

Hamlet quotation practice grid.

12. 'Which time she chanted snatches of old tunes, / As one incapable of her own distress.' IV vii.

<p>1. What is happening at this point of the play?</p>	<p>2. What does 'incapable' mean in this sentence?</p>	<p>3. What is the missing word in this statement by Laertes? 'Too much of water hast thou, poor Ophelia, / And therefore I ????? my tears. And then explain <i>why</i> he says that.</p>
<p>4. What has led Ophelia to this point?</p>	<p>5. In the last words of the scene the King gives his own reaction to this news. What is it?</p>	<p>6. Earlier in the play Hamlet said this to Ophelia: 'You should have not believed me, for virtue cannot so inoculate our old stock but we shall relish of it.' The next sentence was short and simple: <i>what did he say to her?</i></p>
<p>7. What happens in the scene immediately after this one?</p>	<p>8. What does the story of Ophelia tell us about the central narrative of Hamlet himself, and what impact does it have on how we see him?</p>	