

Romeo and Juliet Act 1

I Prologue

- Setting Verona
- family feud Montagues vs Capulets
- Two lovers from different sides come together

II Scene 1

- Sampson & Gregory (servants from the Capulet house) are in the street talking about vulgar things
- Abram (servant from Montague house) enters the street which sparks a fight after Sampson bites his thumb at Abram
- Benvolio and Tybalt enter as Benvolio tries to break up the fight, Tybalt takes it as a sign to fight
- Capulet and Montague fight
- Prince breaks up the fight and proclaims that if one more fight occurs those involved will be killed or banished
- Benvolio explains what happened to Montague and Lady Montague
- Benvolio and Montague discuss about Romeo
- Romeo explains his sadness as a result of his love for Rosaline but she has chosen a life to be a nun
- Benvolio says he will show Romeo other beautiful women

III. Scene II

- Paris and Capulet discuss Paris's request for Juliet's hand in marriage but Capulet believes Juliet is too young
- Peter has Romeo read the invitation list to him
- Benvolio tells Romeo they should go to see Rosaline and all the other women

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