

Waste Management Pre-Lesson Student Worksheet

Student Name:

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Before watching the video or exploring the website, review these questions and look for answers during the video.

1. What were some of the waste streams generated in America?
2. What factors or byproducts associated with waste streams might affect the environment?
3. What social and regulatory influences shape how professionals manage waste?
4. What's the difference between a dump and an engineered landfill?
5. What kinds of "resource recovery" might occur at a landfill?
6. What challenges do waste management professionals face in protecting air and water quality?