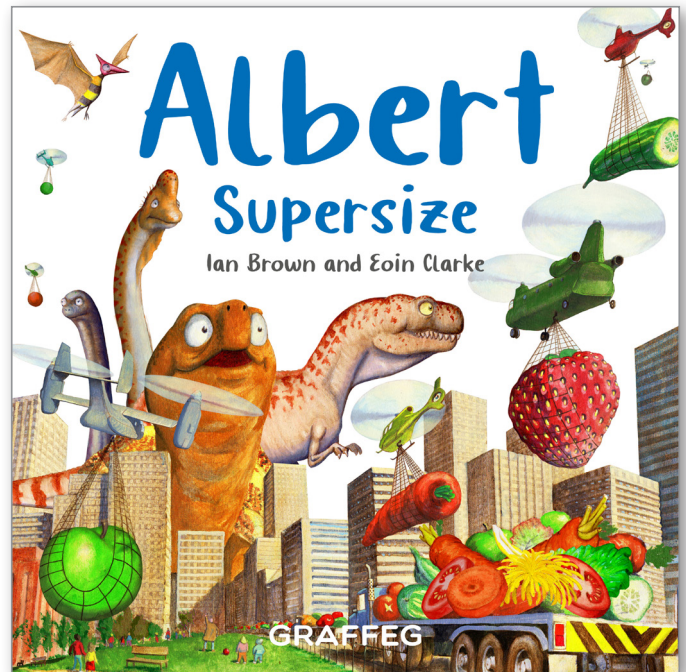
Following the brilliantly popular *Albert Upside Down* and *Albert and the Wind*, Albert the Tortoise returns with a host of new, much larger friends. Join Albert as he tackles giant dinosaurs and a fiery volcano in this humorous and charming addition to the picture book series.

In this story we see Albert daydreaming about some of his ancient ancestors, the dinosaurs. Albert saves his new friends when he discovers an exploding volcano! But when he wakes, he finds his insect friends need his help in the real world.

As well as continuing the adventures of Albert, *Albert Supersize* also introduces children to the world of dinosaurs, providing many laughs and a number of key teaching topics, including helping others, loving yourself and problem solving. Charming, colourful and nostalgic illustrations by Eoin Clarke accompany this entertaining and timeless tale, completed with a series of interesting tortoise and dinosaur facts, making it a perfect introduction to reptiles and dinosaurs for children both in the classroom and outside.

The inspiration behind the Albert the Tortoise series of picture books is author Ian Brown's family pet tortoise, also named Albert. Albert has gained many celebrity fans, including **Michael Aspel, Joe Sugg, Julian Clary, Jeremy Clarkson, John Craven, Philip Ardagh, Vicki Michelle MBE, Clive Mantle, Danny Miller, Lydia Bright and Paul Whitehouse**. Albert also has a large following on social media with over 2.8k fans on Facebook and 1.1k followers on Twitter.

*Albert Supersize* is also available as an animated eBook.



### Albert Supersize

Author Ian Brown

Illustrator Eoin Clarke

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### What people said about *Albert Upside Down*:

'Beautiful, heart-warming and wonderfully illustrated. I am in love with Albert!' **Julian Clary, comedian and writer, author of The Bolds series**

'A great little story, fantastically illustrated' **Joe Sugg, star of YouTube and Strictly Come Dancing**

'Great message for children and getting them to learn about tortoises.' **Vicki Michelle MBE, actress ('Allo 'Allo), I'm A Celebrity, radio presenter, charity ambassador**

'Funny, inventive and stunningly illustrated' **Philip Ardagh, author, Roald Dahl Funny Prize winner**

'What a treat. Stunning illustrations and well-chosen words.' **John Craven OBE, Countryfile, Newsround**

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**Ian Brown** is a London-based writer and producer for television and former Fleet Street journalist. His TV credits include *Top Gear*, *The South Bank Show*, *This Is Your Life*, *Take Your Pick*, *Petrolheads*, and the feature documentary *Born to Royalty*. He has written or produced for the likes of Pierce Brosnan, Harrison Ford, Simon Cowell, Tom Jones, George Lucas, Liam Neeson, Jason Statham, Martin Scorsese and Bruce Forsyth, among many others. Ian is also the creator and writer of grown-up cartoon series *The Bruvs*.

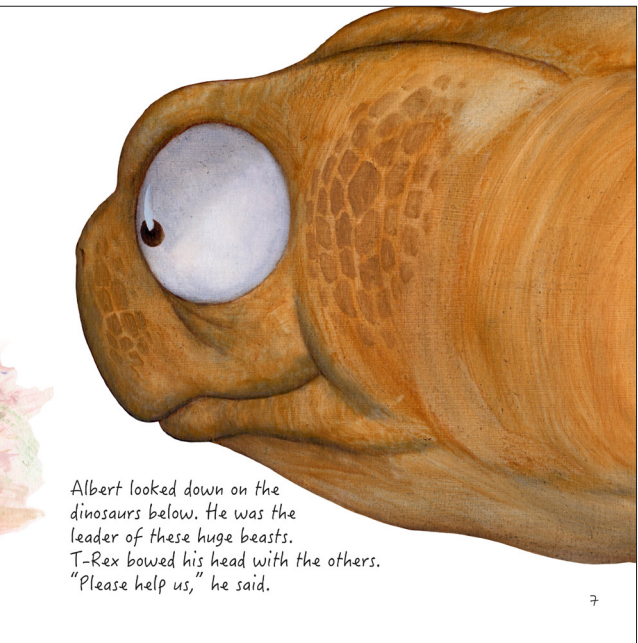
**Eoin Clarke** has worked for thirty years in the animation industry as a director, animator and storyboard artist – his directorial work across films, commercials and documentaries has garnered thirty awards. As a storyboard artist, his clients include the BBC, Channel 4, BFI and Ray Harryhausen, as well as animation for the opening titles of popular TV series with Harry Hill and *Gone Fishing* with Bob Mortimer and Paul Whitehouse. He lives in London.

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### Other titles in the series:

- Albert Upside Down
- Albert and the Wind



Albert looked down on the dinosaurs below. He was the leader of these huge beasts. T-Rex bowed his head with the others. "Please help us," he said.



