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energetic	Vicious	faster	Received responsibility
Get what he wants	Fruit farm	Most important	New view

Linkers

What linkers are synonyms for: "but"? What kind of linker is "but"? What can you use it to do? Replace the linkers in the text. (4 in total)

Write five questions based on the characters and the narrative in the text.

Old Major	Trotsky
Napoleon	Czar Nicholas II (previous ruler before the revolution)
Snowball	Karl Marx
Mr. Jones	Stalin

What kind of motifs does Orwell use?

What kinds of animals represent each historical character?

What does Orwell choice of animal tell you about the characters? What does this choice tell you about how Orwell sees these historical characters?

What do you notice about the language of the text? Is it complex? Are there any spelling difference from American English?