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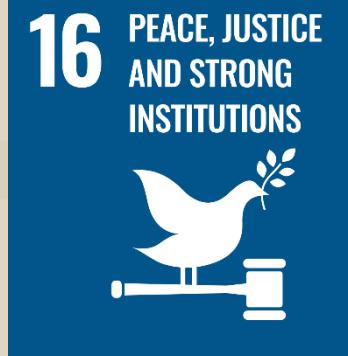
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1984 BY GEORGE ORWELL
SDG 16 : PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTION

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INTRODUCTION

George Orwell's 1984 is a novel published in 1949 that explores themes of totalitarianism, surveillance, and thought control. Set in a future society ruled by the oppressive Party and its leader, Big Brother, the novel follows Winston Smith, a man who dares to question the regime. Through extreme surveillance, censorship, and psychological manipulation, the Party enforces absolute loyalty, erasing individual freedom and truth. Orwell's work serves as a warning about the dangers of unchecked government power and propaganda. 1984 remains highly relevant today, highlighting the importance of truth, justice, and strong institutions—values aligned with SDG 16, which advocates for peace, justice, and accountable governance to prevent such authoritarian control.



FORCED LOYALTY AND PSYCHOLOGICAL MANIPULATION



01

Thought Control and the Thought Police

The Party does not just control actions but also thoughts. Citizens are constantly monitored for any sign of dissent, and the Thought Police punish those who even think rebellious thoughts

02

Constant Surveillance

Citizens live under constant surveillance through telescreens, microphones, and informants, making rebellion nearly impossible.

03

Erasing History and Truth

The Party rewrites history to fit its current narrative, making truth irrelevant. This manipulation ensures that people cannot challenge the Party's version of reality, preventing rebellion and solidifying loyalty.

04

Psychological Torture (Room 101)

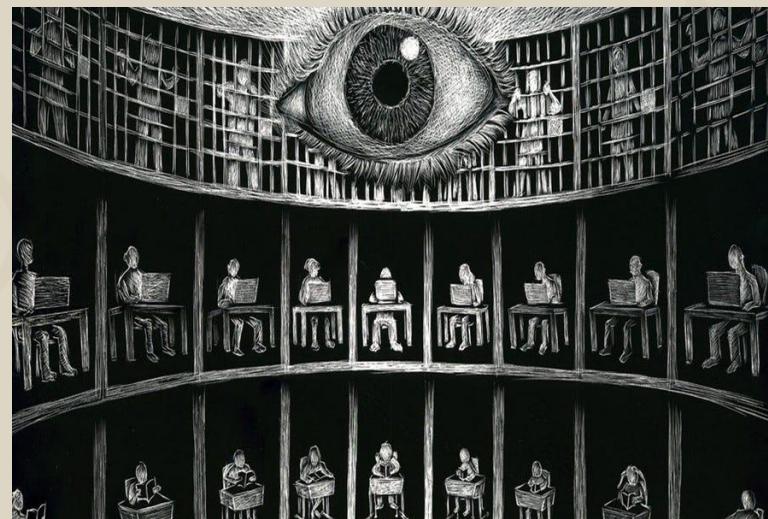
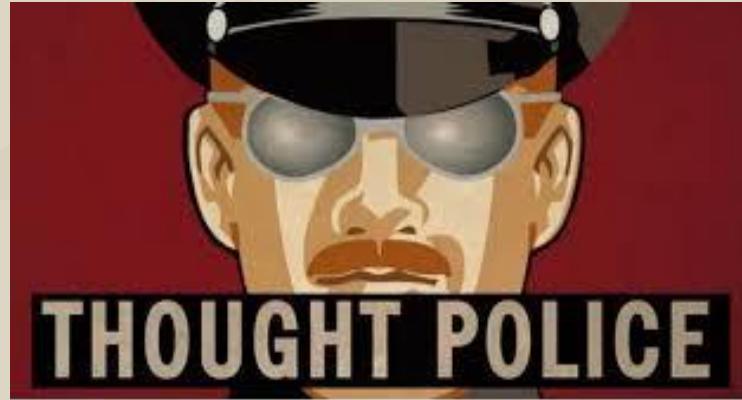
Winston Smith, the protagonist, is tortured in Room 101, where he is forced to betray his love for Julia. By using his worst fear, the Party ensures not only obedience but also emotional submission.

