

Introduction to Drama & Theatre

Drama & Theatre · Practice Test · 10 Questions

1. On a stage, which direction is 'downstage'?

- A) Toward the back wall
- B) Toward the audience
- C) To the left of the actor
- D) To the right of the actor

2. Which two traditional masks are used to represent drama?

- A) Anger and Peace
- B) Comedy and Tragedy
- C) Fear and Bravery
- D) Sleep and Wakefulness

3. What is a long speech given by a single character on stage called?

- A) A duet
- B) A chorus
- C) A monologue
- D) A dialogue

4. What is the name of the person who writes the script for a play?

- A) A choreographer
- B) A conductor
- C) A playwright
- D) A set designer

5. In theater, what are the moveable objects used by actors during a performance called?

- A) Costumes
- B) Props
- C) Backdrops
- D) Wings

6. What is the final rehearsal called where actors wear their full costumes?

- A) The speed-through
- B) The dress rehearsal
- C) The table read
- D) The tech walk

7. Which famous English playwright wrote the play 'Romeo and Juliet'?

- A) William Shakespeare
- B) Roald Dahl
- C) Mark Twain
- D) Charles Dickens

8. What is the area of the theater where the audience sits called?

- A) The pit
- B) The house
- C) The wings
- D) The backstage

9. What is a performance that tells a story through both acting and singing songs called?

- A) A silent movie
- B) A pantomime
- C) A musical
- D) A tragedy

10. What is a conversation between two or more characters in a play called?

- A) Dialogue
- B) Soliloquy
- C) Prologue
- D) Epilogue