

# William Shakespeare's *The Clone Army Attacketh, Star Wars, Part the Second*

## Class Readers Theater Instructions:

The readers needed for each act are listed in the following pages. I suggest one scene, per day, and no more, to start. You may struggle to get through those in the first weeks, until students get the hang of reading the work.

Keep track of who is reading by noting, each day, who has read which character. Try not to allow students to always read the same character. That way, they learn to read in the unstressed, stressed manner of iambic pentameter and they learn a little bit about each character. Later, you can "fix" roles based on student preference if you choose to do so. Keep in mind, you want everyone reading because they will all need practice doing this and you want to keep them engaged, all the time!

There are many opportunities for speaking parts in this play, although the second Act has fewer than 20. Act 1 has 21 speaking roles; Act 2, 19; Act 3, 20; Act 4, 23; and Act 5, 29. Each act is broken into a number of scenes, as well: Act 1, 4; Act 2, 5; Act 3, 6; Act 4, 5; and Act 5, 4.

This is perfect for engaging a somewhat larger class of around 30 or so students. The number of speaking roles, especially in the final act, assures that students will spend significant time listening for their parts and following along in the book. This may work well for students who are learning English and need time to just listen and absorb, with the aid of the film, how the language corresponds with the actions on screen. Even in some larger classrooms, 40+, this play may be a good fit.

I also strongly suggest watching the movie in segments that correspond to the acts, before reading each act. Some students may not have sufficient background knowledge to understand the story and thus what they're reading, if you don't. Breaking up the watching / reading helps to keep their interest, as well.

In addition, Doescher goes back to using a Chorus, and a choral part labeled "Rumor." You can use Rumor as a full-class chorus read. It occurs several times in the play, Acts I, II and V, not just at the beginning of the acts.

Period: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cast**  
**Act 1**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Student Name**

**Prologue:**

Chorus \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 1:**

Padmé Amidala, senator of Naboo \_\_\_\_\_

Guard 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Cordé, handmaiden to Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

Captain Typho, Padmé's guard \_\_\_\_\_

R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 2:**

Chancellor Palpatine \_\_\_\_\_

Mace Windu, Jedi Master and Jedi Council member \_\_\_\_\_

Yoda \_\_\_\_\_

Dar Wac, aid to the Chancellor \_\_\_\_\_

Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

Ki-Adi-Mundi, Jedi Master and Jedi Council member \_\_\_\_\_

Bail Organa, senator from Aleraan \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin Skywalker, Jedi padawan \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan Kenobi \_\_\_\_\_

Jar Jar Binks, Gungan clown \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Typho \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 3:**

Rumor \_\_\_\_\_

Zam Wessell, assassin \_\_\_\_\_

Jango Fett, bounty hunter \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_

Probe, droid \_\_\_\_\_

R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_

Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

Elan Seazebaggano, a wretch \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 4:**

Yoda \_\_\_\_\_

Mace \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_

Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_

Palpatine \_\_\_\_\_

Jar Jar \_\_\_\_\_

Capt. Typho \_\_\_\_\_

Dormé, handmaiden to Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cast**  
**Act 2**

**Scene 1** **Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Dexter Jettster, Coruscant merchant \_\_\_\_\_  
WA-7, Dexter's droid \_\_\_\_\_  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Jocasta Nu, Jedi archivist \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 2**

Droid \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_  
R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Sio Bibble, governor of Naboo \_\_\_\_\_  
Queen Jamillia, Queen of Naboo \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 3**

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_  
Padawan 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Padawan 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Padawan 3 \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 4**

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 5**

Rumor \_\_\_\_\_  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
R4-P17, droid \_\_\_\_\_  
Taun We, cloner of Kamino \_\_\_\_\_  
Lama Su, cloner of Kamino \_\_\_\_\_  
Jango \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cast**  
**Act 3**

**Scene 1** **Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 2**  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mace \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_  
R4-P17 \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 3**  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 4**  
Jango \_\_\_\_\_  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Boba Fett, Jango's son \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 5**  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Watto, tradesman of Tatooine \_\_\_\_\_  
R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_  
C-3PO \_\_\_\_\_  
Owen Lars, Shmi's stepson \_\_\_\_\_  
Beru Whitesun, Lars' mate \_\_\_\_\_  
Cleigg Lars, Anakin's step-dad \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 6**  
Rumor \_\_\_\_\_  
Boba \_\_\_\_\_  
Jango \_\_\_\_\_

R4-P17 \_\_\_\_\_  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Count Dooku/ Darth Tyrannus, Sith Lord \_\_\_\_\_  
Nute Gunray, viceroy of the Trade Federation \_\_\_\_\_  
San Hill, Separatist Alliance conspirator \_\_\_\_\_  
Wat Tambo, Separatist Alliance conspirator \_\_\_\_\_  
Shu Mai, Separatist Alliance conspirator \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cast**  
**Act 4**

**Scene 1** **Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Shmi Skywalker, Anakin's mother \_\_\_\_\_  
Mace Windu \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 2** \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
R4-P17 \_\_\_\_\_  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Owen \_\_\_\_\_  
Cliegg \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_  
R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_  
C-3PO \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 3** \_\_\_\_\_

Jedi 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Jedi 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Palpatine \_\_\_\_\_  
Bail \_\_\_\_\_  
Ask Aak, Republic senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Mas Amedda, Republic vice chancellor \_\_\_\_\_  
Jar Jar \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 4** \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Dooku \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 5** \_\_\_\_\_

Jar Jar \_\_\_\_\_  
Senator 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Senator 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Senator 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Mas \_\_\_\_\_  
Palpatine \_\_\_\_\_  
Mace \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_



Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Cast

Act 5

**Scene 1**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_

Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

C-3PO \_\_\_\_\_

C-3PO 1 \_\_\_\_\_

C-3PO 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Jango \_\_\_\_\_

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_

R2-D2 \_\_\_\_\_

Poggle the Lesser, archduke of Geonosis \_\_\_\_\_

Spectator 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Spectator 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Spectator 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Spectator 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Spectator 5 \_\_\_\_\_

Reek, beast of Geonosis \_\_\_\_\_

Acklay, beast of Geonosis \_\_\_\_\_

Nexu, beast of Geonosis \_\_\_\_\_

Dooku \_\_\_\_\_

Nute \_\_\_\_\_

Mace \_\_\_\_\_

Yoda \_\_\_\_\_

Boba \_\_\_\_\_

Rumor \_\_\_\_\_

Yoda \_\_\_\_\_

**Scene 2**

Clone trooper 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Clone trooper 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Clone trooper 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Clone trooper 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Anakin \_\_\_\_\_

Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

Nute \_\_\_\_\_  
Dooku \_\_\_\_\_  
Poggle \_\_\_\_\_

### **Scene 3**

Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_  
Dooku \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

### **Scene 4**

Chorus \_\_\_\_\_  
Dooku \_\_\_\_\_  
Darth Sidious \_\_\_\_\_  
Obi-Wan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mace \_\_\_\_\_  
Yoda \_\_\_\_\_  
Anakin \_\_\_\_\_  
Padmé \_\_\_\_\_

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