

Reflections on a Play

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In an English lesson, our class performed scenes from William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet".

Everyone tried to make their scene as entertaining as possible by using props. For example, one group used a chair and pretended it was a horse. Another group sang in their scene. Some other students used PowerPoint slides.

All these things made the scenes more interesting.

I had a chance to play two roles, Peter and Paris. My scenes were very emotional. One of them was the scene when everyone is talking about Juliet's death.

We all had to work really hard to display sadness and anger.

I think performing plays is a great way to practise English. Not only do the performers have to focus on speaking English, the audience must focus on what is being said.