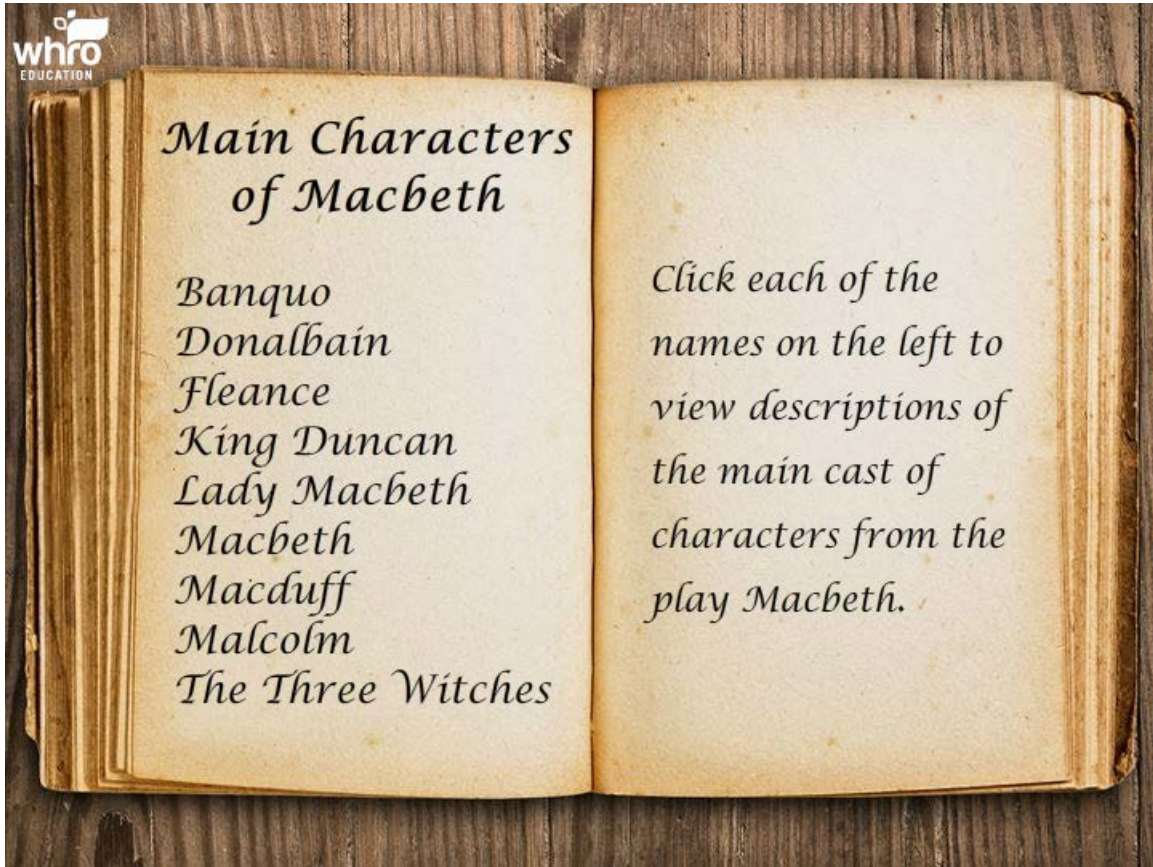


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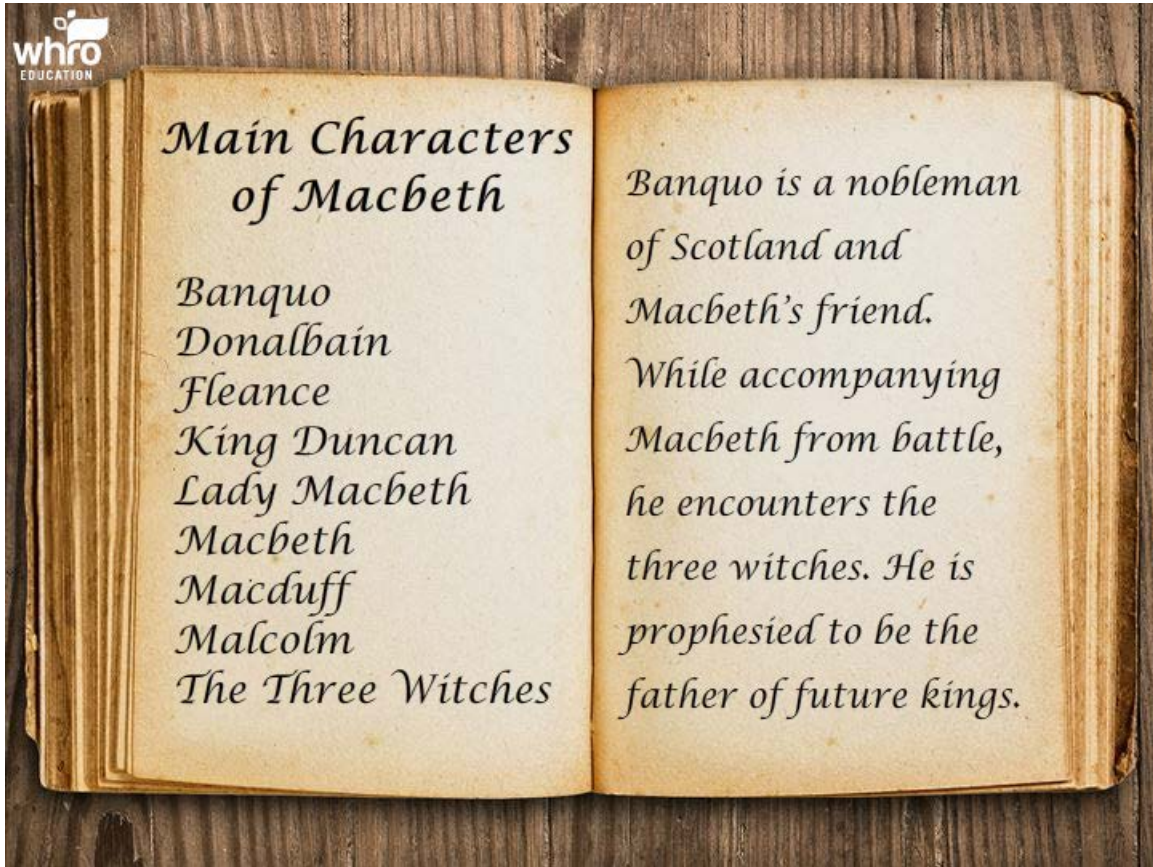
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