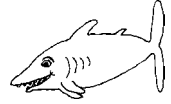


Name: _____

The Pipeline

Did you know there is a water pipe
from Mundaring Weir, Perth to
Kalgoorlie?

I need
water !



In which Australian State is Perth? _____

How many kilometres is Kalgoorlie from Perth? _____

When gold was first discovered in Kalgoorlie many miners went to find it.
There was very little water and buying water was very expensive.
Can you imagine living without water or with very little water? Some
people still have very little water and this makes life difficult for them.

Write three things the miners needed water for.

A man named C.Y. O'Connor wanted to pipe water from Perth to
Kalgoorlie. He did a lot of work to get the project going but he died before
it was finished.

What are Mr. O'Connor's first names? _____

Discuss as a group what you use water for. How much water do you think a
family uses every day?



I need water for
my babies !