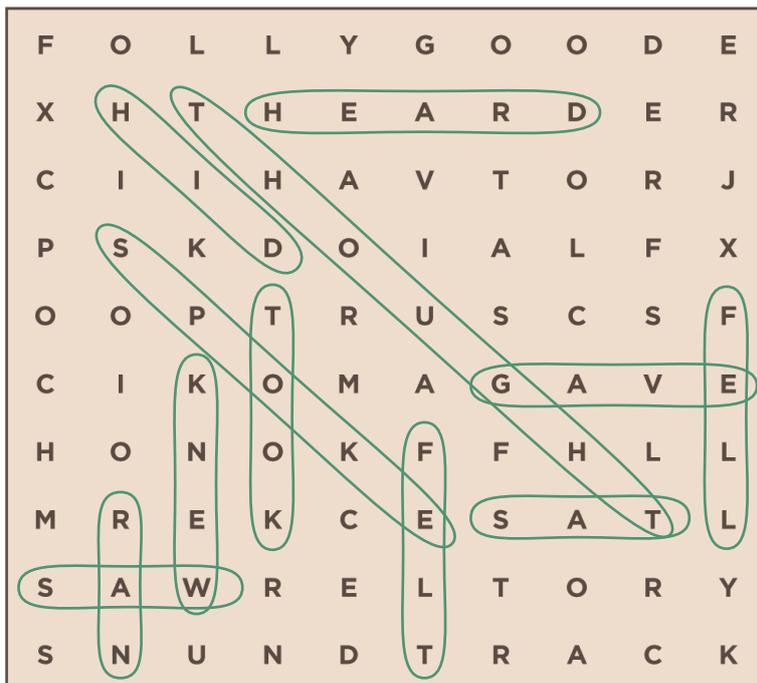## William Shakespeare
Romeo and Juliet

Answers to pages 8 and 9

1 **Irregular verbs. Find the past tense of the verbs in the wordsearch and complete the sentences.**
   1 Romeo <u>saw</u> (see) a beautiful girl at the party.
   2 Tybalt <u>ran</u> (run) out of the room.
   3 Friar Laurence <u>knew</u> (know) a lot about herbs.
   4 Juliet's nurse <u>sat</u> (sit) down. She was tired.
   5 Mercutio <u>fell</u> (fall) down. He was hurt.
   6 Romeo <u>hid</u> (hide) behind the desk in the friar's study.
   7 Juliet <u>felt</u> (feel) brave.
   8 Friar Laurence <u>spoke</u> (speak) to everybody.
   9 They <u>took</u> (take) the sleeping Juliet away.
   10 Romeo <u>gave</u> (give) a letter to his servant.
   11 Romeo <u>thought</u> (think) Juliet was dead.

F	O	L	L	Y	G	O	O	D	E
X	H	T	H	E	A	R	D	E	R
C	I	I	H	A	V	T	O	R	J
P	S	K	D	O	I	A	L	F	X
O	O	P	T	R	U	S	C	S	F
C	I	K	O	M	A	G	A	V	E
H	O	N	O	K	F	F	H	L	L
M	R	E	K	C	E	S	A	T	L
S	A	W	R	E	L	T	O	R	Y
S	N	U	N	D	T	R	A	C	K

2 **Match the dictionary definitions to the pictures.**
   a 2, **b** 5, **c** 1, **d** 3, **e** 4.

3 **Use the opposites in the box. Fill the gaps. Guess the answers to the questions.**
   In the story…
   1 Is the weather in Verona hot or <u>cold</u>?
   2 Is the Capulet family rich or <u>poor</u>?
   3 Is Romeo a young man or an <u>old</u> man?
   4 Is Mercutio a sad man or a <u>happy</u> man?
   5 Is Tybalt a calm man or a <u>violent</u> man?
   6 Is Juliet horrible or <u>lovely</u>?
   7 Is Friar Laurence a stupid man or a <u>wise</u> man?
   8 At the end of the story, is Juliet alive or <u>dead</u>?

Answers to pages 18 and 19

1 **Answer the questions about Chapter One.**
1 What are the names of the two families?
Montague and Capulet.
2 Where does the story happen?
Verona.
3 Why were the people frightened?
There was a fight in the square.
4 Did Benvolio stop the fight?
No.
5 Did Prince Escalus stop the fight?
Yes.
6 Why is Romeo sad?
He's in love with Rosaline but she doesn't love him.
7 Who does Count Paris want to marry?
Juliet.
8 Why does Romeo read the list of names to the servant?
The servant can't read.
9 Is Romeo invited to the party?
No.
10 Was Juliet happy about Lady Capulet's news?
No.

