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***Romeo and Juliet:* Their Relationship (2.2)**

Overview *We have been examining different types of relationships in the story and in our lives. In 2.1-2.2., Romeo and Juliet begin a relationship that quickly dominates their lives and clouds their thinking. This assignment asks you to try to characterize that relationship while also working on your writing skills.*

Step One Gather Details and Examples

Use the following organizer to help you find, organize, and analyze details from the text that characterizes Romeo and Juliet’s relationship.

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| **What They Do or Say**  **(quotations or examples)** | **What It Means**  **(interpretation)** | **Why It’s Important**  **(discussion and analysis)** |
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Step Two Using the quotations and examples from Step One, write a paragraph that characterizes the relationship between Romeo and Juliet at this point. You must include at least three specific examples or quotations, (properly cited with act, scene, and line numbers). Be sure to introduce and comment on the examples/quotations before and after.

Step Three **Personal Response**

Jot down your thoughts about their relationship and their actions. Do you agree with or understand what they are doing? What do you think – and why do you think it?