

LICEO SCIENTIFICO "A. EINSTEIN"

CERIGNOLA

Contenuti disciplinari di Lingua e Civiltà Inglese

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Libro di testo:

- Amazing Minds Compact

THE RENAISSANCE AND THE AGE OF SHAKESPEARE:

- Historical and Social Background: The two Elizabeths, the Stuart Dynasty
- Literary Background: The Golden Age of Drama, The role of London, Elizabethan Theatres, The mise en scene, The continuity with medieval traditions, Aristotle's Three Unities;
- William Shakespeare: Life – The First Folio – Shakespeare's Canon – The Globe - Romeo and Juliet: Sources, Plot, Main themes, Main characters, Dramatic technique – "The balcony scene" : Reading, Comprehension, Analysis, Summing up – Hamlet: Sources, Plot, Main themes, The main character, Dramatic technique, "To be or not to be": Reading, Comprehension, Analysis;

FROM THE PURITAN AGE TO THE AUGUSTAN AGE:

- Historical and Social Background: The Restoration, The Augustan Age;
- Literary Background: Puritan and Restoration Literature, English Poetry in the 17th Century, The Age of Classicism, Newspapers and novels;
- Daniel Defoe: The business of writing, *Robinson Crusoe*: Plot, A fictional biography, The *economic man*, The island as a microcosm, *Robinson's first day on the island*: Reading, Comprehension and Analysis;
- Jonathan Swift: a misanthropist and a satirist, *Gulliver's Travels*: Plot, A variety of meanings, *The Academy of Lagado*: Reading, Comprehension and Analysis.

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