

## Q1 Script A

Write your answer to Section A Question (a) here:

William Shakespeare presents Lord Capulet as an angry man. 'Disobedient wretch' this is what he says to Juliet. He is ~~is~~ angry that Juliet disobeys her. Shakespeare wrote this ~~to~~ play when it was a patriarchal society. Which means the men rule over the women. So when Juliet defies him this scares him as this was not allowed. [He basically gives her an ultimatum which he hopes will put him back in control. 'get thee to church o'thursday, or never after look me in the face'] So he tells her that if she doesn't get to the church on thursday and marry Paris he will disown her. So he is being irrational and wanting everything done his way. [Even when the nurse tries to defend Juliet he then turns on the nurse telling her that her input is not needed.] [Thought] at the end of the extract we start to feel

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Write your answer to Section A Question (b) here:

Section A continued - sorry for him because he cares for Juliet and loves her and wants to find a husband for her who will make her happy but she doesn't want this because she is married to Romeo.

### Section B

The following lines will be performed by the nurse. 'God in heaven bless her!' this will be performed with the nurse stepping in front of Juliet ~~at~~ which shows she is protecting her as she is her nurse. She will be also in ~~the~~ front of lord Capulet quite close up. She will be in this same place as she says 'You are to blame my lord to hate her so' she will point<sup>at</sup> him as she says this.

Then as lord Capulet says his lines he slaps her and she falls to the floor and Juliet and lady Capulet rush over and comfort her while ~~the~~ nurse says 'May not one speak?' she will be in shock as she says this as lord Capulet says

Write your answer to Section A Question (c) here:

The whole play of Romeo and Juliet is a tragedy from the beginning you know it is going to end in disaster. From the prologue it says 'Star-crossed lovers' and at this time many people were into astrology and knew two stars that crossed knew that those people it would be very fateful for them. These two people were Romeo and Juliet and there was a feud between the two families that was going on for many years so each of the servants fought and so did the families.

There was one significant fight that had happened which was to be a tragic event for everyone.

The prince had had enough of all the fighting which caused problems for everyone so the next time there was to be a fight he said whoever did it would be put to death.

So Mercutio ~~were~~ <sup>and Benvolio</sup> ~~was~~ <sup>were</sup> just sitting and talking and ~~they~~ <sup>Tybalt</sup> came up to them and demanded he knew where ~~the~~ Romeo was so he

he could fight him for coming to his families party without invitation. Though then Mercutio started making jokes which then started to annoy Tybalt which then led to a fight between Tybalt and Mercutio then Romeo came and got in front of Mercutio to break up the fight but Tybalt stabbed Mercutio under Romeo's arm.

Mercutio then died cursing both families then Tybalt came back for Romeo and Romeo then killed Tybalt.

The prince then came and banished Romeo.

The significance of this conflict is that ~~the~~ Romeo had killed Tybalt who was now part of his family and that the marriage was supposed to have brought them all together which it hadn't. It also intensified the tragedy because of the deaths of Mercutio and Tybalt. so it was inevitable that Romeo and Juliet were going to die.

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 24 MARKS**