

## Act 2, Scene 1

- Use these ideas to help you produce a **detailed explanation of what happens in the scene.** Remember to relate what happens to the earlier and later scenes.

Ideas:

- Before the scene
- Banquo's thoughts and feelings
- Sleep
- Names people are called
- How Duncan feels about being at the castle
- Witches
- Macbeth's thoughts and feelings
- Daggers
- Final lines
- After the scene

Quotes:

- "Their candles are all out"
- "A friend"
- "most kind hostess"
- "I think not of them"
- "Is this a dagger which I see before me..."
- "Thou may'st all'st me the way that I was going"
- "Hear not my steps, which way I walk, for fear Thy very stones prate of my whereabouts"

- Explain why the decision would have been a difficult one for Macbeth to make. What do you think convinced him in the end?

- Produce an illustration to represent the scene.