Thought Control and the Thought Police

Enforcers of ideology, crushing dissent,
Watching minds for "wrongthink," intent.
Words unspoken, yet punished the same,
Fear breeds silence, thought tamed.
No rebellion in whispers or dreams
Big Brother sees all, or so it seems.

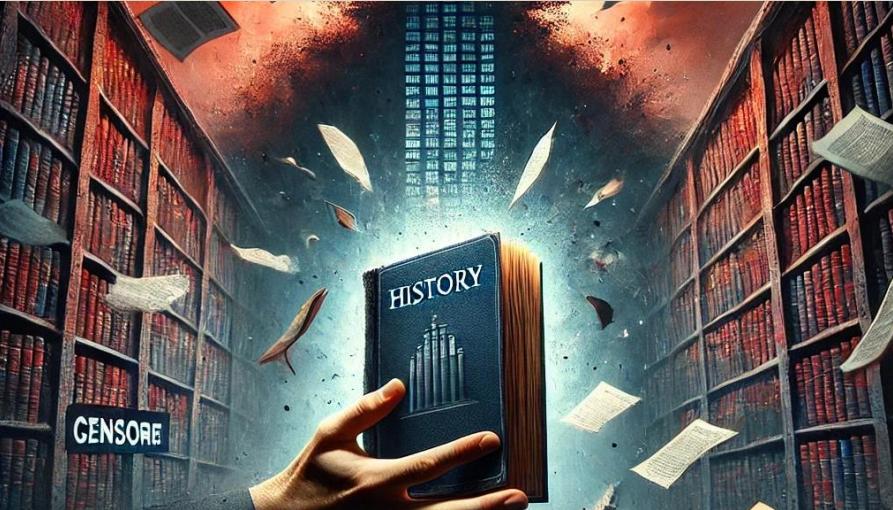
Constant Surveillance

Eyes in walls, screens that stare,
Every breath tracked, everywhere.
Telescreens whisper, "We see you,"
No shadows left, no moments true.
Trust is treason, silence—a crime,
Big Brother owns your thoughts and time.



Erasing History and Truth

The past is rewritten, facts undone,
Records vanish at the Party's command.
Truth is fluid, reshaped each day,
Who controls the past controls today.
No proof remains, no memory stays—
Oceania's lies are all that weigh.



Psychological Torture (Room 101)

The worst thing imaginable, tailored just for you—
A cage of pure terror where resistance is through.
Not just pain, but the shattering of self,
Forced betrayal, love crushed to dust.
Break the mind, own the soul,
In Room 101, all men fold.

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Justice and Human Rights Violations in 1984

George Orwell's *1984* is a novel that vividly portrays a totalitarian regime where justice and human rights are systematically violated. These violations align with several targets under SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions), which aims to promote just, peaceful, and inclusive societies. Below are key instances from the novel that relate to SDG 16:

1. Absence of Rule of Law & Arbitrary Justice
 - The Party enforces laws arbitrarily, with no fair trial
 - People are arrested without evidence or legal defense

Some phrases from novels:-

- "Who controls the past controls the future. Who controls the present controls the past."
- "We do not destroy the heretic because he resists us; so long as he resists us, we never destroy him."
- "The Party seeks power entirely for its own sake."



2. Torture & Inhumane Treatment

- The Ministry of Love specializes in torture and psychological manipulation.
- Winston is brutally tortured in Room 101 until he betrays Julia and submits to Big Brother.