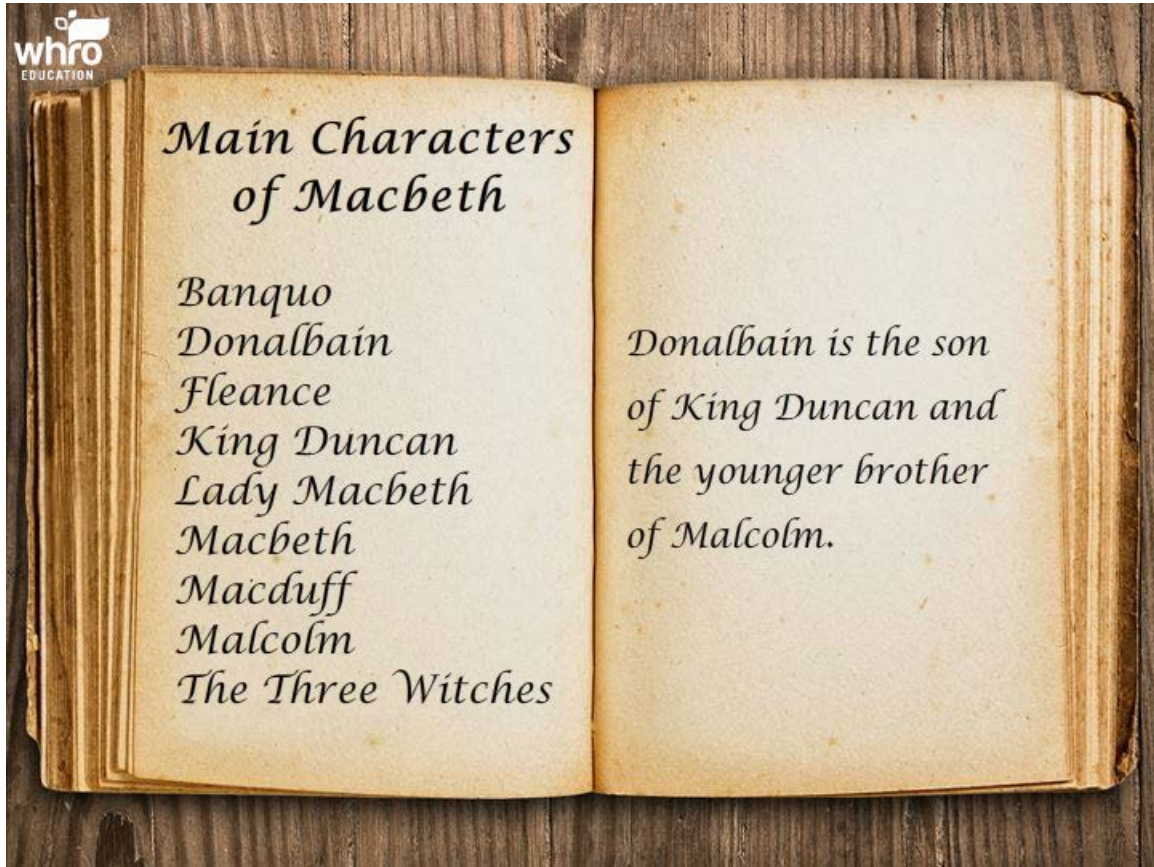
Banquo



Banquo is a nobleman of Scotland and Macbeth's friend. While accompanying Macbeth from