



# **Strange, Cool Shakespeare: Presenting Approaches to Understanding the Plays for Young Readers**

**A free public Zoom talk designed  
for students and open to everyone!**

**Sunday, October 11  
7:00 PM Eastern Time**

**Meeting ID: 857 0550 4711  
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Topics include

- **How to make reading Shakespeare easier, more accessible, and less intimidating.**
- **Ways of imaginatively engaging with the text.**
- **Understanding the context of the plays.**
- **and more!**

This talk is aimed at students who might have no previous experience with Shakespeare's plays. Jonathan Holmes is an English professor at Central State University, where he teaches classes on Shakespeare, composition, and early modern literature. He earned a PhD from The Ohio State University in 2016.



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