



1984

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Chapters 1–2

1 Match these people (a–e), with their words (1–5).

- a Winston
- b The girl with dark hair (Julia)
- c O'Brien
- d Mrs Parsons
- e The Parsons boy
 - 1) 'Pig! Pig!'
 - 2) 'You're a *thoughtcriminal*!'
 - 3) 'Down with Big Brother.'
 - 4) 'They wanted to see the Eurasian prisoners hang.'
 - 5) 'We shall meet in the place where there is no dark.'

2 Answer these questions about the book.

- a In what month does *1984* begin?
.....
- b Where does Winston live?
.....
- c Who are Winston's neighbours?
.....
- d Is Winston a happy man?
.....

Chapters 3–4

3 Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- a Winston works in the Ministry of Love. ☐
- b Ogilvy had been a real hero. ☐
- c Winston thinks that one of these days Syme will be vaporized. ☐
- d Parsons is proud of his son. ☐
- e In *1984* it was dangerous to do anything alone, even go for a walk. ☐
- f Winston's friends were vaporized in the 1950s. ☐
- g Katherine was the name of Winston's wife. ☐
- h She had an interesting face, until you found out that there was almost nothing behind it. ☐
- i The owner of the shop had hair that was black but his face looked surprisingly old. ☐
- j There was no window in the room that the man showed to Winston. ☐

Chapters 5–6

4 Choose words from box to complete the sentences.

message Big Brother Victory Mr Charrington
make-up prole Mansions money mask rat

- a Winston arrives at Square.
- b Julia gives Winston a

- c Julia is standing next to a picture of
- d Julia puts on
- e Julia throws a shoe at a

Chapters 7–8

5 Underline the correct name.

- a They vaporized *Mrs Parsons* / *Syme*.
- b Winston and Julia visit *O'Brien* / *proles*.
- c *Ampleforth* / *Mr Charrington* is a member of the Thought Police.
- d O'Brien gives Winston a book by *Goldstein* / *Mr Charrington*.
- e Winston talks about the book with *Julia* / *Syme*.

Chapters 9–10

6 Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.

- a 'God' / poem / a / leaves / Ampleforth / in
.....
- b *thoughtcrime* / guilty / thinks / of / Parsons / is / he
.....
- c Julia / O'Brien / Winston / betrayed / that / says
.....
- d do not / our enemies, / their thoughts / We / destroy / we change /
.....
- e five / Two / make / two / and
.....

7 Write the correct names.

- a Who had a large weak body and nervous movements?
- b Who believes that he is guilty?
- c Who did they get a long time ago?
.....
- d Who said he was an East Asian spy and that he had murdered his wife?
- e Who betrayed Winston?

Chapters 11–12

8 Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- a Winston thought that O'Brien had the face of a strong, young man. ☐
- b Winston knew that the rats would never reach his face. ☐
- c Winston goes to the Chestnut Tree Restaurant. ☐
- d Julia had become fatter when Winston saw her for the last time. ☐
- e At the end of the novel Winston believes that $2 + 2 = 5$. ☐