



ACTIVITIES: KEY STAGE 3

WEEK BY WEEK BLOG

Week 3:

1) Find the Week 3 blog by Tom Davey who is playing Sir Andrew Aguecheek in the Week by Week section of the site. Tom explains how the rehearsals have made him appreciate how much sadness can be found in the play even though it is a comedy. He mentions Olivia, Sebastian and Viola who have all lost family members and are grieving. He then goes on to consider other characters like Malvolio and Sir Andrew who are lost in a different way as they have delusions of being loved by Olivia.

2) Make a list of the main characters in the play and decide whether they have lost someone or something or are lost in delusions.

3) Compare your list with a fellow student and discuss any differences in what you have found.

4) Next create a chart listing the characters and how sadness affects them.

Week 4:

1) Find the Week 4 blog by Tom Davey who is playing Sir Andrew Aguecheek in the Week by Week section of the site. In this blog, Tom explains how he has realised just how important is music in the play.

2) With a fellow student read Act 2 scene 3 lines 30 to 91. Here you will find one of Feste's songs and then the song 'Hold thy peace' that Toby, Andrew and Feste sing.

3) Decide what you think the final part of Feste's song makes the Sir Andrew and Sir Toby feel.

4) Make a poster with the words of the song in the centre and add notes to say what it makes Sir Andrew and Sir Toby feel.