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Subject	English FAL	Grade	12	Date	
Topic	Drama: My Children My Africa		Revision		
Time Allocation	60 mins		Marks	42	
INSTRUCTIONS					
➤ Indicate who spoke the words below and to whom					
➤ Indicate what was happening					
➤ Indicate what had happened before the speech					
➤ Indicate what happens after the speech					
➤ What do we learn about the speaker from the words spoken					

MEMORANDUM

1. Act 1 scene 1
 - Mr M to Isabel and Thami
 - During a debate
 - Isabel and other students from Camdeboo high a white only school came for a debate at Zolile a black only school
 - Isabel's team won the debate
 - Mr M. believes in order and the power of English language
2. Act 1, scene 5
 - Mr M to Isabel

- Mr M is pleading with Isabel to talk to Thami who seems to have lost interest in his school work due to political activities.
 - Isabel had made friends with a black boy Thami from Zolile High after the debate.
 - Isabel refused to help Mr M as she believes this would be a betrayal to their friendship but she actually spoke with Thami.
 - Mr M. believes in education over everything else. He loves Thami and wishes only the best for him.
3. Act 1 scene 2
- Thami to Isabel
 - Isabel trying to assist Mr M to make Thami understand that Mr M wants only the best for him.
 - Mr M has asked Isabel to talk to Thami about his unruly behavior.
 - Thami and his school mates killed Mr M.
 - Thami respects his elders, he can't contradict them even though he does not agree with them. He is a free thinker.
4. Act 2 scene 3
- Mr M to Thami
 - During the riot when Mr M wanted the learners to get into the classrooms.
 - Riots for freedom against apartheid had begun and people are being pointed out as sellouts.
 - Mr M is killed for being a sellout.
 - He believes in order and education.
5. Act 1 scene 5
- Mr M to Thami
 - Mr M trying to change Thami's mind into understanding that change and freedom can be acquired in many different forms besides the violent one that the learners are using.
 - Learners have stopped coming to school and have joined revolution.
 - Mr. M is killed for refusing to join revolution.
 - Mr M is an old-fashioned person that believes in the old ideas of doing things.
6. Act 2 scene 4
- Thami to Isabel
 - Thami tells Isabel that he is leaving the country to join the revolution.
 - Mr M has been killed by Thami and his mates for being a sellout
 - Thami and Isabel chose different roads to take. Isabel goes seeking Mr M's memorial site Thami skips the country to join revolution
 - Thami is a loving person and is strong headed in what he believes in.
7. Act 1 scene 3
- Isabel to Mr M
 - When Mr M meets with Isabel to invite Isabel to take part in a Grahamstown Schools' Festival Literature quiz with Thami.
 - After a successful debate between Zolile and Camdeboo.
 - Isabel agrees to join Thami in the competition.
 - Isabel is free spirited and is ignorant of how the blacks are being treated

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