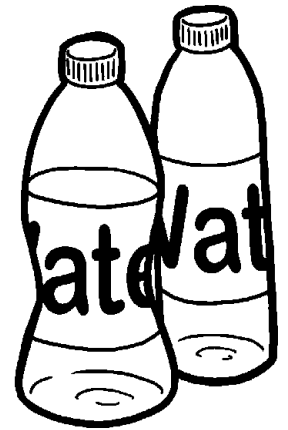




Use the information on page 39 to help you to complete this activity sheet.

1. We must use natural resources carefully. One way of doing this is by using reclaimed water. Reclaimed water is recycled sewage water. How would you feel about drinking it; watering your garden with it and showering in it? Reflect and respond to this question then fill out the pros and cons table. Before doing this, think about the claim that the population of Australia will increase from 22 million to 35 million over the next 20 years.



Pros	Cons
	

2. Tick to show the correct answers.

a. Water is a natural resource.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
b. Water is a non-renewable resource.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
c. Reclaimed or recycled water uses sewage water.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
d. We must use water sustainably.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
e. Without water there would be no life.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
f. Increasing the cost of water for consumers is an effective tool for encouraging people to reduce water use.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
g. Reclaimed water is unsafe to drink.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
h. Reclaimed water is used for irrigation in Australia.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction
i. Rainfall is becoming more unreliable in Australia.	<input type="checkbox"/> Fact <input type="checkbox"/> Fiction