Some phrases from novels:-

- "You will be hollow. We shall squeeze you empty, and then we shall fill you with ourselves."
- "How many fingers am I holding up, Winston?"
- "Pain was not the thing you feared. What you feared was your own betrayal."

3. Surveillance State & Lack of Privacy

- Telescreens and the Thought Police monitor citizens 24/7, eliminating freedom of thought and expression.
- Winston's diary is a crime, and even facial expressions can lead to punishment.

Some phrases from novels:-

- "Big Brother is Watching You."
- "There was of course no way of knowing whether you were being watched at any given moment."



4. Propaganda & Historical Revisionism

- The Ministry of Truth rewrites history to fit Party narratives, making truth subjective.
- This undermines accountability and institutional integrity.

Some phrases from novels:-

- "Who controls the past controls the future. Who controls the present controls the past."
- "Every record has been destroyed or falsified, every book rewritten, every picture repainted, every statue and street building renamed... History has stopped."



5. Forced Confessions & False Justice

- The Party extracts false confessions through torture .
- Public executions serve as spectacles of fear rather than justice.

Some phrases from novels:-

- "**Confession is not enough. You must repent.**"
- "**You are guilty of whatever crimes the Party chooses.**"

CORRUPTION AND ABUSE OF POWER

1. Totalitarian Control & Manipulation of Truth (Institutional Corruption)

The Party engages in systemic corruption by erasing truth and manipulating records.



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2. Abuse of Power Through Surveillance & Fear

The Thought Police and telescreens invade privacy, punishing even "thoughtcrimes," demonstrating unchecked state power.

3. Fear Tactics

The Thought Police ensure total obedience through fear, eliminating any hope for fair governance or human rights.

4. Arbitrary Punishment

There is no legal system that protects citizens—only arbitrary punishment and executions. People are imprisoned or vaporized without due process

"We control matter because we control the mind."

1. Totalitarian Control & Manipulation of Truth (Institutional Corruption)

- The Party maintains power through constant surveillance ,propaganda spread by Ministry of Truth, and rewriting history to fit its narrative.
- The Ministry of Truth involves falsifying records to erase inconvenient truths, showing systemic corruption in institutions.





*"We shall squeeze you empty and then we shall fill you with
ourselves."*

"Thoughtcrime does not entail death: thoughtcrime IS death."

2. Abuse of Power Through Surveillance & Fear

- Mass Surveillance & Erosion of Privacy
- Fear as a Tool of Control
- Manipulation of Language to Restrict Thought

