

# Romeo & Juliet Scene Summaries

## ACT I

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| Scene I   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Montagues &amp; Capulets fight<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Prince declares if anyone else fights, they will die</li></ul></li><li>● Romeo loves Rosaline<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Rosaline is vowed to remain chaste</li></ul></li></ul> |
| Scene II  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Paris wants to marry Juliet<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ He must wait 2 years until she is of age</li></ul></li><li>● Romeo stumbles upon an invite to a Capulet party</li></ul>  |
| Scene III | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Lady Capulet tells Juliet about Paris' proposal</li></ul>   |
| Scene IV  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo and friends plan to sneak into the Capulet party</li></ul>  |
| Scene V   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Tybalt is mad at Romeo for crashing a Capulet party</li><li>● Romeo and Juliet meet<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ kiss twice</li></ul></li></ul>   |

## ACT II

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| Scene I   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo hides from friends in orchard</li></ul>   |
| Scene II  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo stalks Juliet from bushes</li><li>● Romeo &amp; Juliet confess their love for one another<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Juliet is worried they are moving too fast</li></ul></li></ul> |
| Scene III | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo wants to marry Juliet<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Romeo seeks Friar Laurence</li></ul></li><li>● Friar agrees to marry them</li></ul>  |
| Scene IV  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo is challenged to a fight with Tybalt</li><li>● Romeo tells the nurse he agrees to marry Juliet</li></ul>  |
| Scene V   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Nurse tells Juliet she's getting married</li><li>● Nurse brings ladder so they can see each other (intercourse)</li></ul>   |
| Scene VI  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Romeo &amp; Juliet get married</li></ul>  |

### ACT III

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| <b>Scene I</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Tybalt fights Mercutio</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Mercutio dies</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Tybalt fights Romeo</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Tybalt dies</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Prince finds out what happened</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ exiles Romeo for killing Tybalt</li></ul></li></ul> |
| <b>Scene II</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Nurse tells Juliet of the fights and Romeo's banishment</b></li><li>● <b>Juliet is so upset that she needs to come up with a plan for them to be together</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene III</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Romeo learns that he is exiled</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ he contemplates suicide</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Romeo plans to secretly see Juliet</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene IV</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Capulet decides to have Paris marry Juliet</b></li></ul>   |
| <b>Scene V</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Romeo goes to see Juliet</b></li><li>● <b>Juliet learns of her arranged marriage</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ she protests</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Juliet says she will kill herself if the Friar cannot help her</b></li></ul>   |

### ACT IV

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| <b>Scene I</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Juliet goes to the Friar for help</b></li><li>● <b>Together, they come up with a plan</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ She will take a vial that will make her appear dead, so she does not have to marry Paris. Romeo will wake her from her sleep, and they will run away together.</li></ul></li><li>● <b>Juliet says she will kill herself if she cannot be with Romeo</b></li></ul> |
| <b>Scene II</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Knowing the plan, Juliet pretends like she is ready to marry Paris</b></li></ul>   |
| <b>Scene III</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Juliet questions whether the plan is a good one</b></li><li>● <b>Juliet take the vial</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene IV</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Everyone is getting ready for the wedding</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene V</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>The nurse finds Juliet "dead" in her room</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ The word spreads about Juliet's death</li></ul></li></ul>   |

## ACT V

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| <b>Scene I</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Romeo hears of Juliet's "death" but doesn't know it is fake</b></li><li>● <b>Romeo buys poison to kill himself</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene II</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Friar Lawrence asks Friar John how Romeo responded to his letter</b></li><li>● <b>Friar John reveals the letter was never sent &amp; Romeo doesn't know about Juliet's fake death</b></li><li>● <b>Friar Lawrence goes to help take Juliet from her tomb</b></li></ul>  |
| <b>Scene III</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Paris &amp; Romeo fight</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <b>Paris dies</b></li></ul></li><li>● <b>Romeo see what appears to be dead Juliet</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <b>Kills himself with the poison</b></li></ul></li><li>● <b>Juliet wakes up</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <b>sees Romeo dead</b></li></ul></li><li>● <b>Juliet tries to kill herself with poison two times but failed</b></li><li>● <b>Juliet stabs herself and dies</b></li><li>● <b>Romeo and Juliet's secret marriage is exposed</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <b>the deaths bring the families together</b></li></ul></li></ul> |