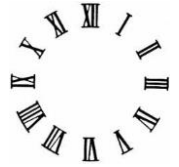L.O I can read Roman numerals.

1. King Macbeth of Scotland, on whom Shakespeare's play was based, died on August **XV**, 1057.

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2. Shakespeare's play, ending in Macbeth's death, takes place over a year whereas in reality, Macbeth ruled for **XVII** years.

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3. Orson Welles' 1948 film, Macbeth, is perhaps the most famous big screen version. It was filmed in just **XXIII** days.

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4. In total, Shakespeare wrote **X** tragedies. Macbeth tends to be the one that receives the most performances simply because it is the shortest.

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5. It is thought that in the play, Lady Macbeth is around **XXXV** – **XL** years old.

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6. The role of Macbeth is **DCCXIX** lines long, which is only half the length of Hamlet.

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7. It was written in about **MDCVI**.

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8. The earliest film version of Macbeth was a black and white silent film made in **MCMVIII**.

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9. History states that Macbeth was performed in the Globe Theatre in **MDCXI**.

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10. Macbeth has had its fair share of tragedies and disasters. In a **MCMXLII** production, four people involved in the production died, including two of the Witches and the man playing Duncan!

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11. Can you write some facts about yourself using Roman numerals?