battle, he encounters the three witches. He is prophesied to be the father of future kings.

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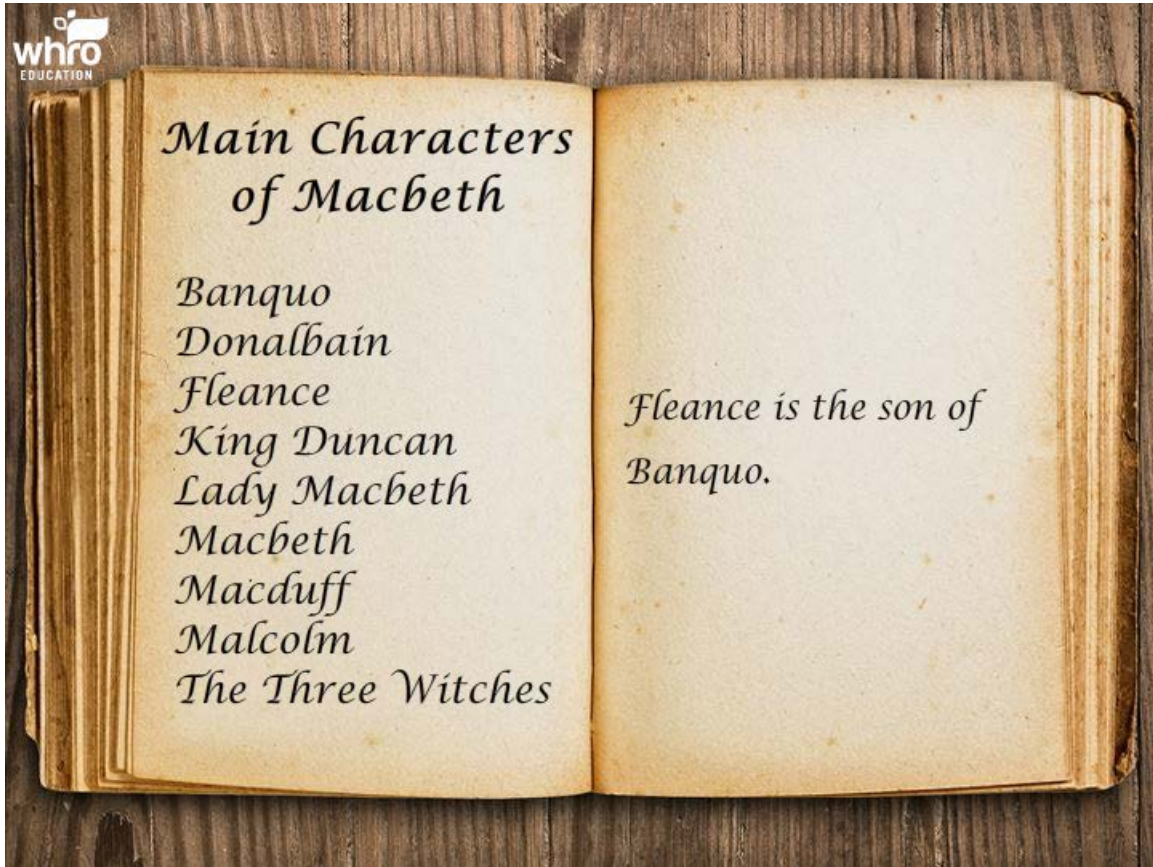
