### The Seven Commandments



#### Animal Farm

The Seven Commandments of Animalism Whatever goes upon two legs is an enemy. Whatever goes upon four legs, or has wings, is a friend. No arrimal shall wear clothes. Four legs good, two legs bad better. No animal shall sleep in a bed, with sheets. No animal shall drink alcohol, to excess. No animal shall kill any other animal, without cause. All animals are equal, but some animals are more equal than others.

## Whatever goes upon two legs is an enemy.



 Wymper is always at the farm as an intermediary between AF and people.

- 2. The pigs engage in trade with people.
- 3. They sell the timber to Fredrick.
- 4. They will later try to walk on two legs.

Whatever goes upon four legs, or has wings, is a friend.



1. The have a purge where many animals admit to false crimes and are executed.

- 2. In general the animals are maltreated by the pigs.
- 3. They are underfed and overworked.



The chickens refuse to give away their eggs They fly up to the rafters and let them drop and break Napoleon reduces their rations They confees to fake crimes They are killed by the dogs

# No animal shall wear clothes.



- 1. Squealer wears a monocle
- 2. Napoleon wears a bowler hat
- 3. Mollie wears ribbons.
- 4. Later in the book the pigs will start to wear clothes

No animal shall sleep in a bed. No animal shall sleep in a bed with sheets.



- 1. The commandment is altered and the pigs start to live in a house and sleep in beds.
- 2. The pigs argue that sheets are the problem and use blankets.
- 3. Blankets and beds made from animals (Feathers, wool, etc)

No animal shall drink alcohol. No animal shall drink alcohol. *to excess.* 



1. The commandment is altered and the pigs find a box of whiskey and get drunk.

 In fact they plant barley in the pasture where the animals are supposed to retire.
This is to make

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In Fact, Napoleon thinks that he is dying But he is really hung over

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No animal shall kill any other animal. No animal shall kill any other animal. *without cause* 



- 1. Public confessions to false crimes and executions of many animals occur.
- 2. The commandment is altered.
- 3. Which then gives the pigs a wide degree of freedom to kill for whatever they think is cause.

 All animals are equal.
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The pigs become the aristocrats and live in a house with all of its luxuries While most of the other animals are underfed and overworked

## What is the irony?

Four dogs guarded his bed at night, one at each corner, and a young pig named Pinkeye was given the task of tasting all his food before he ate it, lest it should be poisoned.

1) Pink eye is a contagious disease of when the eyes turn red 2) He will not be killed, but might catch pink eye from pink eye



In the middle of the summer the animals were alarmed to hear that three hens had come forward and confessed that, inspired by Snowball, they had entered into a plot to murder Napoleon. They were executed immediately

How could hens even three of them kill a boar like Napoleon? They are so small Would they peck him to death? This is paranoia