

# Delicious Steamed Kai

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**This task is about making inferences from a text.**

Read the story "Delicious Steamed Kai" School Journal Part 1, No 5, 1992 and look at the pictures before you answer these questions.

a) What is another word for "kai"?

b) Why was the guide the only person allowed to go close to the steaming hot pools?

- ☐ It was her pool.
- ☐ There were too many people for everyone to go near.
- ☐ So no one would get hurt.
- ☐ So no one else would take the food.

c) The kai was cooked by

- ☐ frying
- ☐ poaching
- ☐ steaming
- ☐ roasting

d) What is the person in Picture 2 doing?

Sort the letters in the spaces to show the order the sentences below go in according to the story.  
The first one (B) has been done for you.

**A** – The guide put the flax kits and flour bags in the water.

**B** – Our class went to Rotorua.

**C** – We ate the kai.

**D** – We decided to cook some kai in the boiling pools.

**E** – We watched the water bubble round the flax kits, cooking our kai.

**F** – We put eggs in flax kits, and corn, potato, and kumara in flour bags.

**B A C D E F**

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