2 **Irregular verbs. Choose the best word, A, B or C for each space.**
1 It was a very hot day. Everyone <u>felt</u> very hot and very cross. **B**
2 A tall young man <u>came</u> into the square. **A**
3 Brothers and cousins <u>were</u> there. **B**
4 The old man <u>left</u> the square to find the prince. **A**
5 The prince <u>made</u> a terrible threat. **A**
6 The two men <u>went</u> for a walk in the garden. **C**
7 Romeo <u>began</u> to read the list of names. **C**
8 Benvolio <u>had</u> a clever idea. **C**

3 **Look at the picture.**
Find 5 types of food on the table: cake, chicken, apples, pears, cheese
Find 5 other things on the table: plate, glass, knife, fork, spoon

Answers to pages 28 and 29

1 **Look at the pictures. Put them in the correct order.**
4   3   7   9   8   5   6   1   2

2 **Talk in pairs. Use the adjectives in the box.**
Mercutio   funny, intelligent, excited
Friar Laurence   wise, old
Juliet   beautiful, lovely
Tybalt   angry, dangerous
No-one is sad

3a **Promises and Threats. Can you remember these promises and threats from the text? Match the beginnings and endings.**
1 e, **2** d, **3** f, **4** b, **5** c, **6** a.

3b Which characters said these things?
1 You'll meet lots of new girls. – Mercutio
2 I'll kill him. - Tybalt
3 I won't forget this moment. - Tybalt
4 I'll change my name for you. – Romeo and Juliet
5 I'll find a way. - Romeo
6 I'll help you both. – Friar Laurence

4 Work in pairs. What happens next? Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)? Guess the answers.
1 True, 2 False, 3 False, 4 True, 5 False, 6 True, 7 False, 8 True.

Answers to pages 38 and 39

1 Match the questions about the text with the correct answers.
1 i, 2 d, 3 h, 4 c, 5 g, 6 j, 7 e, 8 a, 9 b, 10 f.

2a Complete the table with the family members.

male	female
son	daughter
father	mother
brother	sister
uncle	aunt
husband	wife
nephew	niece
cousin	cousin
grandfather	grandmother

2b Complete the sentences with the name and the possessive –s.
1 Juliet is *Romeo's* wife.
2 Tybalt is Lord/Lady Capulet's nephew.
3 Juliet is Lord/Lady Capulet's daughter.
4 Tybalt is Juliet's cousin.
5 Romeo is Juliet's husband.
6 Lady Capulet is Tybalt's aunt.

3a Write the questions Prince Escalus asked about the fight between Tybalt and Mercutio.
1 weather / like?   What was the weather like?
2 where / happen?   Where did the fight happen?
3 time?   What time was it?
4 fight / between?   Who was the fight between?
5 who / Tybalt / kill?   Who did Tybalt kill?

3b Imagine you saw the fight between Tybalt and Mercutio. Now answer the questions for Prince Escalus.
1 It was hot
2 In the street
3 It was the afternoon
4 Tybalt and Mercutio
5 Mercutio

4 Here are some events from the next chapter. Why do they happen? Choose A or B and discuss your answers.
1 B, 2 A, 3 A.

Answers to pages 48 and 49

1 Choose the best answer A, B or C.
1 C, 2 B, 3 C, 4 B, 5 B, 6 C, 7 A, 8 C, 9 C, 10 C.

2 **Fill in the gaps in Friar Laurence's letter to Romeo.**

Dear Romeo

How are <u>you</u>? How is life <u>in</u> Mantua? I hope you are well and that you like <u>your</u> new home. I have some news about Juliet for you. She came <u>to</u> see me because she was very unhappy. She misses you very <u>much</u> and wants to see you. She loves <u>you</u> a lot. Unfortunately her parents want her to get married. They want her to marry Count Paris. Obviously it's impossible for <u>her</u> to marry him, but don't worry, everything will be OK because I <u>have</u> a plan. Read my plan very carefully and do exactly what I say. Then you and Juliet can live happily together <u>for</u> ever. See <u>you</u> soon.

Your friend, Friar Laurence.

