

Romeo and Juliet

William Shakespeare

1 Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- a ___ Duke Escalus is a Capulet.
- b ___ Romeo is a Capulet.
- c ___ Romeo meets Juliet at her house.
- d ___ Mercutio kills Tybalt.
- e ___ Juliet wants to marry Paris.
- f ___ Romeo leaves Verona and goes to Mantua.
- g ___ Father Lawrence gives Juliet a sleeping medicine.
- h ___ Father John gives Romeo a message from Father Lawrence.
- i ___ Juliet is dead when Romeo finds her in the tomb.
- j ___ Romeo is dead when Juliet finds him in the tomb.

20 marks

2 Put these sentences in the right order. Number them 1–10.

- a ___ Father Lawrence agrees to marry Romeo and Juliet.
- b ___ Romeo meets Juliet for the first time.
- c ___ The Capulets think that Juliet is dead.
- d ___ Romeo leaves Verona.
- e ___ Romeo is in love with Rosaline.
- f ___ The Capulets arrange the wedding with Paris.
- g ___ Romeo returns to Verona.
- h ___ Romeo talks to Juliet in the garden.
- i ___ Romeo and his friends go to the party.
- j ___ Tybalt dies.

20 marks

3 Who said this? *Romeo, Juliet, Tybalt, Father Lawrence, Juliet's Nurse, Prince Escalus, Lord Capulet*

- a 'Isn't he good looking?'
- b 'The wedding will be on Thursday.'
- c 'When I wake up, I'll be in the tomb.'
- d 'His name is Romeo and he's a Montague. I'm going to kill him!'
- e 'I'm in love with a beautiful girl called Rosaline.'
- f 'She sends you this ring.'
- g 'Stop fighting now!'
- h 'I'm sorry, Mercutio. I was trying to help.'

- i 'My fourteenth birthday is in two weeks.'
- j 'Take this message to Romeo in Mantua.'

20 marks

4 Who, in the play ...? *Romeo, Juliet, Tybalt, Father Lawrence, Juliet's Nurse, Prince Escalus, Lord Capulet, the Shopkeeper*

- a ... drinks a sleeping medicine?
- b ... kills Mercutio?
- c ... tells his daughter to marry Paris?
- d ... wants to stop the Montagues and Capulets from fighting?
- e ... sells poison to Romeo?
- f ... is in love with Rosaline?
- g ... looks after Juliet?
- h ... kills herself with a knife?
- i ... kills Tybalt?
- j ... marries Romeo and Juliet?

20 marks

5 Father Lawrence wrote a letter to Romeo. Complete his letter with these words: *dead, wakes, father, family, Mantua, Verona, tomb, Paris, sleeping, bed*

Dear Romeo,
Father John is bringing this letter to you in (a), because we have some very important news for you. Juliet's (b) and mother want her to marry (c), but Juliet doesn't want to. She is going to drink a special (d) medicine. Tomorrow morning her family will find her in her (e), and think that she is (f) So tomorrow evening she will be in the Capulet's (g) You can come to Verona and find her there tomorrow night when she (h) up. Then you can both leave (i) Her (j) will not look for her because they will think that she is dead.
Father Lawrence

20 marks

Total marks

Setting

Choose the best answer.

- 1 Shakespeare wrote this story more than ____ years ago.
a two hundred b a thousand
c four hundred d fifty
- 2 Romeo and Juliet lived in ____ city.
a an English b a French
c an Italian d an American
- 3 Benvolio didn't want to ____ the Capulets.
a fight b eat with
c go home with d listen to
- 4 Lord Capulet hadn't ____ for twenty years.
a seen Romeo b used a sword
c talked to his wife d talked to his servants
- 5 ____ was angry and told them all to stop fighting.
a Romeo b Paris
c Prince Escalus d Lord Montague
- 6 The argument between the families started ____.
a a long time ago b ten years ago
c last week d last year
- 7 Benvolio saw Romeo ____ at four o'clock in the morning.
a fighting b walking
c sleeping d eating
- 8 Lord Montague wanted ____ to talk to Romeo.
a Lady Montague b Prince Escalus
c Lord Capulet d Benvolio
- 9 Romeo couldn't forget about ____.
a Rosaline b Livia
c the fight d his family
- 10 ____ was having a party in the evening.
a Paris b Prince Escalus
c Juliet d Lord Capulet

20 marks

Characters

Choose the best answer.

