

## The Masque of the Red Death by Edgar Allan Poe

### Ideas to work the text

#### Warm Up

Describe fear.

#### Read and listen to the story.

Work on any vocabulary you think is important.

#### After reading

1. Revise Gothic literature characteristics. How does this story fit those characteristics?
2. Work on allegory and symbolism worksheets taken from <http://whyweread.com/books/view/the-masque-of-the-red-death> by Tim Belmont, July 16th 2016
2. Who is Prince Prospero? Create a facebook profile.
3. Create a book trailer for this short story. The mood of the trailer should match the tone introduced for Gothic literature.
4. Write from a different perspective than the one given by Edgar Allan Poe. You can be the Red Death or a visitor or.....



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