

Macbeth Creative Project Assignment

Due: Tuesday, December 13

Choose one of the options below to demonstrate your understanding of *Macbeth*. Videotaped projects must be turned in on a CD or flash drive, or may be posted to YouTube. **Note:** If you choose to post to YouTube, you must send me the link at least one day before the due date so I can convert the file.

Project Options:

- Group project: perform a scene from the play. The scene must be at least three pages long, and lines must be memorized. Actors' emotions must fit the scene. The scene may be performed live or videotaped. 75 points per performer.
- Memorize a soliloquy - in its entirety - from the play. Choose one character that has a speech of at least fifteen lines. You must perform your soliloquy in class. 75 points.
- Create a graphic novel version of *Macbeth*. You must include at least ten drawings and some text (speech bubbles or captions) for each drawing. Color your drawings. 75 points.
- Create a front page for the *Scotland Times*. Include several articles about what has happened in Scotland. Consider which characters might be interviewed for the articles. Your final creation should look like the front page of a newspaper, and contain at least 300 words of text. 75 points.
- Compose and perform an original song that one of the characters from the play might have sung. You may perform the song live or videotape it. A neatly handwritten or typed copy of the lyrics must accompany the presentation. 75 points.
- Rewrite the story of *Macbeth* as a comedy with a happy ending. You may choose to write this in the form of a summary or as a short play, or you may rewrite a scene from the play. Must be at least 450 words and typed. 75 points.

