

**ADAPTED / MODIFIED
WRITING RESPONSE ACTIVITIES**

Supporting the play

Romeo and Juliet
By
William Shakespeare



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Conflict



Conflict is a clash of feelings or interests; a struggle between opposing principles; a feud.

1. Complete the quotation from the Prologue, that shows the long-standing feud between the two families, the Capulets and the Montagues.

Two households, both alike in dignity,

2. Sampson and Gregory are Capulet servants. Circle the words that describe their personalities and attitudes toward the Montagues.

sinister

violent sexuality

bawdy

peaceful

3. List three things that the Capulet servants will do to the Montague servants to make them begin the sword fight.(Lines 37, 38, 40)

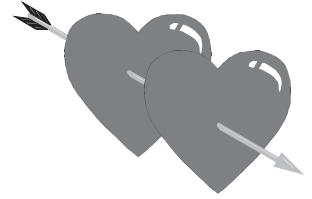
a. _____

b. _____

c. _____



6. Montague and Lady Montague were very concerned about their son, Romeo.



Complete the quotation from lines 128-129 that show how Romeo was acting.

Many a morning hath he _____.

7. Romeo was behaving in an unnatural way. Write three more words that would describe his actions.

⊗ *depressed* ⊗ _____ ⊗ _____ ⊗ _____

8. Read the conversation between Romeo and Benvolio at the end of Scene one and tell the reason for Romeo's state of mind.

Romeo is _____.

9. Benvolio advised Romeo to forget Rosalind (we learn of her name later), who does not return his attentions, and to "examine other beauties".

This means _____



ACT ONE, SCENE TWO

10. YOUR THOUGHTS

- a. Do you think Capulet showed concern for his daughter when Paris asked to marry Juliet? Tell the reason why he didn't agree.

Capulet didn't want Paris to marry Juliet because _____
_____.

- b. Do you think Capulet was a kind and fair father to Juliet?

Yes _____ No _____

Complete the quotation from lines 17-19 that show how Capulet felt about his daughter.

'My will to her consent is but a part;

_____.

11. Write an invitation to the dinner at the Capulets.

