

# 'Romeo and Juliet' Plot Activity Sheet

Can you number these statements about 'Romeo and Juliet' in the order they occur in the plot?

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	Romeo hides under Juliet's balcony and hears her talk of her love for him. He reveals his presence and they confess their love for each other. Romeo leaves, promising to contact Juliet through her Nurse.
	Benvolio, Mercutio and Romeo sneak into a Capulet masked ball. Romeo sees Juliet and, forgetting Rosaline, falls in love with her at first sight.
	Juliet wakes and finds Romeo dead beside her. Taking his dagger, she stabs herself.
	The Montagues and Capulets have a fight in the street – one of many recent brawls. Romeo confesses to his friend Benvolio that he is in love with Rosaline.
	Romeo arranges for Friar Lawrence to marry him to Juliet. The Friar agrees, and the two are married.
	Juliet seeks help from Friar Lawrence, who gives her a drug which will make her appear dead. His plan is that she will be placed in her family tomb, and Romeo will come to rescue her.
	Mercutio and Benvolio meet Tybalt, who challenges Romeo to fight. Romeo enters and refuses, and Mercutio steps forward instead. Tybalt kills him.
	Arriving at Juliet's tomb, Romeo kills Paris, who he finds there, then takes poison and dies beside Juliet.
	Romeo, devastated by Mercutio's death, slays Tybalt in revenge. Prince Escalus banishes him from Verona.
	The Nurse brings Juliet the news of Tybalt's death and Romeo's banishment.
	The Montagues, Capulets, Prince Escalus and Friar Lawrence arrive in the tomb. Seeing the devastation their feuding has caused, the Montagues and Capulets resolve to put their differences aside.
	Juliet questions her Nurse about Romeo and finds out he is a Montague, and therefore her sworn enemy.
	Capulet tells Juliet he has arranged for her to marry Paris. She refuses, and he threatens to disown her if she does not comply.
	Juliet takes the potion. Her family believe she is dead and, with much mourning, place her in her tomb.
	Romeo hears the news of Juliet's death and plans his own suicide. Friar Lawrence's letter to Romeo, explaining his plan, has been delayed.
	Romeo and Juliet spend their wedding night together, then he departs before he is caught.