Donalbain



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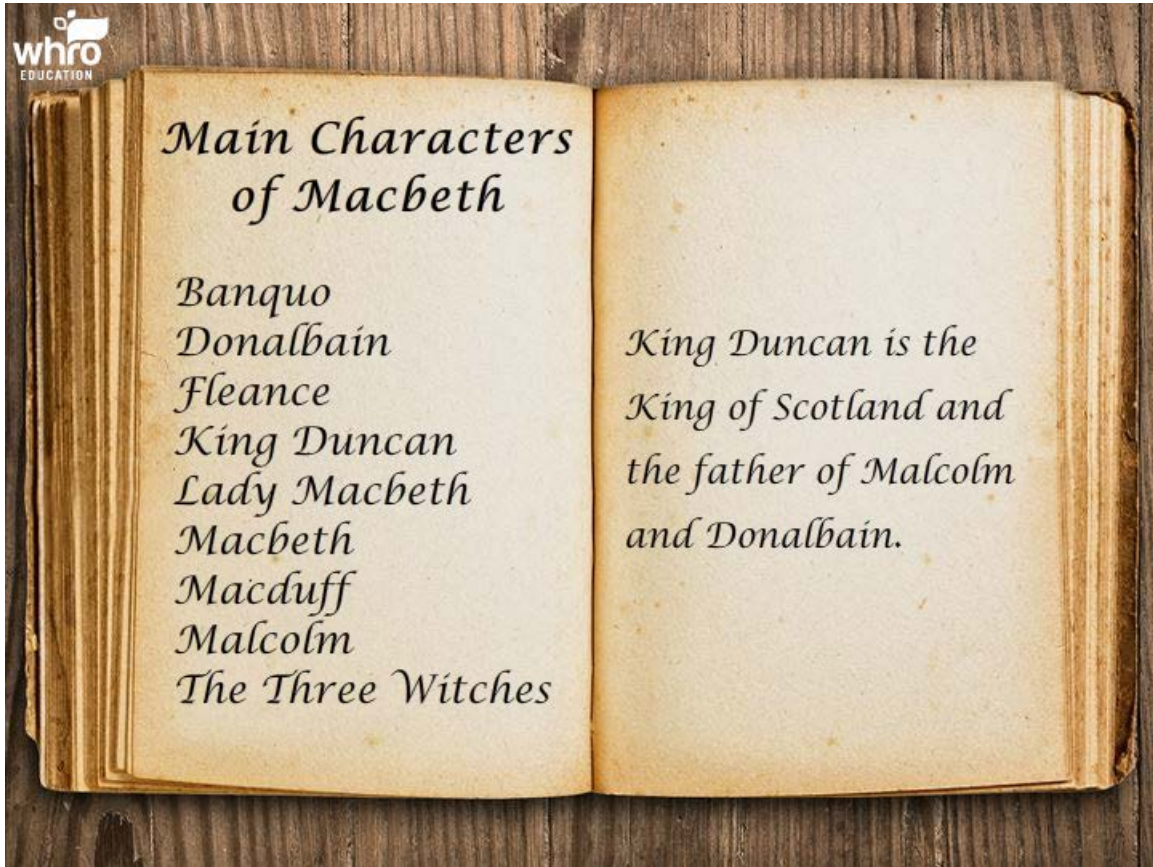
Fleance



Fleance is the son of Banquo.

