

Othello quotation practice grid.

7. 'Lie with her? Lie on her? – We say lie on her when they belie her. Lie with her! ... Pish! Noses, ears and lips? Is't possible? Confession – Handkerchief? – O devil!' IV I 36-7, 43-4.

<p>1. What has just happened to prompt this response by Othello to Iago?</p>	<p>2. What happens immediately after these words?</p>	<p>3. The missing word from Iago straight after? 'Work on. / My ???? works.' What does he mean by that (missing) word?</p>
<p>4. Explain the meanings of the word 'lie' in this context.</p>	<p>5. At this point of the play, how would you describe Othello's state of mind?</p>	
<p>6. This is a long and complicated scene. At the end of it we see Lodovico for the first time. What is his significance?</p>	<p>7. How can as trivial thing as a handkerchief be a key element of 'proof'?</p>	