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A Midsummer Night's Dream

by William Shakespeare

(Sierra Vista Campus)

This guide lists some of the available sources for further research and literary criticism of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* by William Shakespeare.

Reference Books: (May be used in the library only)

- *Shakespearean Criticism* REF PR 2965 .S44 (Vols. ,12 9 45, 58, 70, 8, 92, 102)
Note: see index of the latest volume to locate specific characters, themes, etc.
- *Asimov's Guide to Shakespeare* REF PR 2976 .A73 2003
- *The Oxford Companion to Shakespeare* REF PR 2892 .O94 2001
- *Shakespeare's Language: A Glossary of Unfamiliar Words in His Plays and Poems* REF PR 2892 .S447 1996
- *Shakespeare's Words: A Glossary and Language Companion* REF PR 2892 .C78 2004

Books: (May be checked out. Search the library catalog for loan periods and additional titles.)

Literary Criticism

- Bloom, Harold, ed. *William Shakespeare Comedies and Romances*. PR 2981.W49 1986
- Bloom, Harold, ed. *William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream (Modern Critical Interpretations)*. PR 2807 .W54 2010
- Swinden, Patrick. *An Introduction to Shakespeare's Comedies*. PR 2981.S9 c.2
- Swisher,Clarice, ed. *Readings on The Comedies*. PR 2981.R43 1997
- Thompson, Stephen, ed. *Readings on A Midsummer Night's Dream*. PR 2807 .R43 2000

Annotated Copies of the Play

- Shakespeare, William. *A Midsummer Night's Dream (No Fear Shakespeare)*. PR 2827.A2C76 2003
- Shakespeare, William. *A Midsummer Night's Dream (The Oxford Shakespeare)*. PR 2827 .A2H57 2008, PR 2827 .A2 H57 1994

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Scholarly Articles:

Cochise College Library Databases: Literature Resource Center, Literature Criticism Online, ProQuest: Literature & Language, JSTOR

Sample articles from Literature Resource Center

- Morén, Urban. "'Antique Fable' Epitomized by Puck." *English Language Notes* 38.1 (Sept. 2000): 16-40
- Nevo, Ruth. "Fancy's Images." *William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream*. New York: Chelsea House Publishers, 1987. 57-72
- Olson, Paul A. "A Midsummer Night's Dream and the Meaning of Court Marriage." *ELH* 24.2 (June 1957): 95-119.

Sample articles from ProQuest

- Frosch, Thomas R. "The Missing Child in A Midsummer Night's Dream." *American Imago* 64.4 (2007): 485-511
- Hunt, Maurice. "A Speculative Political Allegory in A Midsummer Night's Dream." *Comparative Drama* 34.4 (2001): 423-53.
- Wall, Wendy. "Why does Puck Sweep?: Fairylore, Merry Wives, and Social Struggle." *Shakespeare Quarterly* 52.1 (2001): 67,106,176.

Media:

DVDs (May be checked out. Search the library catalog for loan periods and additional titles.)

- Birkett, Michael. *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (2004) PR 2827.A23 H344 2004
- Everett, Rupert. *William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream* (1999) PR 3093 .M54 1999
- Mill, Jonathan. *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (2000) PR 3093 .M55 2000
- Reinhardt, Max. *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (2007) PR 3093.M52 2007

Films on Demand (Streaming online. Off-campus users: Access FoD through My Cochise and search by item number.)

- *A Midsummer Night's Dream (in Original Pronunciation)*. Item number 55020.
<http://digital.films.com/PortalViewVideo.aspx?xtid=55020>
- *A Midsummer Night's Dream: Young Actors in Training*. Item number 43365.
<http://digital.films.com/PortalViewVideo.aspx?xtid=43365>