

*Dream of a Nation*  
**Strengthening Communities**

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**Key Terms-** Find definitions of the following key terms throughout Chapter 10 and write them in complete sentences on a separate sheet of paper.

Environmental Justice

Marriage Equality

Prison Reform

Food Security

Industrial Farming

Re-integration

Sustainable Farming

Civil Rights

Deportation

**Article Questions**

*Infographic*

1. How do incomes on Native American reservations compare to the national average?
2. How much did New York lower its incarceration rate by focusing on prevention and rehabilitation?

*Transforming Urban Injustice into Beauty and Empowerment*

1. What ways can people work to create environmental equality?
2. With a partner, discuss opportunities for revitalization in your community.

*Creating Food Security, Improving Health, Creating Community*

3. How can communities increase their food security?
4. Pick one of the examples given in the article and write how it is a model for what you could build in your own community.

*The Next Generation of Family Farming*

5. What's wrong with large-scale industrialized farming?
6. How can smaller scale and family farms benefit their environments and communities?

*Supporting a Green Future in Native American Communities*

7. How can renewable energy support jobs on tribal lands? What is "the jobs potential?"
8. What are some examples of tribal communities leading the way?

*Envisioning an Inclusive World*

9. How is the current civil rights movement for gay people similar to the historical civil rights movement for black people?
10. What is the goal of the Domestic Partnership Benefits and Obligations Act?

*Immigrants in America: Common Values, Common Dreams*

11. Name one positive, economic impact immigrants have on the United States.
12. What are some strategies for putting the existing 11 million undocumented workers on a path to citizenship?

*Reforming Prisons Saving Billions Creating Opportunities*

13. Why has the number of people in prisons increased 275% over the past 25 years?
14. Pick one suggestion for prison reform listed in this chapter and detail the financial and social benefits to a partner.

**Post-Reading Questions**

15. Discuss with a partner the issue in this chapter you found the most personally important and explain why.
16. Despite the diversity of problems and solutions offered in this chapter. What is a common theme expressed throughout these essays?