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“Reinventing the Yard” Question Worksheet

DIRECTIONS. Read through the questions below. As you watch the video, “Reinventing the Yard” with your class, think about your answers. After the video is over, answer the questions below. Discuss your answers with your teacher as a class.

1. Why do you think people (workers, Brooklynites, New Yorkers) were so upset when the Navy Yard closed?

2. Why do you think it was hard to figure out a way to re-use the Navy Yard after the Navy left?

3. What does it mean to be “green” or “sustainable”? Why is this important to the environment?

4. What are some other ways that you know of for people to “go green”?
