Costume design planning prompts

COMPETITION

When putting on a performance, the costume worn by each character is so important. The costume they wear might tell us whether they are rich or poor, or what job they do. It can also provide information about their personality. Costume designers have to think carefully about how to show these things through the colours, materials and accessories used to create the costume.

Think about the character you have chosen and then answer these questions to help you plan your design.

Name
What is their status? (Rich? Poor? Job? Powerful? Royal?)
What is their personality? (Kind? Evil? Deceitful? Honest? Loyal? Miserable?)
Are there any characteristics you want their costume to show? (Are they a trickster? Have magic powers? Soldier?)
Is your version of the play set in Tudor times or more modern?



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