Shakespeare Intro Video

Answer the following questions in complete sentences. Do not forget to do part 2!

Part 1

1. When did Shakespeare live?
2. What was booming during this time?
3. What kind of leader was Elizabeth I?
4. What was the first theatre called? When was it built?
5. Where were most of Shakespeare’s plays performed?
6. Describe the performances of the plays during this time period. (What kind of props, etc. did they have?)
7. Who played the female parts in the plays? Why?
8. How were actors and writers viewed then? How is that different from now?
9. Where was Shakespeare born? When?
10. Who were his parents?
11. Where was Shakespeare likely educated?
12. Who did Shakespeare marry
13. How many children did Shakespeare and his wife have?
14. What three types of plays did Shakespeare write?
15. Who were his characters and language meant for?
16. When did Shakespeare die?
17. Why do we still read/study Shakespeare today?

Part 2

Take notes on the 2nd video—will be checked for thoroughness.