

TAMING OF THE SHREW QUIZ

The Taming of the Shrew is a

- a) romance
- b) fable
- c) comedy

**What metaphor does Petruchio use to describe Kate at the end of Act 4 Scene 1:
*"My falcon now is sharp and passing empty; and till she stoop she must not be full-gorged, for then she never looks upon her lure."***

- a) an owl
- b) a falcon
- c) a shrew

Which suitor resigns his attempts to court Bianca and sees past her facade?

- a) Gremio
- b) Lucentio
- c) Tranio

Which of the following best explain what a shrew is in Shakespeare's era

- a) a woman who complains a lot
- b) a woman who isn't subservient to men
- c) a woman who wants too many things

Which of the following statements is true about Bianca and Lucentio's relationship?

- a) Their relationship is the strongest because each partner tortured the other
- b) Their relationship is the strongest because they learned so much from each other
- c) Their relationship is the weakest because they are only in love with the fakes they have created

Who wins the wager at the play's end?

- a) Lucentio
- b) Tranio
- c) Petruchio
- d) Hortensio

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In what way does Petruchio assert his dominance over Kate on the road to Bianca and Lucentio's wedding feast?

- a) He calls the sun the moon and will keep Kate from going to the feast if she doesn't agree.
- b) He rides a horse and makes Kate walk.
- c) He refuses to let her wear the comfortable new shoes the tailor made for her.

Who is Lucentio disguised as for the majority of the play?

- a) No one, he's himself
- b) Cambio
- c) Gremio
- d) Tranio

Why does Petruchio marry Kate?

- a) He likes a challenge
- b) He fell in love with Kate at first sight
- c) He wanted her family's money

What is Kate's relationship with Bianca?

- a) They have a sweet friendship
- b) Bianca torments Kate constantly
- c) They don't meet each other in the play

Which pair of characters start the Induction?

- a) Gremio, Hortensio
- b) Widow, Merchant
- c) Sly, Hostess

Who is the father of Kate and Bianca

- a) Gremio
- b) Baptista
- c) Tranio

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What is the main topic of Taming of the Shrew?

- a) Gender Roles
- b) Education
- c) True Love

What is the name of the drunkard around whom the induction scenes are built?

- a) Christopher Sly
- b) Lord
- c) Bartholomew

This device is often used to show the secret, inner thoughts of a character

- a) monologue
- b) pun
- c) aside

This term is used to describe a speech given by a character alone onstage.

- a) monologue
- b) soliloquy
- c) aside

What must happen before Baptista will let Bianca marry?

- a) He needs a large dowry
- b) He must have the fastest horse in Padua
- c) He must marry off Katharina

Tranio is disguised as...

- a) Disguised as Cambio, a tutor of languages
- b) Disguised as his master Lucentio
- c) Disguised as Litio, a tutor of math and music

Hortensio is disguised as...

- a) Disguised as Litio, a tutor of math and music
- b) Disguised as Cambio, a tutor of languages
- c) Disguised as his master Lucentio

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Bianca is....

- a) Promised to "Lucentio"
- b) Promised to Petruchio
- c) Baptista's wife

Kate is...

- a) Promised to Petruchio
- b) Promised to "Lucentio"
- c) Baptista's sister

Petruchio

- a) wins the bet
- b) marries a widow
- c) falls in love with Bianca

What is Kate's final speech about?

- a) love
- b) wifely duties
- c) a mother's responsibility