

Macbeth test review

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man not born of woman

Macduff

has more need for a priest than a doctor

Lady Macbeth

secret, black, and midnight hag

The Witches

Thane of Glamis and Thane of Cawdor

Macbeth

to be father of kings though not a king

Banquo

compared to a young snake who will someday produce poison

Fleance

left alone with children and no protection

Lady Macduff

Duncan's son who flees to England

Malcolm

Duncan's son who flees to Ireland

Donalbain

the Witches' superior

Hecate

yes

Is Banquo interested in the witches' prophecies?

father of kings

The witches predict that Banquo will be...

Malcolm

Whom does King Duncan name as his successor to the throne?

Lady Macbeth

Who encourages Macbeth to kill Duncan?

coward

Lady Macbeth accuses Macbeth of being a ___ when he hesitates about murdering Duncan

Malcolm and Donalbain

Who is accused of killing Duncan?

Macbeth and Lady Macbeth

Who is responsible for Duncan's murder?

Will Banquo's sons reign in his kingdom?

What is one concern that Macbeth has that he asks the witches about on his second visit to them?

have prophesied his success

Macbeth thinks that the Witches...

one of Macbeth's spies

Malcolm thinks that Macduff is

She takes her own life

What happens to Lady Macbeth?

join forces with Malcolm's army

Deserters from Macbeth's castle.

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Macduff

Who kills Macbeth?

remorse

What ruins Lady Macbeth's enjoyment of success?

executed by Duncan

The former Thane of Cawdor is

doing anything to become king

Lady Macbeth thinks Macbeth should prove himself a man by

comic relief

The Porter in the play provides

fear for their lives

Duncan's sons flee because they...

Banquo and Fleance

Macbeth hires murderers to kill

Banquo

During the banquet, Macbeth's chair is occupied by the ghost of ...

beware of Macduff, will not be defeated until Birnam Wood come to

Dunsinane, no man born of woman can kill him

The Weird Sisters predict___on Macbeth's second time to see them using apparitions

turn grief into anger and seek revenge

Malcolm encourages Macduff to..

she sleep walks.

Lady Macbeth confesses her crimes when...

accepts his fate.

Macbeth

desperate bravery

Macbeth meets death with...(what condition)

Malcolm takes the throne

Order is restored to Scotland when

England

Refuge for Malcolm

Birnam Woods

Comes to Dunsinane Hill

Glamis

Macbeth's original estate

Norway

At war with Scotland

Inverness

Site of Duncan's murder

Dunsinane

castle where Lady Macbeth dies; Macbeth's castle

Lady Macduff

Thane of Fife's wife

Banquo

warns Fleance to escape

Lady Macbeth

plan's Duncan's murder

Duncan

names his son heir to the throne

Macdonwald

traitor who led a failed rebellion

A faulty or corrupt society

The witches and the traitors

A man neither completely good nor evil, capable of greatness but does not attain because of his tragic flaw

What is a tragic hero?

Blood, borrowed robes, water, sleep, night

What are motifs?

Holinshed's Chronicles

The source of the play

The witches and Banquo

Shakespeare includes these to appeal to King James I

Demonologie

Written by King James to detect witches

Banquo, Young Siward

Foils for Macbeth

1606

When the play was first performed

Act III

When is the climax?

Young Siward, Banquo, McDonwald, Lady MacDuff and son

Killed by Macbeth

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Thane of Cawdor

2nd most important title in Scotland; given to Macbeth

11th century Scotland

setting of play

The porter speaks in

prose

Verse form of the play

Blank verse

The witches speak in this

rhyme

faulty or corrupt society or at least some characters more corrupt than the
tragic hero

1 element of tragedy (the witches; the civil war)

ambition

tragic flaw

restoration of order

Malcolm does this by welcoming exiles and making thanes earls and
becoming king

tragic mistake

killing Duncan

candle, poor player, tale told by an idiot

metaphors Macbeth uses for the meaning of life

Banquo's descendants do not become king

Prophecy that does not come true in the play

Born C-section

Macduff

Macbeth

Shakespeare's shortest tragedy

Norway and Scotland

Two countries at war at the onset of play

Blood

Motif symbolizing guilt

Darkness

Motif symbolizing evil

Banquo, Macduff, Young Siward

Foils to Macbeth

Act I, scene i

Establishes an ominous atmosphere

Witches

Foreshadow events

Kings' Men

Acting troupe under King James

Thane of Cawdor

Second most important title in Scotland

Upset about Macduff going to England

Lady Macduff

Act III

Climax of play–Banquo escapes

Sees Banquo's ghost

Reason for Macbeth's odd behavior at banquet

Dramatic irony

Duncan's comments about Macbeth's castle before he enters

Will turn green seas red

Blood on Macbeth's hands

Act III; Banquo's speech: I fear that play'st most foully for it"

Shows he knows Macbeth killed Duncan

" Oh full of scorpions is my mind dear wife"

Suggests the horrors of Macbeth's mind

Macduff's passion and sorrow

Convince Malcolm he is sincere