

## Chapter 9: The Pig, the Bullocks, the Sheep, the Pony and the Nanny-Goat

1. What do you think will happen in this chapter?

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2. Why did George's mum drop the milk?



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3. Why would George's dad want larger animals?

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4. What was the Pony called? \_\_\_\_\_

5. List the advantages and disadvantages of giving George's medicine to the animals.

Advantages 	Disadvantages 

**Scanning skills:** Read each section of the chapter. There are some mistakes. Put a circle around the wrong words and write what the word(s) should be in the boxes below.

At that moment, George's mother came back from the cinema. She was carrying a bag of popcorn and a bottle of coke. The first thing she saw was the giant dog; it was much bigger than George. She dropped the popcorn. She stared at the dog. She was unable to say anything. "Look at that, Mandy," Grandma shouted from the rooftop

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The George's father arrived. His name was Mr Kranky. He was a big man with a small head. He was horrible to George but he got very angry about everything. Even small things made him angry. The giant hen made him VERY, VERY angry. He started hopping and waving his fists.

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When everyone looked at the hen, they saw it had laid a giant egg, the size of a basketball. "You can make cakes for 40 people with that egg!" Mrs Kranky said.

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Mr Kranky wanted to have bigger animals on his farm. With big animals, he could sell more hamburgers. They went to see all the animals: the dogs, the bullocks, the sheep, the horse and the goat. They gave medicine to some of them. And they watched them all get bigger and fatter.

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