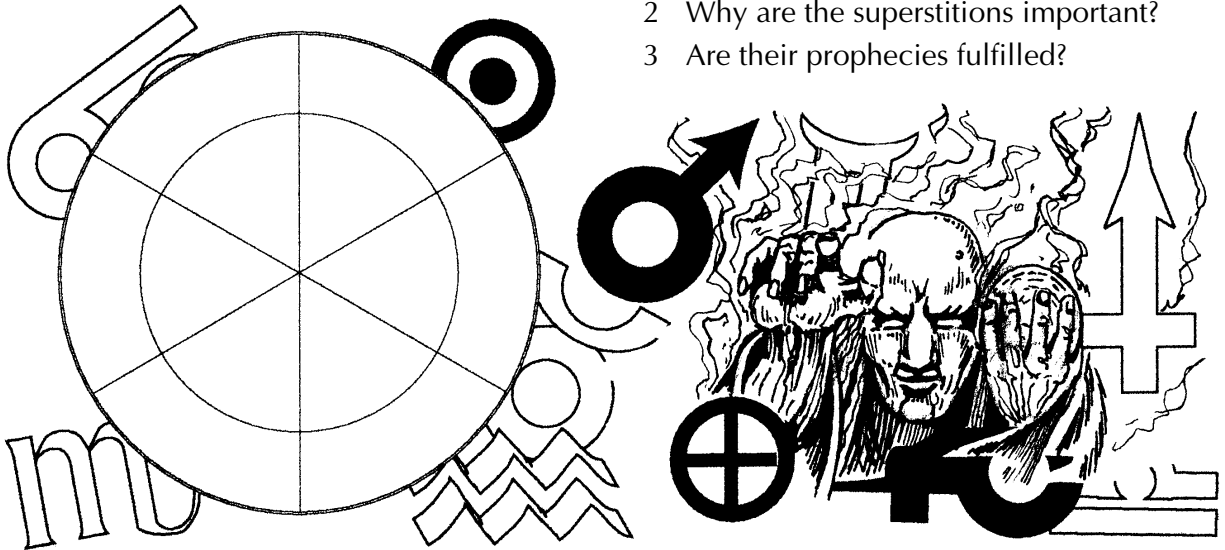


TRUE OMENS

What are the main omens, prophecies and dreams mentioned in *Julius Caesar*? Put them in a chart like the one below. Include a drawing representing each superstition in the middle segments, and an act, scene and line reference in the spaces above.

Choose two of the examples from your superstition chart and answer the questions below.

- 1 How do the superstitions affect the mood, atmosphere and setting at their particular points in the play?
- 2 Why are the superstitions important?
- 3 Are their prophecies fulfilled?



Now write horoscopes for the characters below, bearing in mind what happens to them in the play. Use ideas from your superstition chart, and give the characters appropriate star signs.

