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1 Which ten animals are on the farm? Complete the words.

1 p _ _ _

6 c _ _ _

2 h _ _ _ _

7 c _ _ _

3 d _ _ _

8 p _ _ _ _ _

4 g _ _ _ _

9 s h _ _ _ _

5 d _ _ _ _ _

10 c h _ _ _ _ _

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2 What was Major's dream about?

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3 Complete the sentences. Choose the correct names from the box.

Mollie Benjamin Snowball Major Clover Napoleon Squealer Boxer

1 was twelve years old and quite fat, and he was a kind and intelligent animal.

2 was not young, and she was now a bit fat.

3 was enormous and very strong. He was not intelligent,
but he was very kind and worked hard.

4 was the oldest animal on the farm, and he was never happy and never laughed.

5 was pretty and young and she asked the most stupid questions.

6 was quiet and thought a lot, and some of the animals were a little afraid of him.

7 talked more, but the animals did not like him as much.

8 was young, talked a lot and explained difficult ideas very well.

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4 Complete the Seven Commandments. Choose the correct words from the box. There are two extra words.

enemy bed alcohol clothes animals friend barn equal people

THE SEVEN COMMANDMENTS

- 1. Anything on two legs is an ¹
- 2. Anything on four legs, or with wings, is a ²
- 3. Animals must not wear ³
- 4. Animals must not sleep in a ⁴
- 5. Animals must not drink ⁵
- 6. Animals must not kill other ⁶
- 7. All animals are ⁷

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5 Match the two parts of the sentences. Draw lines between them.

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| 1 The horses knew the fields very well | a to talk about work for the next week. |
| 2 The pigs did not do any hard work, | b the pigs always found an answer. |
| 3 When there were problems, | c did not change after the Rebellion. |
| 4 Old Benjamin, the donkey, | d but they never agreed about anything. |
| 5 On Sunday mornings the animals had a meeting | e but they walked behind the horses and gave them orders. |
| 6 Snowball and Napoleon talked the most, | f and did a better job than Jones and his men. |

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6 Which animals are best at reading? Which are worst? Put the animals in the box in the correct order, from 1 (best) to worst (5).

donkey chickens horses dogs goat ducks

- 1 pigs and
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 sheep, and

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7 Read the questions. Choose the correct answers (a, b or c).

- 1 What happened on the other farms?
 - a A rebellion like the one on Animal Farm.
 - b Nothing happened on the other farms near Animal Farm.
 - c Some animals did things like the animals on Animal Farm.

- 2 What news did the pigeons bring about Jones and his men in October?
 - a They were coming to the farm with whips and sticks.
 - b They were leaving the farm to go to a new farm.
 - c They were planning to kill all the animals on the farm.

- 3 What did the animals do when the men got near the farm?
 - a They attacked the men but couldn't stop them coming into the farm.
 - b They flew at the men's heads and attacked their legs.
 - c They were afraid and ran away from the men.

- 4 How many animals and men died in the Battle of the Farmyard?
 - a One man.
 - b One man and one sheep.
 - c One sheep.

- 5 What happened to Mollie?
 - a She was frightened and ran into the barn.
 - b She ran away with the farmer.
 - c She helped the farmer to run away.

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8 Tick the six true things about Mollie.

- 1 Everything she said was true.
- 2 She became more difficult.
- 3 She did very little.
- 4 She didn't want to leave the farm.
- 5 She had some pieces of sugar
- 6 She had some ribbons.
- 7 She worked very hard.
- 8 She was never late for work.
- 9 She was often late for work.
- 10 She left the farm.

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9 Put the information about the pigs in the correct column.

did not agree about anything	did not want a windmill
half the animals voted for him	ran across the fields
the sheep liked him	wanted more apple trees
wanted to build a windmill	wanted to grow carrots
wanted to grow corn	wanted to grow potatoes
was better at talking in the meetings	worked harder between meetings

Napoleon	Napoleon and Snowball	Snowball

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10 Complete the text. Choose the correct words (a, b, c or d).

In August, Napoleon asked them to work on Sunday afternoons as well. But it was ¹

- a not much
- b not enough
- c too much
- d too many

The harvest was not ² as the year before, and they did not have as many fields of potatoes

- a good
- b best
- c better
- d as good

and carrots. The winter was going to be hard. The windmill was not easy to build,³

- a as well
- b any
- c either
- d too

The animals had to find heavy stones and carry them to the top of the hill. They sometimes needed

a day to find and pull up one big stone. Boxer worked the⁴

- a hardest
- b harder
- c more hard
- d hard

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11 Complete the sentences. Use one, two, three or four words.

