Introductory Paragraph

Animal Farm as an Analogy to the Soviet Union

Catchy start:

Background information:

Title: *Animal Farm*

Author: George Orwell

Written in 1944- Russian Revolution had just occurred

Book of rebellion-

Purpose of the book- to reflect the current time period

of the Russian Revolution without getting into

trouble.

Uses personification, animals are used to represent

historical figures

Thesis statement:

* *Animal Farm* is said to be an extended analogy of the Soviet Union during the Russian Revolution.
* Life on Animal Farm represents the Soviet Union during the Russian Revolution.

You might define analogy. If you use a dictionary, quote it.

Proof/mini-outline:

* corresponding events
* Battles (Russian and Animal Farm)
* Deaths
* Exiles
* Social class treatment
* corresponding characters
* leaders
* social classes (working class vs elite/power)
* use of propaganda
* use of secret police

Use 1-3 sentences to state which of the above will prove the thesis. Do not announce. Do not say “I” or “you.”