



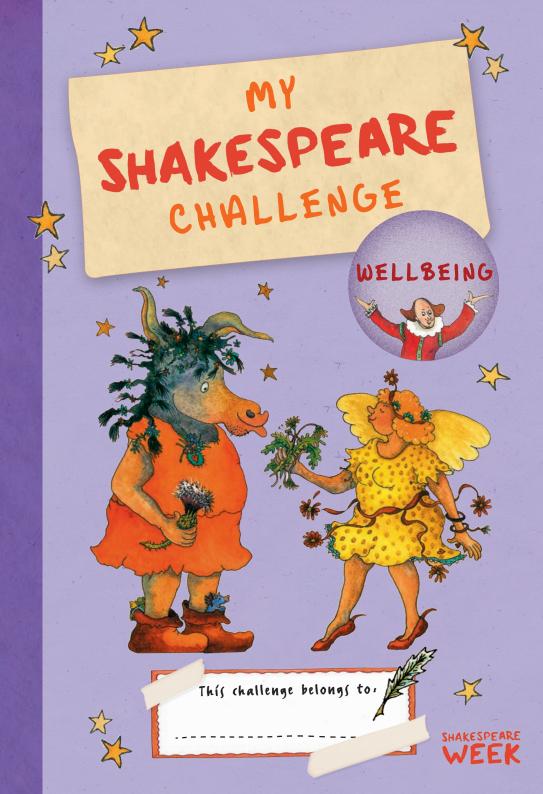
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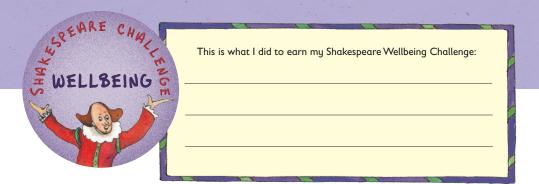






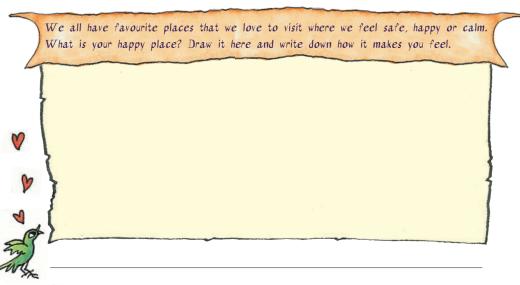
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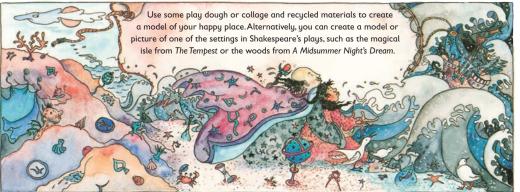






Many of Shakespeare's plays were set in beautiful, natural places such as the Forest of Arden in As You Like It, the woods in A Midsummer Night's Dream and a magical isle in The Tempest. Shakespeare also liked to imagine places that he had never been and often his plays were set in other parts of the world such as Italy.





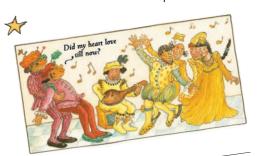




It's Good to Talk

Talking about our feelings is a good way to connect with others. Understanding your own and others' emotions is really important for your wellbeing. In his plays Shakespeare was really good at using words that helped you understand how his characters were feeling.

Read some of Shakespeare's words in the bubbles and decide which of these four emotions they show; ANGER, SADNESS, FEAR or LOVE. Write the emotion in the line beneath each picture then draw arrows to match the pictures to his words.



« Alas, alas! Help, help! my lady's dead!



"To be thus is nothing; But to be safely thus: Our fears in Banquo Stick deep."



Macbeth, Act III Scene I





"O me!

you juggler! you canker-blossom! You thief of love!" A Midsummer Night's Dream, Act III Scene II













"Did my heart love till now?