- 1 Napoleon decided some of the harvest and some eggs to Mr Whymper.
- 2 Mr Whymper visited the farm every week and Napoleon him.
- 3 The farmers in the village Animal Farm was working well.
- 4 One day the pigs in the farmhouse.
- 5 The the kitchen and sleeping in the beds.
- 6 The pigs also needed to sleep longer, an hour later in the morning.

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12 Correct the sentences. The bold words are incorrect.

- 1 Napoleon **wanted** people to know about their problems.
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- 2 The animals put **corn** in the food sheds, with **stones** on top.
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- 3 The chickens flew **into** the barn and laid their eggs there.
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- 4 After **nine** days, **five** chickens were dead, and the others came down.
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5 Mr Whympers **knew all** about this, and soon a lorry was coming once a week to take away the eggs.

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13 Who said these things? Circle the correct animals.

- 1 “We were helping Snowball and Frederick to get ready to attack Animal Farm,” said the **horses / pigs**.
- 2 “We were sleeping, and Snowball told us to break the eggs,” said the **chickens / ducks**.
- 3 “I stole some corn from the harvest and ate it at night,” said a **goose / pigeon**.
- 4 “Snowball wanted us to kill a very old sheep,” said two **dogs / sheep**.
- 5 “We saw Snowball and talked to him,” said **a duck and a sheep / the donkey and a pig**.

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14 Complete the text. Write one word for each gap.

A ¹..... days later some of the animals remembered the Sixth Commandment: “Animals must not kill other animals.” Clover asked Benjamin to ²..... the commandment for her, but Benjamin did not want to, ³..... she asked Muriel. “Animals must not kill other animals without a reason,” Muriel read. The animals agreed ⁴..... there was a reason. The dead animals once worked for Snowball. The animals worked harder than before. They worked on the windmill, and they worked in the fields. ⁵..... they thought that they were working harder than in Mr Jones’s time, but they were not sure. They could not remember. ⁶..... Sunday morning Squealer stood in front of them. “We have more potatoes, and more carrots, and more apples than before,” he told them. But the animals did not see more food in front of them ⁷..... dinner time.

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15 Read the answers. Write the questions.

- 1
Napoleon started living in different rooms to the other pigs.
- 2
Squealer painted a picture of Napoleon on the barn.
- 3
Because three chickens tried to put poison in Napoleon’s food.
- 4
The animals felt tired but happy when they finished building the windmill.

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Napoleon sold the timber to Frederick.

6
Fifteen men with six guns attacked Animal Farm in the Battle of the Windmill.

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16 Complete the text. Use the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

Boxer ¹..... (**hurt**) his hoof in the Battle of the Windmill, and it ²..... (**take**) a long time to get better. But work ³..... (**start**) on the new windmill, and he ⁴..... (**not want**) to stop. At Animal Farm, horses ⁵..... (**retire**) at twelve. Boxer ⁶..... (**be**) eleven, and he wanted ⁷..... (**finish**) the windmill. That winter most of the animals ⁸..... (**be**) hungry again. Only the pigs and the dogs ⁹..... (**have**) enough to eat. Squealer ¹⁰..... (**explain**) that this was important to the other animals.

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17 Put the events in the correct order (1–6).

- a Squealer came to see Boxer and talk to him.
- b The animals never saw Boxer again.
- c In the middle of the day, a lorry came to take Boxer.
- d Boxer rested, and in the evenings Clover and Benjamin sat with him.
- e Boxer fell when he was pulling some stones up to the windmill.
- f Benjamin read for everyone: “Alfred Simmons. Dog Food. Horse Meat.”

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18 Complete the sentences. Choose the correct words from the box. There is one extra word.

fatter harder better youngest greyer bigger longer

- 1 Benjamin was the same, just a little
- 2 The farm was now.
- 3 The pigs and dogs were, but they never worked to make food.
- 4 It was a wonderful thing, even for the animals.
- 5 The sheep started singing their new song: “Four legs good, two legs !”
- 6 The animals on Animal Farm work than on other farms.

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19 Write the plural forms of these words.

- 1 enemy
- 2 goose
- 3 hoof
- 4 puppy
- 5 sheep
- 6 slave

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20 Match the words in the box with the definitions. There are two extra words.

windmill gate barn rebellion corn ribbon order whip poison slave

- 1 You eat or drink this and then you die.
- 2 People wear this in their hair.
- 3 A large building for animals, machinery and other things on a farm.
- 4 A yellow plant that grows in fields on a farm.
- 5 A tall building with long arms that turn in the wind.
- 6 A long and thin thing that people sometimes use to hit slow animals.
- 7 A door between two fields, or in a garden.
- 8 When people, or, in this story, animals, agree together to stop following orders.

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