

## Sample C Q1

Old Major gave his speech about the dream he had the previous night, I feel this is a key event as this speech was a stepping stone to the rebellion because if this didn't happen I feel the rebellion wouldn't have either.

Old Major taught all of the animals the song Beasts of England then the animals continued to sing it throughout the night, this is quite significant as whenever an argument breaks out between the animals the sheep are always there to sing Beasts of England which calms them down.

Three nights after the speech Old Major died in his sleep and was buried at the foot of the orchard, this is a key event as when he died the rebellion soon started to take shape.

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Mr. Jones awoke when he heard all the noise coming from the barn so he shot at the barn scaring all the animals back to their sleeping quarters, this is a key event as this stopped the animals continuing to sing songs of England throughout the whole night, as it may have progressed.

Old Major told all of the animals what the humans were like so they knew what they were up against when the rebellion started that is why I picked it out to be quite a key event.

b) The writer uses very positive language throughout the extract, showing the animals were successful and were actually capable of running the farm themselves, for example "they explained that by their studies of the past three months the pigs had succeeded in reducing the principles of animalism to seven commandments" this shows that the animals were successful at running the farm and making their own rules to go by so they don't become like the humans.

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The writer shows the seven commandments in the book as quite important as they are bullet pointed as they would be on the barn wall and all commandments are in the animals best intentions, for example "the commandments were written on the faded wall in great white letters that could be read thirty yards away," this shows the commandments are of great importance and are to be obeyed by.

c)

Snowball seems to be the most intelligent character in the book as he is more capable than the other animals, for example "Then Snowball (for it was snowball) who was best at writing) took a brush between his two nuckles of his trotter painted out Manor farm from the top bar of the gate and in its name painted Animal Farm," this shows he is more intelligent and capable than the others as he had the task of ~~rep~~ painting on the new name of the farm, Animal Farm.

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Also he was shown as the most outgoing character as he had to also paint on the seven commandments with great difficulty for example "With some difficulty snowball (for it is not easy for a pig to balance on a ladder) snowball climbed up and set to work" this shows he is very committed to the other animals.

d) napoleon tries to deceive the other animals in thinking that it was snowball who destroyed the windmill and sentenced him to death, for example "Here and now I pronounce the death sentence upon snowball" this is where one of the seven commandments are broken as they state "No animal shall kill any other animal"

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