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Oedipus Rex Prophecy Activity

Oedipus Rex: A Prophecy Foretold

<u>Analyze</u>

Work with your group to answer the following questions about your assigned prophecy.

- 1. What is the literal meaning of the prophecy in your own words?
- 2. What is the main idea of the prophecy?
- 3. Who is it being spoken to?
- 4. Who is the speaker (or prophet)?
- 5. What is the tone of this prophecy? Is this prophecy positive or negative?
- 6. Why was this prophecy spoken?



Embody

Create an embodied performance of your prophecy, incorporating the following:

- Every member of the group must be incorporated into the piece.
- Use movement, sound effects, vocal dynamics (shouts, whispers, etc.).
- There must be at least one shared moment (everyone performs the same gesture or says the same thing).
- Consider main idea, tone, and audience when constructing this piece.

Write

Craft your very own prophecy! Use the following as a guide:

- Who needs to receive a prophecy right now? This could be someone you know personally, someone you don't know, or someone you only know about.
- Do they need to hear a positive or negative prophecy?
- What do you hope this person does once they hear the prophecy?
- Why are you bestowing this prophecy on them?
- Prophecies should be two-to-three sentences long.

