

Animal Farm by George Orwell

Chapter 8 – Low Stakes Questions

These accompany the novel, Animal Farm. They can be used alongside the summary revision video:

<https://youtu.be/R7-vucgUAjs>

Please write in FULL SENTENCES.

1. Following the executions, Clover asks Benjamin to read her the sixth commandment. How is it phrased?
2. In Chapter Eight, Orwell draws a comparison between life under the rule of the pigs, and life in Jones's day. How do the two compare?
3. Describe Napoleon's eating arrangements (there are 3 possible elements to include).
4. How do the **other animals** (not the pigs) now refer to Napoleon?
5. The pigs like to make up other titles for Napoleon, which are ironic epithets. Give one example of such a title.
6. The pigs become involved in a trade battle between Pilkington and Frederick. What are the pigs selling?
7. How does Frederick trick the animals in this chapter?
8. The humans attack the next day. They destroy the Windmill. Which historical event could the Battle of the Windmill be linked?
9. After the attack, the animals are 'weary and bleeding' and they 'limp back towards the farm', walking past dead comrades. How does Squealer then approach them?
10. After the battle and the procession, the pigs celebrate. What do they drink?
11. Muriel reads the fifth commandment, which used to read as: 'no animal shall drink alcohol.' What has it been changed to?