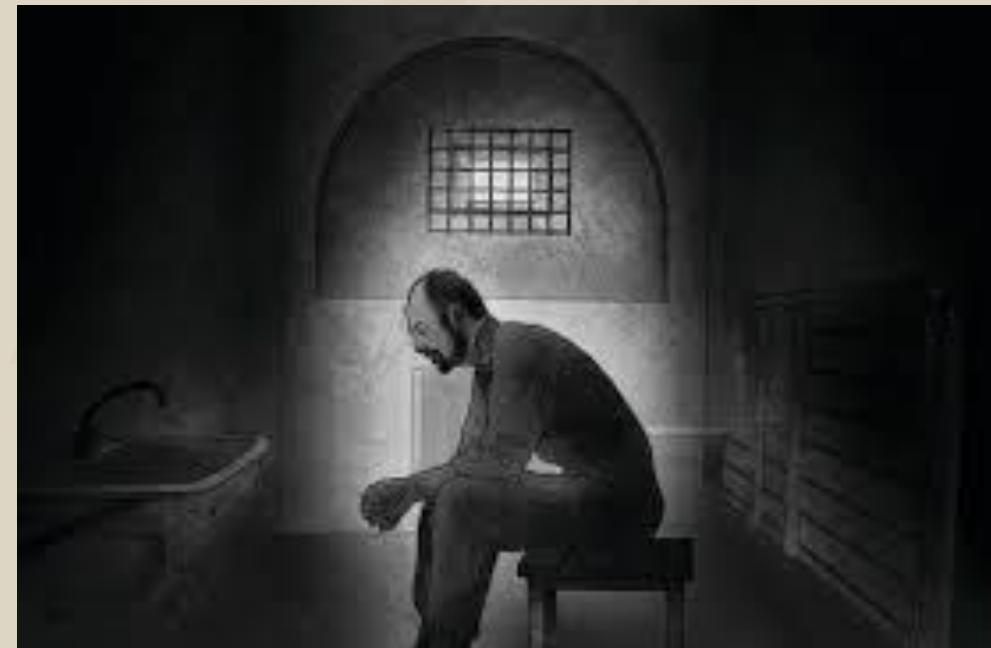


3. Fear Tactics

- Perpetual Surveillance & the Illusion of Omniscience
- Public Executions & the "Two Minutes Hate"
- Psychological Torture & Breaking the Mind

4.Arbitrary Punishment

- **No Rule of Law – Punishment Without Trial**
- **"Disappearances" No Record, No Accountability**
- **Torture as Standard Procedure – No Due Process**



FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND THOUGHT

01

Totalitarian Control & Thought Suppression

In 1984, the Party, led by Big Brother, exercises extreme control over people's thoughts through constant surveillance, propaganda, and psychological manipulation.

02

Newspeak & Language Manipulation

The Party develops Newspeak, a language designed to limit free thought by reducing the complexity of language, thereby eliminating concepts like "freedom" and "rebellion."

03

Thoughtcrime & Fear-Based Control

The Thought Police monitor citizens, ensuring that no one can express ideas contrary to the Party's ideology, completely erasing freedom of thought.

04

The Role of Propaganda

The Party spreads misinformation and controls historical records to manipulate citizens' beliefs, ensuring that only state-approved "truths" exist.

Totalitarian Control & Thought Suppression

- In 1984, George Orwell explores the dangers of totalitarianism by depicting a society where the ruling Party, led by Big Brother, exerts absolute control over every aspect of life. One of the most terrifying aspects of this control is the suppression of independent thought, ensuring that citizens remain obedient and incapable of rebellion.
- The Party maintains total control over society through a combination of **surveillance, propaganda, and psychological manipulation**. It dictates how people think, speak, and even perceive reality. The slogan "**WAR IS PEACE, FREEDOM IS SLAVERY, IGNORANCE IS STRENGTH**" encapsulates the Party's strategy of using contradictory ideas to control minds.



Newspeak & Language Manipulation

- In 1984, George Orwell introduces Newspeak, a carefully engineered language designed by the Party to limit free thought and control the population. By manipulating language, the Party ensures that rebellious or independent ideas become impossible to express, ultimately shaping how people think and behave.
- Newspeak is the official language of Oceania, created to replace Oldspeak (standard English). Its purpose is to narrow the range of thought by eliminating words associated with rebellion, freedom, or critical thinking.



“The Revolution will be complete when the language is perfect.”

George Orwell (1984)

Thoughtcrime & Fear-Based Control

- In 1984, George Orwell presents a terrifying vision of a society where even a person's private thoughts are policed. The Party uses Thoughtcrime and fear-based control to ensure absolute obedience, eliminating any possibility of rebellion.

- What is Thoughtcrime?

Thoughtcrime is the act of having thoughts that go against the Party's ideology. Even if someone never expresses their disloyalty out loud, merely thinking rebellious ideas is considered a severe crime.

