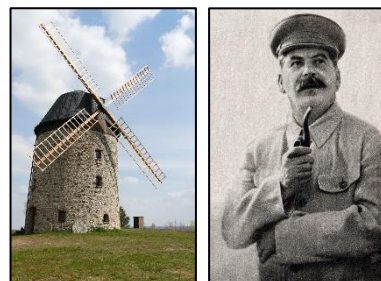
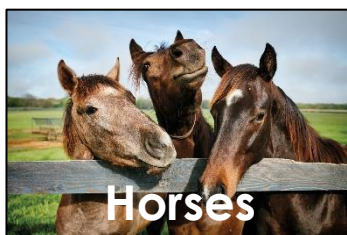
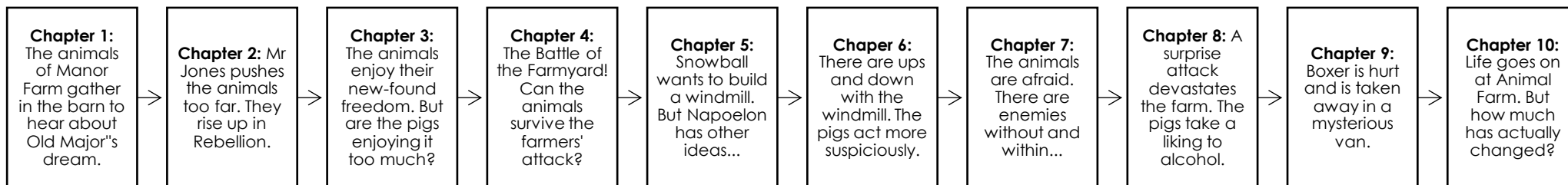


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**Allegory** – a story with a hidden meaning

**Animalism** – the beliefs expressed in the Seven Commandments

**Anthropomorphism** - when non-human entities (animals or objects) are given human characteristics

**Character** – a person in a story

**Characterisation** – the creation of a character

**Communism** – a system in which all property is owned by the community and each person contributes and receives according to their ability and needs

**Karl Marx** – wrote a theory about the struggles between the workers and their leaders

**Lenin** – Leader of the Russian Revolution

**Russian Revolution** – when the Bolsheviks (communists) took control of Russia in 1917

**Seven Commandments** – the rules that the animals of Animal Farm follow

**Socialism** – a system which advocates that the means of production, distribution, and exchange should be owned or regulated by the community as a whole

**Soviet Union** – a nation of socialist republics, chiefly Russia

**Stalin** – a dictator of the Soviet Union

**Theme** – an idea explored by a writer

Characters

- Napoleon** – a ruthless and cunning pig
- Snowball** – an intellectual pig
- Squealer** – a pig who is very good at talking
- Boxer** – a hardworking horse
- Mr Jones** – a cruel farmer who neglects his animals
- Pilkington** – a farmer who wants to trade with Animal Farm
- Frederick** – a farmer who wants to trade with Animal Farm
- Old Major** – an old pig with a hopeful dream for the future