- 11 ____ was Romeo's cousin.
a Paris b Benvolio
c Tybalt d Mercutio
- 12 Tybalt was ____ cousin.
a Romeo's b Benvolio's
c Juliet's d Lord Capulet's
- 13 Mercutio was ____ friend.
a Romeo's b Juliet's
c Paris's d Benvolio's

- 14 Juliet had ____ brothers and sisters.
a no b two c three d lots of
- 15 ____ was in love with Rosaline.
a Paris b Benvolio
c Mercutio d Romeo
- 16 ____ was Prince of Verona.
a Paris b Tybalt
c Escalus d Mercutio
- 17 Father ____ was a friend of Father Lawrence.
a George b John c James d Joshua
- 18 ____ stabbed Mercutio.
a Benvolio b Romeo
c Tybalt d Paris
- 19 Romeo and Juliet were married at ____ house.
a Father Lawrence's b Nurse's
c Juliet's d Mercutio's
- 20 ____ killed Paris.
a Juliet b Lord Montague
c Father Lawrence d Romeo

20 marks

Dialogue

Who said this?

- 21 'Stop! Montague! Capulet! Stop fighting now, or I will execute all of you!'
a Benvolio b Prince Escalus
c Lady Montague d Tybalt
- 22 'Lord Capulet, I have something to tell you. You already know that I love your daughter Juliet. Well, I would like to marry her.'
a Romeo b Benvolio
c Tybalt d Paris
- 23 'Don't you want to dance, Romeo?'
a Juliet b Tybalt
c Mercutio d Lord Capulet
- 24 'I'd like to talk to you, Romeo. Alone, please. Juliet asked me to find you. She loves you very much, you know.'
a Nurse b Benvolio
c Mercutio d Tybalt
- 25 'Romeo must die! He's a murderer! He killed my nephew Tybalt!'
a Lord Montague b Lady Montague
c Lady Capulet d Lord Capulet
- 26 'Listen, Romeo. You can go to see Juliet tonight. But then you must leave Verona.'
a Father Lawrence b Nurse
c Paris d Lord Capulet

- 27 'What shall I do? I want to die.'
 a Nurse b Paris c Romeo d Juliet
- 28 'I want you to drink this medicine the night before your wedding. You'll sleep very, very deeply, and it won't be possible to wake you up.'
 a Paris b Father Lawrence
 c Romeo d Nurse
- 29 'Juliet – dead? This is the worst day of my life.'
 a Paris b Nurse
 c Father Lawrence d Lord Capulet
- 30 'Father Lawrence! It's good to see you. Where's Romeo?'
 a Paris b Prince Escalus
 c Juliet d Lord Capulet

20 marks

Vocabulary

Choose the best answer.

- 31 some news or information that you want to write to or tell someone
 a peace b message c else d execute
- 32 to hurt someone with a knife or sword
 a statue b poison
 c stab d argument
- 33 to punish someone by killing him or her
 a execute b mask c enter d poison
- 34 a person who works for the church; a church leader
 a uncle b prince
 c priest d shopkeeper
- 35 a polite way to speak to a man who is more important than you
 a sir b nephew c lord d cousin
- 36 something that will kill you if you eat or drink it
 a tomb b peace c medicine
 d poison
- 37 a stone room, in or near a church, where dead bodies from the same family are buried
 a statue b tomb c mask d hate
- 38 a special drink that helps someone who is ill to get better
 a medicine b poison c lips d else
- 39 angry shouting that sometimes happens when people don't agree
 a argument b execute
 c hate d poison
- 40 to touch someone with the lips in a loving way
 a enter b else c lips d kiss

20 marks

Plot

Choose the best answer.

- 41 Romeo told Benvolio he was unhappy because _____ didn't love him.
 a Rosaline b Juliet
 c his mother d his father
- 42 Lord Capulet wanted Paris to wait for _____ before he married Juliet.
 a three years b two weeks
 c a year or two d a day or two
- 43 Romeo saw Juliet for the first time _____.
 a in the garden b in the street
 c at a party d at Father Lawrence's house
- 44 Romeo asked _____ to marry him and Juliet secretly.
 a Nurse b Mercutio
 c Benvolio d Father Lawrence
- 45 Tybalt was looking for Romeo because he wanted to _____.
 a fight him b talk to him
 c give him a message from Juliet
 d be his friend
- 46 Romeo killed Tybalt because he killed his _____.
 a mother b friend
 c father d brother
- 47 Prince Escalus decided not to execute Romeo, but told him to _____.
 a go home b keep the peace
 c leave Verona d marry Juliet
- 48 Juliet gave Nurse _____ to take to Romeo.
 a poison b a sword
 c flowers d a ring
- 49 Juliet drank the medicine _____.
 a in the garden b at Father Lawrence's house
 c in her bedroom d in the tomb
- 50 Juliet killed herself with _____.
 a poison b a sword
 c medicine d a knife

20 marks

Total marks