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*Romeo and Juliet*: Act II Questions

Prologue

1. What does the chorus do in this prologue?
2. What will help Romeo and Juliet overcome their problems?

Scene 1

1. What does Romeo do in order to avoid his friends?
2. What do Benvolio and Mercutio think Romeo is doing?

Scene 2

1. What does Romeo compare Juliet to?
2. What is Juliet’s enemy?
3. Why doesn’t Romeo reveal himself?
4. Why doesn’t Juliet want Romeo to swear by the moon?
5. About what else is Juliet concerned?
6. What do they plan for the next day?

Scene 3

1. Who does Romeo visit to ask for help? What is he doing when Romeo visits?
2. What does Friar Laurence say about the earth?
3. What are some of the powers of herbs? How does Friar Laurence compare man to herbs?
4. What does Romeo ask Friar Laurence to do?
5. What is his initial reaction to Romeo’s request? Why does Friar Laurence change his mind?

Scene 4

1. What two things did Benvolio discover at Montague’s home?
2. What does Mercutio say about Tybalt?
3. How does Mercutio talk with the Nurse?
4. What does Romeo tell the Nurse?

Scene 5

1. What is Juliet’s state of mind as she waits for the Nurse?
2. What is humorous about the scene when the Nurse returns?

Scene 6

1. What is Romeo willing to risk in order to marry Juliet?

2. What warning does Friar Laurence give Romeo?