

Romeo and Juliet - Work Sheet

IV. Act II:

A. Scene 1:

1. What is the setting?
2. What is the weather like?
3. What does Benvolio want to do? Why?
4. How does Mercutio respond?
5. Who arrives on the scene next?
6. Who is he looking for?
7. What does Tybalt do when Romeo arrives?
8. How does Romeo reply?
9. Why?
10. What does Mercutio do? Why?
11. What kind of fight do Mercutio and Tybalt have?
12. How does it end?
13. How did this come about?

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8. Who does Mercutio curse? Why?

9. How does Romeo react to Mercutio's death?

10. What happens in this encounter?

11. How does Romeo feel about this outcome?

12. What does Lady Capulet want the Prince to do as a result?

13. A) Who does the Prince ask to tell the story?

B) What do the Capulets have to say about this story? Why?

14. What is the Prince's judgment?

B. Scene 2:

1. What is the setting?

2. What is Juliet wishing for? Why? (II. 5-13)

3. What does she think should be done with Romeo when he dies?

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3A) When the Nurse arrives with the news, whom does Juliet think is dead at first?

B) How does Juliet react to this?

4. Who else does Juliet think is dead starting with line 44?

5. At what line does Juliet finally hear what happened?

6A) How does Juliet react to this at first?

B) What changes her attitude?

C) What reasoning does Juliet use? What would have happened if Romeo had not killed Tybalt?

D) What word causes "death" to Juliet and upsets her the most?

Why?

7A) What does the Nurse decide to do?

B) What does Juliet give the Nurse to take to Romeo?

For what
8. ~~Why~~ is Juliet weeping ~~the~~ most?

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C) Scene 3 :

1. What is the setting?

2. What does Friar Laurence come in to tell Romeo?

3A) How does Romeo react to this?

B) What does he wish for instead?

C) Why?

4. What does Friar Laurence think of Romeo's reaction? Why?
(ll 24-28)

5. What does Romeo want to do?
(ll 34-36)?

6. What does Romeo say of Friar Laurence's stand? (ll 54-60)

7A) Who arrives?

B) How does Romeo respond to her?

C) What does he attempt to do?

8A) How does Friar Laurence react now?

B) What three things does he say Romeo should be happy about?
(ll 109-116)

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9. What instructions does Friar Laurence give Romeo?

10. What instructions does Friar Laurence give the Nurse?

D) Scene 4:

1. What is the setting?

2. What are the Capulets and Paris discussing?

3A) What does Capulet decide to do?

B) When?

E) Scene 5:

1. What is the setting?

2. What time of day is it?

3. What are Romeo and Juliet disagreeing about?

4. How does Romeo finally respond?
(11 17-21)

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5. Then what does Juliet realize and how does she respond?

6. What does the Nurse come to tell them?

7A) How often does Juliet want to hear from Romeo?

B) Why?

8. When does Romeo say he will send messages?

9A) What did Romeo remind Juliet of?
(11 44-47)

B) What does this foreshadow?

10A) What does Juliet have doubts about?

B) What does Romeo say?

11A) Why does Juliet's mother think Juliet is weeping?

B) Why is Juliet really weeping?

12. There are several lines with double meanings in this passage. Explain in each what Juliet means and what her mother thinks she means.
A) lines 72-75

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B) lines 65-68

C) lines 85-88

D) lines 89-92

3. What do the Capulets plan to do about Romeo?

4A) What "joyful tidings" has Juliet's mother brought?

B) Why?

5A) How does Juliet react to these "tidings"?

B) And how does Lady Capulet react to Juliet?

6A) Why will she be sorry for making the comment that she makes?

A) What does Lady Capulet wish for Juliet?

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7. What does Juliet's father have to say about Juliet's attitude? What will he do to her if she doesn't obey him?

8. Who sticks up for Juliet?

9A) What does Juliet ask of her mother?

B) How does her mother respond?

10A) What does the Nurse say when Juliet asks her for help?

B) Why?

11A) What does Juliet tell the Nurse?

B) Does Juliet really feel comforted by the Nurse?

12A) What does Juliet plan to do now?

B) What will she do if she gets no help there?

13. How does she feel toward the Nurse now?