

## 27. THEATRE

### Welcome song

**K:** Welcome to our fun learning radio broadcast with Kiki and Mr. Suits! This program was created in collaboration with Azyzah Educational and Interactive Theatre.

**S:** Nice to meet you friends!

**K:** Our question today is from Filip, who is 12 years old from T ebo , Czech Republic.

**S:** Hi, Kiki and Mr. Suits, could you tell us about theatre?

**K:** Yes! Ready to learn about theatre?

**S:** Let's go.

### Theme

**K:** Mr. Suits, will you go to the theatre with me tonight?

**S:** Kiki, are we playing a show? Tonight?

**K:** Relax, Mr. Suits, we will be watching, in the audience, not performing as actors on stage.

**S:** Phew! Cool. What are we going to see?

**K:** Guess!

**S:** Ok. Hm, is it a tragedy? Will it be sad and make me cry a lot? Or scared, like that weird Scottish play? McDonald's?

**K:** You mean Macbeth?

**S:** Right. By Billion Snakes Near.

**K:** William Shakespeare, Mr. Suits.

**S:** Hahaha, gotcha! Of course I know William Shakespeare, he is the most famous playwright ever.

**K:** He is. - But we are not going to see a tragedy today. The play will be funny and make us laugh.

**S:** So it's a comedy! Cool! I love comedies.

**K:** Oh and that's not all. There will also be singing and dancing.

**S:** Whoa, it's a musical? Awesome! Musicals are my favorite! The singing, the dancing, the bright costumes.

**K:** Yes! Now, let's get ready. We don't want to be late.

**S:** Wow, Kiki, this is a beautiful theatre! But I still don't know the name of the play.

**K:** I'll give you a hint. There will be singing!

**S:** Kiki, I already know it's a musical!

**K:** Oh, and some of the characters may need umbrellas!

**S:** Woo-hoo, Kiki! Are we seeing Singing in the Rain? Nice!

**S+K:** I'm singing in the rain!

**K:** I'm so excited! But promise me we won't sing along during the show.

**S:** Of course not! That's rude!

**K:** Oh, look, the curtain is going up!

**S:** Shh, let's watch the show.

## Story

**S:** Woo-hoo! It's story time!

**K:** Today's story is a famous love story!

Long ago, in the city of Verona, there lived two families who hated each other, the Montagues and the Capulets. The Montagues had a son, Romeo, and the Capulets a daughter, Juliet.

One day, the Capulets had a ball. Romeo said to his friends!

**(S) ROMEO:** Let's sneak in and have some fun!

**K:** At the ball, Romeo met Juliet, and they fell in love. They got married, but the war between their families continued. Juliet's cousin killed Romeo's best friend. But Juliet's cousin would not listen and Romeo killed him.

**(S) ROMEO:** I must leave Verona.

**(K) JULIET:** My parents want me to marry a rich duke. But I have a plan! I will pretend to be dead and then run away to join Romeo!

**K:** Juliet's plan worked! Everyone believed she was dead.

**(S) ROMEO:** My love, we can still be together forever. Here is my poison!

**(K) JULIET:** Oh, Romeo, I will join you. Oh, happy dagger!

**K:** Romeo and Juliet's death brought peace to the city of Verona.

THE END

**Goodbye song**