

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 2

Read this text carefully and tick the correct answers.

Palmeira Youth Playhouse presents **ROMEO & JULIET**

The Montagues and the Capulets are two families who live in Verona, Italy. These families are enemies and are always fighting. The Montagues have a son, Romeo and the Capulets have a daughter, Juliet.

One night the Capulets have a party. There Romeo meets Juliet and immediately falls in love with her. Juliet's cousin, Tybalt, sees Romeo and is very angry.

Romeo and Juliet speak at the window and decide to...

WHO IS WHO?

Juliet is a Capulet. She is sensitive, gentle and obedient to her parents.

Romeo is a Montague. He is more interested in love than in fighting. He is handsome, impatient and emotional. He is a brave and good swordsman* but he is not interested in violence.

Lord Capulet is Juliet's father. He is kind and generous, but he shouts when he is angry. He wants Juliet to marry another man.

Lady Montague is Romeo's mother. She is very busy and strict.

The Nurse is Juliet's personal attendant. She looks after her. She talks a lot, often about Juliet when she was a baby. She wants Juliet to be happy.

Tybalt is Juliet's cousin. He loves violence and fighting. He hates all Montagues.

County Paris is a friend of the Prince of Verona and wants Juliet to be his wife.

Mercutio is Romeo's best friend. He likes to play jokes on people.

Friar Laurence is a monk expert in potions. He is friend to both, Romeo and Juliet.

JANUARY 10th-17th

Thurs. & Fri. at 8 pm

Sat. at 9 pm & Sun. at 7 pm

Tickets on sale at the door an hour before each show

Adults 8,50 €

Children 5,50 €

Students 7,50 €

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VOCABULARY

*swordsman: espadatxi

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27. Verona is...

- a. a city.
- b. a family name.
- c. Juliet's cousin.

28. Romeo is interested in...

- a. love.
- b. violence.
- c. travelling.

29. Romeo's mother is...

- a. kind.
- b. strict.
- c. happy.

30. In the sentence «The Nurse is Juliet's personal attendant» what does «attendant» mean?

- a. Teacher.
- b. Servant.
- c. Enemy.

31. Who is a violent person?

- a. Friar Laurence.
- b. Mercutio.
- c. Tybalt.

32. Romeo's best friend is a...

- a. joker.
- b. fighter.
- c. teacher.

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33. You can see *Romeo and Juliet*...

- a. during the whole year.
- b. only in January.
- c. in spring.

34. You can only buy the tickets for *Romeo and Juliet* _____ before each show.

- a. three hours
- b. two hours
- c. one hour

35. The show is...

- a. from Thursday to Sunday.
- b. only at the weekends.
- c. every day.

36. Which tickets are cheaper?

- a. Adults tickets.
- b. Children tickets.
- c. Students tickets.

37. You can get more information...

- a. in a newspaper.
- b. on a website.
- c. on TV.

38. You have read information about...

- a. a film.
- b. a comic.
- c. a theatre play.