*Romeo and Juliet* Study Guide

* Who/What is the antagonist of *Romeo and Juliet.*
* What is internal conflict? Give examples from *Romeo and Juliet.*
* What is external conflict? Give examples from *Romeo and Juliet.*
* Who is Romeo in love with at the beginning of the play?
* Describe Romeo and Juliet’s first meeting.
* Why does Capulet want Tybalt to leave Romeo alone at the party?
* What is Friar Lawrence’s fear when he learns that Romeo wants to marry Juliet?
* How long did Romeo and Juliet know each other before they got married?
* Why does Tybalt want to duel Romeo?
* Why was Romeo banished?
* Where did Romeo go after he was banished from Verona?
* What does Capulet say will happen if Juliet doesn’t marry Paris?
* How does Juliet treat Paris when she sees him in Friar Lawrence’s cell?
* What is Friar Lawrence’s plan for Juliet? What are her fears concerning the plan?
* What’s the effect of the potion Friar Lawrence gave Juliet?
* How will Romeo find out about Friar Lawrence’s plan?
* In the final scene, why is Paris at the Capulet tomb?
* When Paris sees Romeo at the tomb, why does he think Romeo is there?
* Who does the Prince say is responsible for the death of Romeo and Juliet?
* What is a soliloquy? Know a few examples.
* What is an oxymoron?
* Know which characters side with the Montagues and which characters side with the Capulets.