

Name: _____ Date: _____ Period: _____

Julius Caesar Packet

ACT I

Characters Scene i (Before Reading)

- Flavius (tribunes) _____
- Murellus (tribunes) _____
- Carpenter (plebian) _____
- Cobbler (plebian) _____

Characters Scene iii (Before Reading)

- Casca _____
- Cicero _____
- Cinna _____
- Cassius (wearing a dagger) _____

Characters Scene ii (Before Reading)

- Caesar _____
- Casca _____
- Brutus _____
- Cassius _____
- Calpurnia/Antony/Soothsayer _____

Vocabulary Write down the words and definitions you don't know as you read! (Before reading)

WORD	DEFINITION
Plebian	
Tribune	
Fickle	
Insolent	
Impertinent	
Epilepsy	
"Ides of March"	
Perilous	
Conspiracy	
Omen	

Plot for ACT I (During Reading)

SCENE	MAIN EVENTS (An important event that has an impact in the story)
Scene i	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flavius sees people in the street parading for Caesar's victory over Pompey.• Flavius tells people to stop celebrating because they used to look up to Pompey.• Flavius tells the people to go to the river to make up for their mistakes.• Flavius tells Murellus to strip the statues so Caesar doesn't get a big head.

Scene ii	
Scene iii	

Discussion Questions (After Reading)

1. When have you conspired to do something?
2. Do you believe in superstitions?

Theme(s)	Evidence from the text
Fickleness	The Cobbler and Carpenter show the same loyalty to Julius Caesar as they did to their old leader, Pompey, who Julius Caesar killed (Shakespeare 5-6).

ACT II

Characters Scene i (Before Reading)

- Brutus _____
- Casca/Trebius _____
- Lucius/Cinna _____
- Cassius _____
- Portia _____
- Ligarius/Decius/Netolius _____

Characters Scene iii (Before Reading)

- Artemidorus _____

Characters Scene iv (Before Reading)

- Portia _____
- Lucius _____
- Soothsayer _____

Characters Scene ii (Before Reading)

- Caesar _____
- Calphurnia _____
- Decius _____
- Publius/Ligarius/Metellus/Casca _____
- Trebonius, Cinna, servant and Brutus _____

Vocabulary (Before Reading)

WORD	DEFINITION
liken	
humility	
faction	
plotter	
brooding	
feeble	

Plot for ACT II (During Reading)

SCENE	MAIN EVENTS
Scene i	

Scene ii	
Scene iii	
Scene iv	

Discussion Questions (After Reading)

1. Have you ever convinced someone to do something? How did you convince them?
2. Are there any events in this act that remind you of another book or movie?

Theme(s)	Evidence from the text

ACT III

Characters Scene i (Before Reading)

- Brutus _____
- Caesar/Cinna _____
- Antony/Poplius _____
- Cassius/servant _____
- Soothsayer/ Artemidorus/Metellus _____
- Decious/Trebius _____

Characters Scene ii (Before Reading)

- Antony _____
- Brutus _____
- Cassius _____
- Crowd of Plebians _____

Characters Scene iii (Before Reading)

- Cinna _____
- 4 Plebians _____

Vocabulary (Before Reading)

WORD	DEFINITION
perpetrators	
endeavor	
banished	
decree	
pardon	
repeal	
unassailable	
mutiny	
“Et tu, Brute?”	
“Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears...”	

Plot for ACT III (During Reading)

SCENE	MAIN EVENTS
Scene i	

Scene ii	
Scene iii	

Discussion Questions (After Reading)

1. What does “I am as constant as the Northern Star mean?”
2. What persuasive strategies does Mark Antony use?

Theme(s)	Evidence from the text

ACT IV

Characters Scene i (Before Reading)

- Octavius _____
- Lepidus _____
- Antony _____

Characters Scene iii (Before Reading)

- Cassius _____
- Brutus/Claudio _____
- Lucius/Lucillius/Messala _____
- Ghost/poet/Varrus _____

Characters Scene ii (Before Reading)

- Brutus _____
- Lucillius _____
- Pindarus _____
- Lucius _____
- Soldiers/Cassius _____

Vocabulary (Before Reading)

WORD	DEFINITION
bequests	
grievances	
rebuked	
noble	
insincere	
condemned	
justice	

Plot for ACT IV (During Reading)

SCENE	MAIN EVENTS
Scene i	

Scene ii	
Scene iii	

Discussion Questions (After Reading)

1. Have you ever regretted a decision you've made? Why?

Theme(s)	Evidence from the text

ACT V

Characters Scene i (Before Reading)

- Octavius _____
- Messenger/Messala/Lucilius _____
- Antony _____
- Brutus _____
- Cassius _____

Characters Scene iv (Before Reading)

- Brutus/first soldier _____
- Cato/second soldier _____
- Lucilius _____
- Antony _____

Characters Scene ii (Before Reading)

- Brutus _____

Characters Scene iii (Before Reading)

- Cassius/Cato _____
- Titinius _____
- Pindarus _____
- Messala _____

Characters Scene v (Before Reading)

- Brutus/Antony _____
- Clitus/Strato _____
- Lucilius _____
- Daradanius/Volumnius/Messala _____
- Octavius _____

Vocabulary (Before Reading)

WORD	DEFINITION
flatterers	
vile	
mourn	
grief	
virtue	

Plot for ACT V (During Reading)

SCENE	MAIN EVENTS
Scene i	
Scene ii	

Scene iii	
Scene iv	
Scene v	

Discussion Questions (After Reading)

1. If you could re-write the ending, what would you change?

Theme(s)	Evidence from the text