



Activity sheet - Europe

The Burgess family and the otter



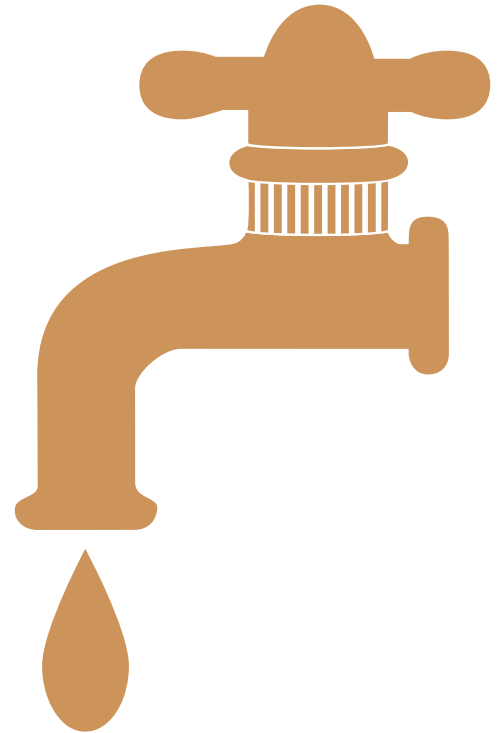
It's funny to think of water being something that you have to save, especially when you live somewhere like the UK, where it seems to rain all the time! Water is one of our most precious resources though, and we have to make sure we use it carefully, like Katy Burgess and her family.

- 1 Name one animal that lives in British rivers, which might be affected by overuse of water.

- 2 How much water does a running tap use every minute?

- 3 How much water does a typical bath use?

- 4 Can you write down three ways we can all save water at home? (Hint: what did the Burgess family do?)



- 5 Katy wrote a pledge about water saving. A pledge is like a promise you make, to yourself and others, that you will do something.

Katy's pledge was:

Can you write a water-saving pledge for yourself?
Cut it out and stick it somewhere to remind yourself of your pledge every day.



Go Wild Pledge Card

I pledge to spend less time in the shower, to help save water.

Katy



Go Wild Pledge Card





Story board - Europe

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Draw a picture for each part of the story.

1

Katy Burgess lives in London with her family.

2

It's a busy household and there's always somebody in the bath!

3

Katy has been learning how Britain's rivers are under threat as the demand for water increases.

4

She decides she would like to do something to help.

5

Katy uses the WWF website to research ways households can cut down on the water they use and tells her family all about it.

6

Now the Burgess family try not to waste water unnecessarily.