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Macbeth Act III Quick Write
“The Consequences of the Consequences”

Choose two consequences of Duncan’s death from Act II of Shakespeare’s *Macbeth* that grow more complicated in Act III of the play. For each, identify the original consequence and discuss the new complication in Act III using supporting evidence from Act III of the play cited with the act, scene and line number(s). Then, discuss the importance of each new consequence.

Act III Consequences Quick Write Format

Topic sentence with title, author and genre.

(The Act II consequences _____ and _____ grow more complicated in Act III of Shakespeare's play *Macbeth*.)

Identify first Act II consequence in your own words.

Explain how that consequence has grown into a more complicated consequence WITH A SUPPORTING QUOTE FROM ACT III.

Discuss the importance of this consequence.

Add a transition and identify the second Act II consequence.

Explain how that consequence has grown into a more complicated consequence WITH A SUPPORTING QUOTE FROM ACT III.

Discuss the importance of this consequence.

Close with a general conclusion/summarizing sentence, perhaps about all actions having consequences.

OTHER HELPFUL HINTS:

If one paragraph is too long, separate into two paragraphs.

Importance of Complication

for instance:

- helps develop a theme
 - helps develop the tragic hero
 - make predictions
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