

American Factory Discussion Questions

1. What impact did the GM factory shut down have on a town?
2. If you were an employee that lost your job due to a factory shutdown, what would be your next steps to finding employment?
3. What problems did Fuyao face when opening up their factory in Ohio?
4. Discuss the American vs. Chinese workday and expected work ethic.
5. What impact did unionizing have on Fuyao?
6. How do unions protect employees?
7. Why was Fuyao against the unionization of their employees?
8. Was it ethical for Fuyao to bring in anti-union supporters to talk with employees?
9. What cultural pieces did Americans try to teach to the Chinese?
10. What surprised you most about the meeting in China with the American employees?