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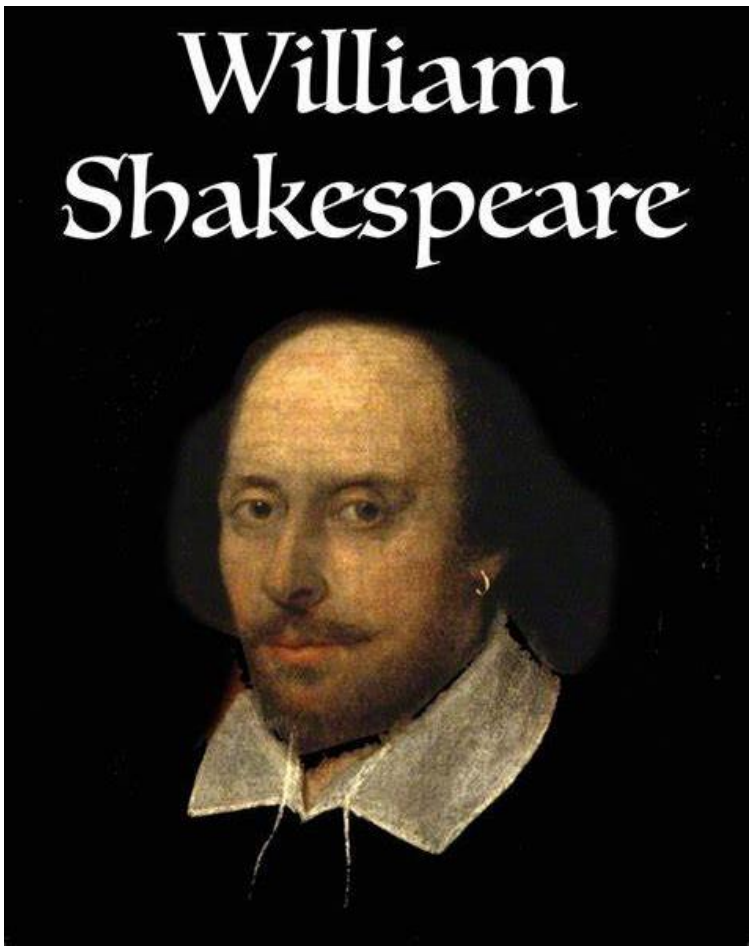
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Form 6

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(Shakespeare's Tragedies)

Part 4



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William Shakespeare

- Shakespeare was an English poet, playwright, and actor, widely regarded as the greatest writer in the English language and the world's greatest dramatist.

- His plays have been translated into every major living language and are performed more often than those of any other playwright.

- Shakespeare was born and raised in Stratford. At the age of 18, he married Anne Hathaway, with whom he had three children: Susanna and twins Hamnet and Judith. Sometimes between 1585 and 1592, he began a successful career in London as an actor, writer, and part-owner of a playing company.

- At age 49 (around 1613), he appears to have retired to Stratford, where he died three years later.

- Shakespeare produced most of his known works between 1589 and 1613. His early plays were comedies and histories and are regarded as some of the best work produced in these genres.

- Until about 1608, he wrote mainly **tragedies**, among them **Hamlet, Othello**, **King Lear**, and **Macbeth**, all considered to be among the finest works in the English language. In the last phase of his life, he wrote tragicomedies (also known as romances).

- Many of Shakespeare's plays were published in editions of varying quality and accuracy in his lifetime.

- Throughout the 20th and 21st centuries, Shakespeare's works have been continually adapted and rediscovered by new movements in scholarship and performance.

- His plays remain popular and are studied, performed, and reinterpreted through various cultural and political contexts around the world.

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The main characters of Othello

Othello: He was a famous black general in Venice.

Iago: He was an ensign. He was evil. He invented a wicked plan to be a lieutenant.

Desdemona: She was a senator's daughter. She loved Othello and married him.

Cassio: He was Othello's friend. Othello promoted him to be a lieutenant.

Roderigo: He loved Desdemona and wanted to marry her but her father refused.

Emilia: She was Iago's wife. She was honest.

Barbantio: He was a senator in Venice. He was Desdemona's father.

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Story Questions

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Shakespeare's Tragedies
1- Othello

Chapter 1 Iago was unhappy

Answer the following questions:

1-Who was Iago? Why was he so upset with Othello at the beginning of the story?

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2- Write short notes about Othello and why he was an unusual man?

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Comment

3- " I will pretend to serve him, but I will serve myself"

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. How did the speaker serve himself?

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4- " The only magic I used was the magic of my stories."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What made Desdemona fall in love with Othello?

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Chapter 2 Trouble in Cyprus

Answer the following questions:

1- Roderigo was thinking to kill himself. Discuss referring to Iago's advice.

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2-How did Iago make Othello doubt his wife? What was Othello's reaction?

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3– "You are no longer my lieutenant."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What was Iago's advice to solve the problem?