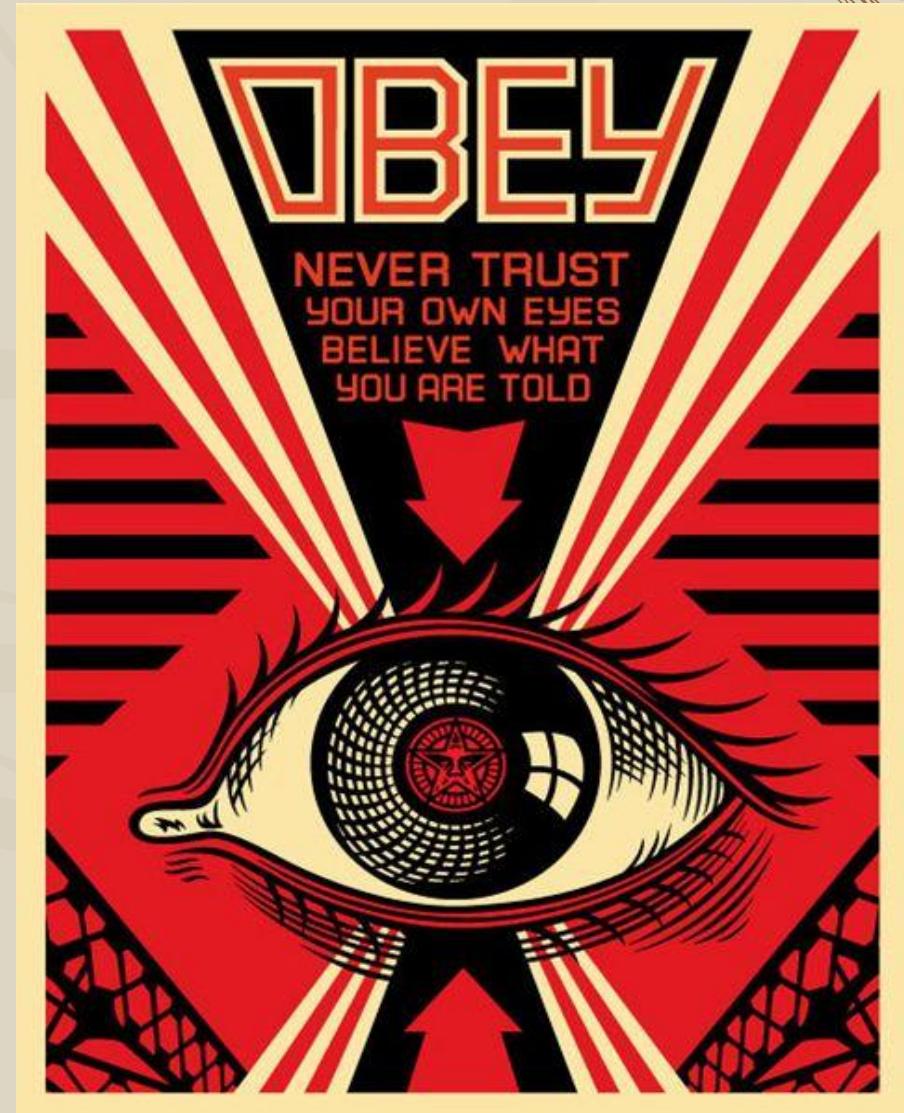
- The Party enforces Thoughtcrime through the Thought Police, a secret force that spies on citizens and arrests those who display signs of disloyalty.



The Role of Propaganda

In 1984, George Orwell demonstrates how **propaganda** is a powerful tool used by totalitarian regimes to control the minds of citizens. The Party, led by **Big Brother**, constantly manipulates information to shape reality, ensuring that people remain obedient and unquestioning.

- The image of Big Brother is one of the most powerful propaganda tools in 1984. His face appears everywhere with the slogan:
 “BIG BROTHER IS WATCHING YOU”
- The Ministry of Truth (where Winston works) is ironically named, as its real purpose is to spread lies.
- Winston alters past newspapers to **make it seem like the Party predicted everything correctly**. If the Party says “We have always been at war with **Eastasia**,” past records are changed to reflect that—even if it was previously Oceania’s ally.



Thank you!

