**Name *Romeo & Juliet: Act Three Guide***

*Scene 1*:

*Romeo and Juliet are married at the end of Act 2. Only the nurse and Friar Lawrence are aware of the marriage at this point in the play.*

1. Why won’t Romeo fight Tybalt?

They are cousins now, after the marriage of Romeo and Juliet

2. What phrase does Mercutio keep repeating towards the end of the fight? What does this phrase mean?

A plague upon both your houses- they should die

3. What does Romeo say Juliet’s love has done to him?

Made him weak, he refuses to fight

4. What does Romeo mean when he says he is “fortune’s fool”?

He blames fate for what happened. Marrying Juliet his love and now needs to leave Verona because he killed Tybalt.

5. What is Romeo’s punishment for killing Tybalt?

Banished from Verona

*Scene 2*:

1. Describe Juliet’s rapidly changing attitudes toward Romeo in this scene.

She first speaks of love and happiness her attitude changes and she becomes horrified and angry

2. What piece of news has upset Juliet the most?

When she learns that Romeo is banished from Verona

3. What does the nurse promise to do?

Find Romeo and bring him to Juliet

*Scene 3*:

1. What is Romeo’s reaction to the news of his banishment? What does his reaction reveal about his character?

Romeo becomes extremely upset, he can’t be with his love Juliet, he throws a tantrum, wishes death, behaves very immature, no coping skills- impulsive.

2. Why does Romeo say Friar Lawrence cannot advise him?

He has never been in love, and he has never killed anyone

3. Friar Lawrence lists reasons why Romeo should be grateful. What reasons does Friar Lawrence give?

Be grateful that you are alive, and you haven’t been killed

. You are still married to Juliet and you can be together

4. What is Friar Lawrence’s plan for Romeo at the end of the scene?

He tells Romeo to go visit Juliet

*Scene 4*:

1. What happens in this scene?

Lord Capulet moves up the wedding date. He and Paris pick a day that juliet will wed Paris

*Scene 5*:

1. What is the purpose of Juliet bringing up the nightingale and the lark?

Juliet does not want Romeo to leave in the morning.

2. What does Juliet say about the way Romeo looks as he descends the rope ladder? What literary device is this an example of?

He looks like death, like he is going into his grave.

This is an example of foreshadowing

3. What does Lord Capulet threaten to do if Juliet does not marry Paris?

If she does not wed Paris, he will disown her as a daughter

4. What does Juliet threaten to do if her mother does not delay the marriage? What is her mother’s response?

Juliet threathens to kill herself if she has to marry Paris. Her married dismisses her and tell her that she is through dealing with her behavior

5. What is the nurse’s advice to Juliet? How does Juliet’s attitude toward the nurse change?

To marry Paris, Romeo is banished. Juliet feels betrayed by the Nurse and she feels that she can’y trust her