**Station Two Mini Quiz – Answer Key**

What is dramatic irony?

-A situation in the play/narrative in which the audience or readers have knowledge that the characters do not.

Was Macbeth a real life person?

-Yes

What is an aside?

-A short passage spoken to the audience. Other characters on the stage cannot hear it.

What is a paradox?

-A statement that contradicts itself yet might be true.

What is a soliloquy?

-An act of speaking one’s thoughts aloud by oneself or regardless of who is on stage.

When was *Macbeth* published for the first time?

-1623, First Folios

What was Macbeth the Thane of?

-Cawdor and Glamis

Who did Macbeth kill?

-Duncan

Who killed Macbeth?

-Macduff

How did Lady Macbeth characterize her husband?

-Too full of the milk of human kindness

Why did Malcolm and Donalbain go to different countries?

-They feared for their lives and wanted to spread out the targets.

What were the three prophecies Macbeth received in Act Four?

-Fear Macduff

-No one of woman born can kill him

-Don’t need to fear defeat until Birnam Woods comes to Dunsinane

What happened to Fleance?

He fled after his father was killed.

What kind of play is Macbeth?

-A tragedy

How did Lady Macbeth die?

-She killed herself

What did Macbeth hallucinate?

-A dagger and Duncan’s ghost

What prophecy was given to Banquo?

-his descendants shall be kings

Who is the Queen of the Witches?

-Hecate

What is one theme we mentioned in regards to *Macbeth?*

-Things are not always what they seem

-Power corrupts

-Blind ambition

-Superstition affects human behaviour

Who is Seyton?

-He comes from a family who are the traditional armour dressers for the King of Scotland

Was Macbeth Lady Macbeth’s first husband?

-No