Challenge

Why did the Industrial Revolution begin in England? Give a specific example.
Report Says Nike Workers in Vietnam Paid Starvation Wages and Suffer Corporal Punishment and Forced Running Inflicted by Managers

JUST DO IT!
Group Task

**Handouts A, B, & C**
- Read the documents.
- Answer the questions on the handout.

**Group Roles**
- Reader - All
- Recorder - All
- Reporter - 1
Industrial City
- dirty & disgusting
- smelly & bad odors
- river ran purple from chemicals
- homes - many ppl crammed into small living spaces
- not enough food
- homes next to factories
- slums
- lots & smoke from factories
- cracked windows
- leaky floors
- no open space - stagnant air
Factory Life
- Very robotic
- Same schedule
day in + day out
- Job, lets in the
factories
- unsanitary
- Narrow space to work
- Too many machines
- No windows
- Very hot from machines
- Crowded
- Long hours
- Kids work 76 hrs/ wk
- Most get sick often
- Many disabled workers
- Poor unsafe conditions
- Injuries from work

Factory Acts of 1833 + 1844
- Kids working hours ↓
- Acts passed by Gov't
- Kids under 18: Work 12 hrs
a day
- Under 8 - Can't work in
factory
- Lead to less $ for family
- Free public education for kids