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## Romeo & Juliet Casting

Introduction to Shakespeare | Character Analysis

**Directions:** You are responsible for casting characters to play the character roles in Shakespeare's <u>Romeo &</u> <u>Juliet</u>. You only need to cast parts for five characters. However, for each character role casted, you need to include a picture/sketch of the actor or actress and a description of that character's role.

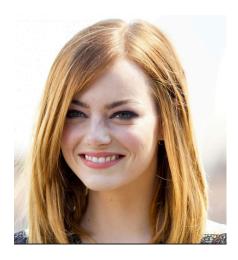
## For Example:

## Michael B. Jordan as Romeo



I would cast Michael B. Jordan for the part of Romeo in the Shakespearean play, *Romeo & Juliet*. Romeo is one of the protagonists in the play. He is described as a passionate young and changeable guy who is the epitome of a "Petrarchan lover." He is angsty, but honor-driven. He comes from a family that is respected, but not as well-to-do as the Capulet family. He falls in love with Juliet.

Emma Stone as Juliet



I would cast Emma Stone for the part of Juliet in the Shakespearean play, *Romeo & Juliet*. Juliet is one of the protagonists in the play. She is described very young but also witty and determined. However, she is vulnerable as well. She also comes from a very wealthy family. She falls in love with Romeo.