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4- " Ask the general to forgive you and you will soon have your good name back."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What was Iago's wicked plan to get rid of Othello?

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(Chapter 3) The Handkerchief

Answer the following questions:

1- "Good luck doesn't always come to good people. Sometimes it comes to people who don't deserve it" . Discuss.

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2- Iago was an evil man who could invent wicked stories to make Othello doubt his wife. (Mention only one).

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3. Othello was deadly sure that Desdemona was in love with Cassio. Explain

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4- " You are my lieutenant now."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What did the speaker ask the listener to do?

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(Chapter 4) The End of Iago's Plan

Answer the following questions:

1- Lodovico's appearance made the actions more complicated .. How?

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2- Why did Iago want Roderigo to die? What did he do for that?

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3- No man had ever felt sorrier than Othello felt at the end of the story. Discuss.

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4- " You look like a beautiful flower, but you are a weed! You love another man."

a. Who said these words?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What did Emilia tell the speaker?

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d. What happened to Emilia at the end? Do you think she deserve this end?

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Othello..

Complete

1- Roderigo was unhappy because …… …… and asked her father Brabantio if he could marry her, but Brabantio refused because……. ……..

2- Roderigo was angry with Iago because …… …… in order to love Roderigo, but he ……

3- Othello was thinking to kill his wife, so he told Iago to get …… to kill her at night, but Iago said he should …… and Othello …….

4- One night Roderigo and Iago …….., waiting for Cassio. When Cassio came, Roderigo attacked him with his sword, but Cassio ……. . Iago cut Cassio's legs from behind and ……. , leaving the two men …….

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The main characters of Macbeth

Macbeth: He was a clever and brave lord in Scotland. He was the Thane of Glamis.

Lady Macbeth: She was Macbeth's wife. She was very ambitious and evil.

Banquo: He was a brave lord in Scotland. He was Macbeth's friend.

Fleance: He was Banquo's son.

King Duncan: He was the king of Scotland. He was a good king.

Malcolm: He was king Duncan's oldest son. He was the heir of the throne.

Donalbain: He was the youngest son of King Duncan.

Macduff: He was a Scottish lord who helped Malcolm to get his father's throne back.

Lady Macduff: She was Macduff's wife.

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Shakespeare's Tragedies
2- Macbeth

Chapter 1 Three Witches

Answer the following questions:

1- King Duncan was very pleased and grateful to Macbeth and Banquo.. Mention the reason.

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2- What did the three strange beings look like? What did they tell Macbeth and Banquo?

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3- Macbeth was already beginning to look forward to being King, but Malcolm was a problem.. Illustrate.

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4- (Ambition sometimes makes some people hurt others). Discuss referring to Lady Macbeth.

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5. " Why do you hope for something and then not to take it when you have the chance?"

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What did the speaker aim through these words?

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Chapter 2 (Murder!)

Answer the following questions:

1. How did Macbeth and his lady act after murdering King Duncan?

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2- " Go and wash your hands."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. After Macbeth had murdered King Duncan, he did something stupid. What was that?

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3- " What is done is done."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What did the speaker want from Macbeth?

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Chapter 3 More Witches and a Ghost

Answer the following questions:

1- Many lords attended the feast except lord Macduff.. Mention the reason.

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2- " Be bold and brave. Nobody who is born of a woman shall harm Macbeth."

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. What did Macbeth understand from these words?

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3- " You can never say that I did! Don't point your bloody finger at me!"

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. A bloody finger of the ghost of Banquo sent a scary message to Macbeth... Mention it.

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Chapter 4 "The messages come true"

Answer the following questions:

1- The guilty secrets were revealed .. Explain

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2- How was King Macbeth when he prepared his soldiers to fight against the enemy? Why?

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3. Malcolm was a cunning warrior.. Prove

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4– " I was not born. I was taken from my mother's womb before my time".

a. Who said these words and to whom?

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b. What was the occasion?

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c. Evil never lasts forever. Explain referring to the end of Macbeth and his lady.

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Macbeth

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1- The king of Norway felt sure that he could win the war because …….....
in Macdonald's rebellion.

2- Macbeth did not believe the witches until ……arrived from the King and told him that ……..……

3- While the King was …….. and would soon be asleep. Lady Macbeth would give the two guards …… Then Macbeth would enter the King's room and ……...

4- When Donalbain and Malclom heard the news of their ……, they were afraid they ……..., if they stayed in Scotland, so Malclom …….…… , ……..……

5- While they were at the feast, one of Banquo's murderers came to see Macbeth and told him that ……..……. Macbeth was ……, but when he discovered that ……..…… , he was …….……...

6- King Macbeth was the only one who saw …….…… and spoke to him. The lords thought that King Macbeth was …… and they all wanted to ……. Lady Macbeth told them that that …… and they should not worry about it.

7- Macbeth wanted to go to the witches again because …… ……