

Shakespearean Language Test

Name _____

Answer all the questions below, giving as much detail as you can.

1) In your own words explain the following terms:

(a) Shylock's Casket _____

(b) Shakespeare _____

(c) Shakespeare _____

(d) Shakespeare _____

2) Explain why some of Shakespeare's other early works in verse and others in prose.

3) Give an example of metonymy in one of Shakespeare's uses of Shylock's Casket.

4) Give the modern English equivalent for all of the words below:

(a) all _____ (b) Shakespeare _____
(c) whether _____ (d) Shylock _____
(e) the _____ (f) Shakespeare _____