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Career Ready Practice #5: Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions

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As we focus on the Career Readiness Practice, it’s important to consider the impact of the decisions we make. Every day the decisions we make affect the environment, society and the economy. Especially when we are employed, our decisions can have a dramatic impact.

In this exercise you will research the decisions made by businesses, residents and government officials on Onondaga Lake….one of the most important natural resources in the Syracuse area.

**Directions:** Work together with your partner and research to come up with five examples of a skill in your group's category. Then discuss reasons that an employer would want to hire a person with those skills. Lastly, come up with a plan to help you gain or build up two of these skills.

Circle your groups category

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