

Animal Farm
Chapters 1-3
Study Guide

1. Describe Mr. Jones.
2. Give the human traits that describe these animals:
Clover:
Boxer:
Benjamin:
Mollie:
cat:
dogs:
raven:
pigs:
3. Where do the pigs place themselves while listening to Major?
4. Where is Moses? What does he represent?
5. Why has Major called the meeting?
6. What is the statement that comes from Major's dream?
7. What is Major's warning to the animals? List them specifically.
8. What kind of world does Major dream of?
9. What does Major remember in his dream?
10. What is the name of the song?
11. Who learns the song quickly?

12. How do the animals respond to the song?

13. Why do they quit singing?

14. What is Major's system of thoughts called?

15. What is heaven referred to as?

16. Who teaches them about heaven?

17. What happens to Major?

18. Who are the 3 major leaders now, what kind of animal are they, and what are their human traits?

19. How does the Rebellion come about?

20. How do the animals celebrate?

21. What does Boxer do to his straw hat and why?

22. Name the commandments.

23. Who milks the cows? What happens to the milk?

24. What is the animals first job?

25. Who is the hardest worker on the farm and what is his motto?

26. How does Benjamin respond to the atmosphere of the farm?

27. Who makes a flag and from what?

28. Describe the flag and what it represents.

29. Who sets up committees?

30. Whose interest is education?

31. What happens to the disappearing milk and the windfall of apples?

32. Describe Squealer's explanation of why pigs need special food.

33. The commandments are shortened for some of the animals who can't read. What is it now?

34. How does this effect the birds.

35. What does Snowball say is the "distinguishing mark of a man"?

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Chapters 4-7

Chapter 4

1. How is Mr. Jones spending his time now that he has lost his farm?
2. How do the neighboring humans react to Animal Farm?
3. What does Snowball study to learn about military strategy?
4. What is his battleplan?
5. Does it work?
6. What do they call the battle with the humans?
7. Who dies in the battle?
8. Compare Snowball and Boxer's attitude toward war.
9. What medals are awarded and to whom?
10. What is the anniversary of the Rebellion called?

Chapter 5

11. Who goes off to another farm with humans?
12. What are the 2 things humans have that she wants?
13. Who are the planners of farm policy?
14. How are their decisions checked?

15. What do Snowball and Napoleon disagree about?
16. How do they differ on preparing for the next rebellion?
17. What idea does Snowball come up with?
18. Who does Napoleon use to interrupt the meetings?
19. What are the 2 slogans used?
20. What happens to Snowball?
21. What right does Napoleon take away from the animals?
22. How does Boxer react?
23. What does Napoleon have a change of heart about?
24. Who always speaks for Napoleon?

Chapter 6

25. How are the animals working on the farm?
26. Why do the animals need to trade with humans?
27. Who do they trade with?
28. What are some of the commandments the pigs break?
29. Who notices the commandments have changed?

- 30. What happens to the windmill?
- 31. Who does Napoleon blame and what will happen if he is found?
- 32. Who are the guards?

Chapter 7

- 33. how do the animals survive the winter?
- 34. What does the outside world think about the farm now?
- 35. What do they do to trick Mr. Whymper?
- 36. What deal does Napoleon make with Mr. Whymper?
- 37. How do the hens react?
- 38. What do some of the hens die of?
- 39. What is Snowball doing?
- 40. What action does Napoleon take concerning Snowball?
- 41. How do the animals react?
- 42. Who writes a new song?
- 43. What happens to "Beast of England"?

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Chapters 8-10

1. How does Squealer distract attention from the changes in the Commandments?
2. Why does the cockerel march in front of Napoleon?
3. Who does Napoleon finally sell the timber to?
4. What is he paid with?
5. What happens to the windmill?
6. What is this battle called?
7. How is the "victory" celebrated?
8. Who is awarded a medal and what is it called?
9. What new vice do the animals acquire?
10. What is Squealer doing when he falls from the ladder?
11. What is the windmill named?
12. Who tests Napoleon's food for poison?
13. Who writes a poem for Napoleon and what is it called?
14. What happens to Napoleon's tail?
15. What was life like in Chapter 9?

16. What should animals do when they pass a pig on the path?

17. What is the new ruling on ribbons?

18. Who returns after years away?

19. What is looking forward to?

20. How is Boxer removed from the farm and how?

21. What are "Spontaneous Demonstrations"?

22. What does Squealer tell the animals about Boxer?

23. What do the pigs buy with the money from selling Boxer?

24. Who holds a banquet in Boxer's honor?

25. What was the windmill originally planned to be used for?

26. What was the windmill actually used for?

27. What animal really never changed?

28. What is the new development on the farm?

29. How do the sheep respond?

30. What is the new commandment?

31. Who is the pig's visitor?

32. What happens to the flag?

33. What is the new name of the farm?

34. What do the animals notice when they look in the farmhouse window?

Answer in class:

35. Who do these animals represent in Russian history:

Old Major:

Snowball:

Napoleon:

Boxer:

36. Theme of the novel:

