**Animal Farm Formal Literary Analysis Paper**

**Your Task**: Choose one of the following prompts and type a one-ish page, double-spaced formal response analyzing Animal Farm.

* + Submit your response to turnitin.com by Tuesday, October 24 at 8:00 am.
  + Use quotes from AF as evidence to support your thesis statement (Response to the prompt)
    - Through Chapter 5
  + MLA format

**Prompt Options:**

1. The pigs of Animal Farm use rhetoric and propaganda to drum up support for their new way of life. Which propaganda technique is employed most effectively?
2. Analyze the characterization of Mollie. What role does she play, both literally and allegorically?

**Scoring Rubric:**

Exceeds or Meets Standard Approaching Standard Needs Improvement

15-12 points 11-9 points 8 points or below

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| * Compelling topic/thesis sentence * Resonant quotations fluently integrated as evidence * Perfect citation format * Creative, complex analysis connects evidence to thesis * Satisfying resolution * Scintillating word choice and editing | * Simple topic/thesis sentence * Relevant quotations used as evidence * Inconsistent citation format * Simple analysis connects evidence to thesis * Serviceable conclusion sentence * Clear word choice and editing | * Confusing topic/thesis sentence * Factual inaccuracies * Inappropriate evidence presented * Pervasive citation errors * Summary serves as analysis * Conclusion is lacking * Grammar, fluency, and punctuation issues confuse the reader * Format Issues |