## **Objective**

By the end of this lesson, you will have a better understanding of the themes and characters in Animal Farm.

## **Materials and Prep**

- Copy of Animal Farm by George Orwell
- Paper and pen

No prior knowledge needed, just bring your curiosity and enthusiasm!

## **Activities**

- **Character Sketch:** Choose a character from Animal Farm and create a detailed sketch describing their personality, actions, and motivations.
- **Theme Exploration:** Identify a theme from the book (e.g., power, corruption) and write a short paragraph explaining how it is portrayed in the story.
- **Role Play:** Act out a scene from the book with a family member or friend, taking on the roles of different characters.

## **Talking Points**

- **Equality on the Farm:** "In Animal Farm, all animals are equal, but some animals are more equal than others. What do you think this means?"
- **Power Dynamics:** "Napoleon gains power on the farm by manipulating the other animals. Have you ever seen someone use manipulation to gain power?"
- **Revolutionary Ideas:** "The animals rebel against their human owner to create a better society. Do you think revolutions are always successful in bringing about positive change?"