

ENGLISH COMMUNICATIVE

CLASS X

GUESS PAPER

IMPORTANT QUESTIONS FROM DRAMA

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1. What was Calpurnia's plea? How did Caesar take it?
2. Was Caesar adamant in not responding to his wife's plea?
3. Caesar wanted to go forth, come what may. Which aspect of his personality you find here?
4. What was Calpurnia afraid of? How did she express her fear in convincing Caesar?
5. Caesar was unable to overrule Calpurnia's argument. How did Calpurnia manage that?
6. What did Caesar ask Decius Brutus to convey to senators? Why was he in dilemma?
7. Decius Brutus must have been crest fallen as he heard Caesar was not going along with him. How did he save the situation in his favour?
8. Was Caesar searching for an excuse to go for crowning? How did Decius Brutus help him?
9. What made Caesar chide his wife?
10. What role did Metellus Cimber play in arousing Caesar's anger?
11. How did Caesar respond to Cassius plea to forgive Publius Cimber?
12. The plea to forgive Publius Cimber was merely an excuse for the conspirators to perform an evil task. Elaborate.

13. "Et tu Brute". This statement throws light on the characters of Caesar and Brutus both. How?
14. How did Antony glorify Caesar soon after his murder?
15. Was Brutus moved by Antony's sudden reaction to the murder? Why/Why not?
16. What deal was struck up between Antony and the conspirators?
17. Why could Cassius not convince Brutus in rejecting Antony's conditions?
18. Antony poured out his anger and intention both when he was left alone with Caesar's corpse. How did he do so?
19. How did Brutus convince the Romans in lending their ears to him?
20. What roused the Romans against Caesar?
21. Why did Brutus absolve Antony from the sin committed?
22. What was the difference between the beginnings of the speeches made by Antony and Brutus?
23. What did Brutus rely upon in his speech, largely?
24. How did Antony nullify Brutus' charge upon Caesar?
25. Antony's appeal was not only for the minds but also for the heart. Comment on it.
26. Were the Romans greedy regarding their curiosity about Caesar's will?
27. Caesar's corpse served as a weapon for Antony in inflaming the Romans. Comment on it.
28. How was Caesar dead, yet alive, when Antony's speech was going on?
29. What means did Antony employ to fulfill his intention?

30. What satisfied Antony in the end?

