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Watch the film “She is the Man” (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=strRhV6Jj5k>), inspired in Shakespeare’s play “Twelfth Night” and answer the questions below.

1) In the list below, are some stereotypes that Society impose to boys and girls. Mark the ones approached in the film. (Na lista abaixo, estão alguns estereótipos que a sociedade impõe aos garotos e às garotas. Marque os que são abordados no filme).

- a) Girls should be interested in fashion. ()
- b) Girls like gossiping. ()
- c) Girls aren’t good at soccer. ()
- d) Girls should be delicate. ()
- e) Boys are faster and stronger than girls. ()
- f) Boys can’t be sensitive and show emotions. ()
- g) Boys are better drivers than girls. ()
- h) Boys that have many girlfriends are socially accepted. ()

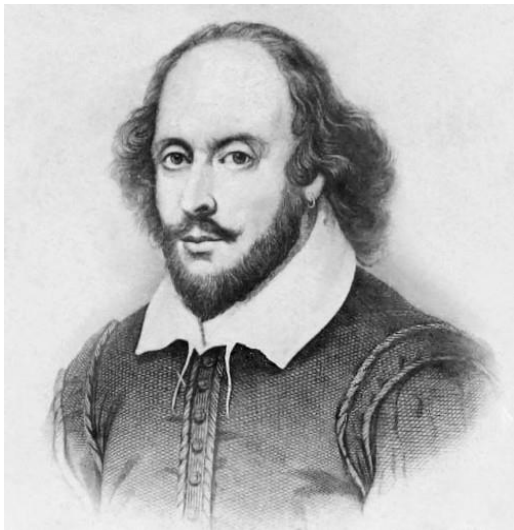
2) Write a short text giving your opinion about three of the stereotypes from question “1”. (Escreva um pequeno texto, dando a sua opinião sobre 3 dos estereótipos da questão “1”)

3) In what ways is the information below related to Shakespeare’s life? Read his biography to answer. (De que maneiras as informações abaixo estão relacionadas à vida de Shakespeare? Leia a biografia dele para responder).

- a) Stratfor-upon-Avon
- b) 1564
- c) Anne Hathaway
- e) King Lear
- f) A Midsummer Night’s Dream
- g) 1616

William Shakespeare

William Shakespeare was the greatest writer in the English language. He was born in 1564 in Stratford-upon-Avon. At the age of eighteen he married Anne Hathaway, who was eight years older than himself. A few years later he moved to London, where he worked as an actor and playwright.



Shakespeare wrote thirty-seven plays and 154 sonnets. His most famous plays are the four great tragedies- *Othello*, *Macbeth*, *Hamlet* and *King Lear*. He also wrote several historical plays. Eight of these plays were about English kings, including Richard II, Henry V and Richard III. Others dealt with Roman history and included *Julius Caesar* and *Anthony and Cleopatra*. But not all of Shakespeare's plays were serious. He also wrote comedies, such as *A Midsummer Night's Dream* and *The Twelfth Night*.

Shakespeare died in Stratford-upon-Avon on 23 April 1616, but his plays are still very popular today. They have been translated into several different languages, and many of them have been made into films, both English and other languages. Shakespeare's plays are about the great issues of love, life, jealousy, power, ambitions, death and so on. So, his plays are just as relevant today as they were in the sixteenth century. To show this, modern directors sometimes do the plays in modern dress, and one of Shakespeare's plays has even been turned into a modern musical. his romantic tragedy, *Romeo and Juliet*, was the basis for the musical West Side Story.

❖ Para aqueles que quiserem ler a versão original de *Twelfth Night*, segue o link:

<https://www.folgerdigitaltexts.org/html/TN.html> (In English)

https://www.academia.edu/37180981/William_Shakespeare_Noite_de_Reis (In Portuguese)

Answer Key

1) A – C – D – E – F – H

2) Personal answer

3)

a) A cidade onde Shakespeare nasceu.

b) O ano em que ele nasceu.

c) O nome da esposa dele.

d) O número de peças que ele escreveu.

e) Uma de suas peças históricas.

f) Uma de suas peças cômicas.

g) O ano em que ele morreu.

h) O musical da Broadway que foi inspirado na peça Romeu e Julieta.