3 **Listen to the conversation and complete the dialogue.**

Friar Laurence:	Thank you <u>very</u> <u>much</u> for coming, Friar John.
Friar John:	Not at all. I understand that you <u>need</u> my help.
Friar Laurence:	Yes, you must <u>go</u> to Mantua.
Friar John:	I see. <u>Why</u> do you want me to go to Mantua?
Friar Laurence:	I need you to take a <u>letter</u> to Romeo.
Friar John:	Of course. When do you want me to go?
Friar Laurence:	<u>Immediately</u>. The message is very important.
Friar John:	Ok. I'll pack my <u>bags</u> and go straight away.
Friar Laurence:	Thank you. But don't <u>forget</u> , the message is very urgent.
Friar John:	Yes, of course.
Friar Laurence:	Of course. I can't <u>thank</u> you enough.
Friar John:	You're welcome. Goodbye.

4a **Romeo goes back to Verona and goes to the church to see Juliet. But what happens next? Look at the pictures and match the pictures with the endings.**

1 a, **2** b, **3** c.

Answers to pages 56 and 57

1 **Answer the questions true (T) or false (F). Correct the false answers.**

1 False (He didn't get to Mantua), **2** False (He stopped in a plague village), **3** True, **4** True, **5** False (Romeo killed Paris), **6** False (Juliet didn't wake up), **7** True, **8** False (Friar Laurence ran away), **9** False (They both died), **10** True.

2 **Match the pictures of the characters to their descriptions. Name the characters.**

1 A tall young man. He is violent. He fights like a tiger. <u>Tybalt</u>
2 An intelligent, fun-loving young man. He loves to laugh and joke with his friends. <u>Mercutio</u>
3 A wise old man. He's a teacher and he knows a lot about herbs. <u>Friar Laurence</u>
4 An old lady. She looks after Juliet and sometimes helps her. She doesn't understand Juliet's love for Romeo. <u>Juliet's nurse</u>

Answers to page 59

Name:	William Shakespeare
Place of birth:	Stratford-upon-Avon
Date of birth:	April 23rd 1564
Father's name:	John
Mother's name:	Mary
Age started school:	five
Age left school:	fifteen or sixteen
Occupation:	actor and dramatist
Wife's name:	Anne
Number of children:	three
Date of death:	April 23rd 1616
Where buried:	Holy Trinity Church, Stratford-upon-Avon

Answers to page 61

What were the houses like?	small, cold, dark, smelly
What did people eat?	bread, vegetables and pork
What did people drink?	beer
What did people do for entertainment?	went to the theatre and to public executions
Did people study?	not many people went to school
What problems did people have?	health and fire were two big problems

Answers to pages 62 and 63

1 Can you remember the answers to these questions?
1 What was Juliet's family name?
Capulet.
2 Why did Tybalt want to fight Romeo at the party?
Because Romeo was a Montague at a Capulet party.
3 Why did Romeo want to change his name?
Because he loved Juliet Capulet.
4 Why did Friar Laurence agree to help Romeo and Juliet to marry?
Because the friar wanted to stop the two families from fighting.
5 Why did Romeo kill Tybalt?
Because Tybalt killed Mercutio.
6 Where did Romeo go when he left Verona?
He went to Mantua.
7 What did the apothecary sell to Romeo?
He sold him some poison.
8 Was the nurse a true friend to Juliet?
No.
9 Why did Friar Laurence's plan go wrong?
Because Romeo didn't get the letter from him.
10 Why did Juliet kill herself?
Because she woke up and saw that Romeo was dead.

2 Read this information about the play. There are ten mistakes in the text. Find them and correct the information.
Romeo and Juliet was written by William Shakespeare. The story takes place in Verona, where the Capulet and Montague families live. Romeo falls in love with Juliet at a party at the Capulet house. He asks Juliet to marry him. They get married at Friar Laurence's house. After the wedding, Juliet goes home to wait for Romeo. There is a big fight in the street. Tybalt kills Mercutio and Romeo kills Tybalt. Prince Escalus is very angry and sends Romeo away from Verona. Lord and Lady Capulet decide that Juliet must marry Count Paris. Juliet goes to see Friar Laurence to ask for his help. Friar Laurence gives Juliet a sleeping potion. Juliet goes home. She falls into a deep sleep. Everyone thinks Juliet is dead. Friar John goes to see Romeo in Mantua. Romeo thinks that Juliet is dead so he buys some poison from the apothecary and returns to Verona. Romeo kills Count Paris, sees Juliet in the vault and kills himself. Juliet wakes