

Subject: ENGLISH

Year 9 Spring term (Terms 2a and 2b) Jan-March

ROMEO AND JULIET

Topic: Drama (Shakespeare) 'Romeo & Juliet'

Assessment: READING character analysis

RESOURCES:

- Copy of play.
- Audiobook accessed via YouTube: [Romeo & Juliet - FULL #audiobook](#)   by William Shakespeare | [Greatest AudioBooks - YouTube](#)

Prologue 00:02:35

Act 1 00:03:53 - 00:44:15

Act 2 00:45:36 – 01:23:19

Act 3 01:23:19 - 02:11:20

Act 4 02:11:20 - 02:35:58

Act 5 02:35:58 – 03:03:28

1. Use the links to create a factsheet about these areas:
[About Shakespeare - Shakespeare's life and inspirations - BBC Bitesize](#)
[Shakespeare's Theatre | i.am.Will Shakespeare | BBC Teach - YouTube](#)
1) Shakespeare's Life
2) Shakespeare's Theatre

Watch the Animated Tales version of Romeo & Juliet and use the BBC Bitesize link to create a plot summary of the key events:

[Video SparkNotes: Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet summary - YouTube](#)

[Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet plot summary - Romeo and Juliet - Shakespeare - KS3 English - Bitesize - BBC Bitesize](#)

2. Listen to the YouTube audio book for **Act 1** and create a summary of events and characters (including some key quotations). *This may take more than one lesson.*
3. Listen to the YouTube audio book for **Act 2** and create a summary of events and characters (including some key quotations). *This may take more than one lesson.*
4. Listen to the YouTube audio book for **Act 3** and create a summary of events and characters (including some key quotations). *This may take more than one lesson.*
5. Listen to the YouTube audio book for **Act 4** and create a summary of events and characters (including some key quotations). *This may take more than one lesson.*
6. Listen to the YouTube audio book for **Act 5** and create a summary of events and characters (including some key quotations). *This may take more than one lesson.*
7. Watch the Leonardo DiCaprio film version accessed via your English class' MSTEams page. *This may take more than one lesson.*
8. Plot recap. Create your own plot summary journey poster using all the info on the links below. *This may take more than one lesson.*
 1. Read the info on this page: [Romeo and Juliet Act-by-Act Plot Synopsis | Shakespeare Learning Zone \(rsc.org.uk\)](#)

2. Work through the tasks on this page: [Romeo and Juliet - Plot summary - Plot summary - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize](#)
3. Watch this video: [Plot summary - Eduqas - Video - GCSE English Literature - BBC Bitesize](#)
4. Complete the test on BBC Bitesize: [Romeo and Juliet - Plot summary test questions - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - BBC Bitesize](#)

9. Character study – Romeo

Use the links about Romeo and create a summary of information, vocabulary and quotations related to him.

[Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet - Romeo - Romeo and Juliet - Shakespeare - KS3 English - Bitesize - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Romeo Montague in Romeo and Juliet - Characters - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize](#)

10. Character study – Juliet

Use the links about Juliet and create a summary of information, vocabulary and quotations related to her.

[Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet - Juliet - Romeo and Juliet - Shakespeare - KS3 English - Bitesize - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Juliet Capulet in Romeo and Juliet - Characters - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize](#)

11. Character study – Mercutio

Use the links about Mercutio and create a summary of information, vocabulary and quotations related to him.

[Mercutio in Romeo and Juliet - Characters - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Mercutio: Character Analysis - YouTube](#)

12. Character study – Tybalt

Use the links about Tybalt and create a summary of information, vocabulary and quotations related to him.

[Tybalt Capulet in Romeo and Juliet - Characters - Eduqas - GCSE English Literature Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Tybalt: Character Analysis - YouTube](#)