Activity 1 - Start getting used to the slang...

(Optional: make it a game: join a team and try to guess the meaning, then do the research in class and find who the wining team is!)

In the left column you can see a collection of phrases and sayings found in Shakespeare's writings and still in use today. Do some research and find out and write each meaning in the right column.

IN STITCHES

IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE

LIE LOW

LOVE IS BLIND

MAKE YOUR HAND STAND ON END

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING

NIGHT OWL

SEND SOMEONE PACKING

THE GAME IS UP

UP IN ARMS

VANISH INTO THIN AIR

WEAR YOUR HEART ON YOUR SLEEVE

to laugh very hord

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Loving someone makes you unable to see their fauls

it describe something that is really scory.

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a person who like to be attactive tal at night hishbird inight walk.

getting rid of someone, often in a not polite way.

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to be equipped with weapons and amount

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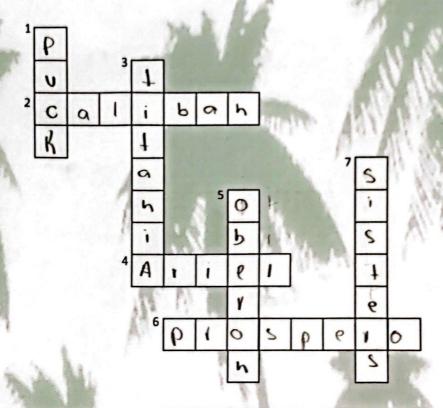
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7	Do some research and answer these questions prior to the play
	1. Who wrote The Tempest? William Shake poart
	2. In what year was it written?
	3. Where is the play set? in the myditerrenean
	4. Who was on the throne of England at the time?
	5. What modes of transport did they use at the time? bicocks, trains and camages
	Now, find basic information about the main characters: 6. Where is Prospero originally from? Duke of Milan
	7. Who is Prospero's brother?
	8. Who is Prospero's daughter? Miranda
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ACTIVITY 3

Activity 2 - Shakespearean Magical Characters.

Do some research and solve this crossword



- a clever, mischievous jester to the King of fairies (AMND)
- -2- A half human, son of a witch, who inhabited an island before humans arrived on it due to a shipwreck. (TT)
 - 3- the Queen of fairies (AMND)
- spirit bound to serve a magician who rescued him from the tree in which he was imprisoned by a witch (TT)
- 5- the King of fairies (AMND) titania
- 6- A duke who has learned sorcery from books, and uses it while on an island to protect his daughter and control the other characters (TT)
- 7- (the weird____) are three prophets who hail a the general, and predict his ascent to kingship (M)

AMND- A Midsummer Night's Dream

TT- The Tempest

M- Macbeth