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King Duncan



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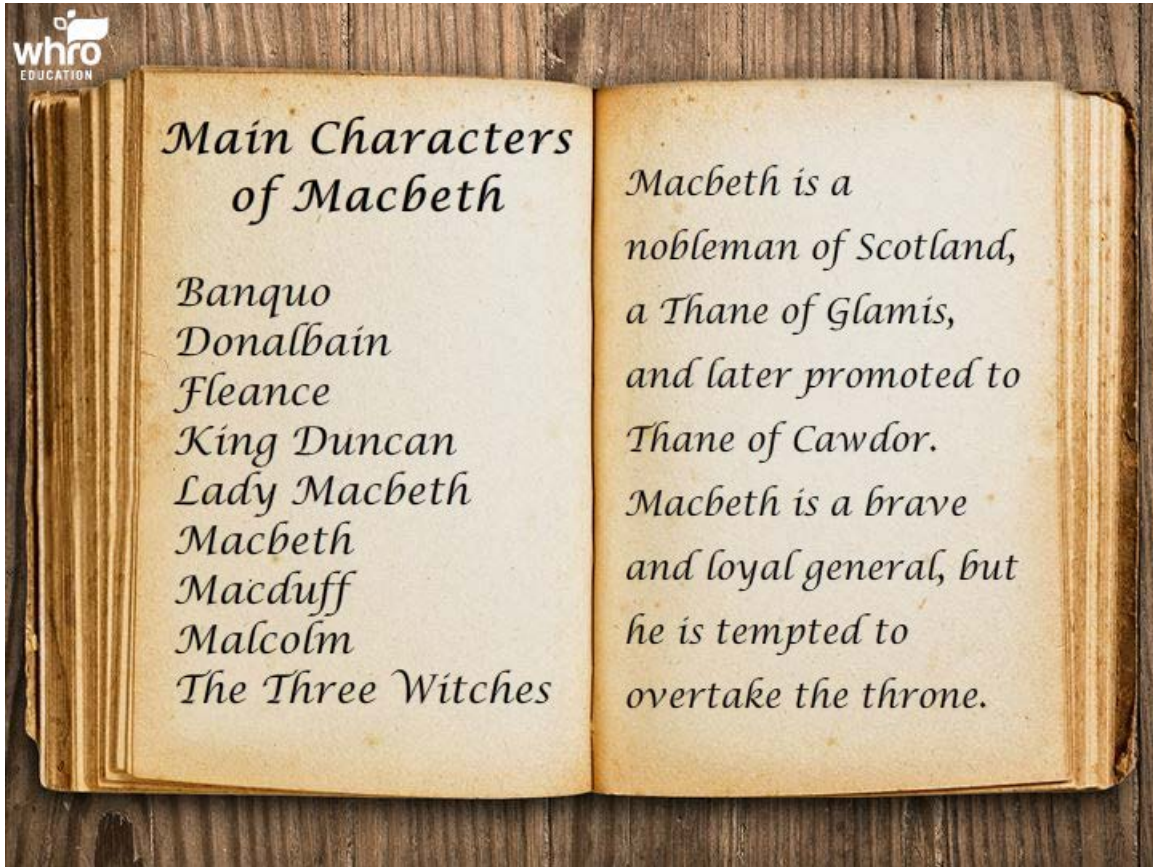
Lady Macbeth



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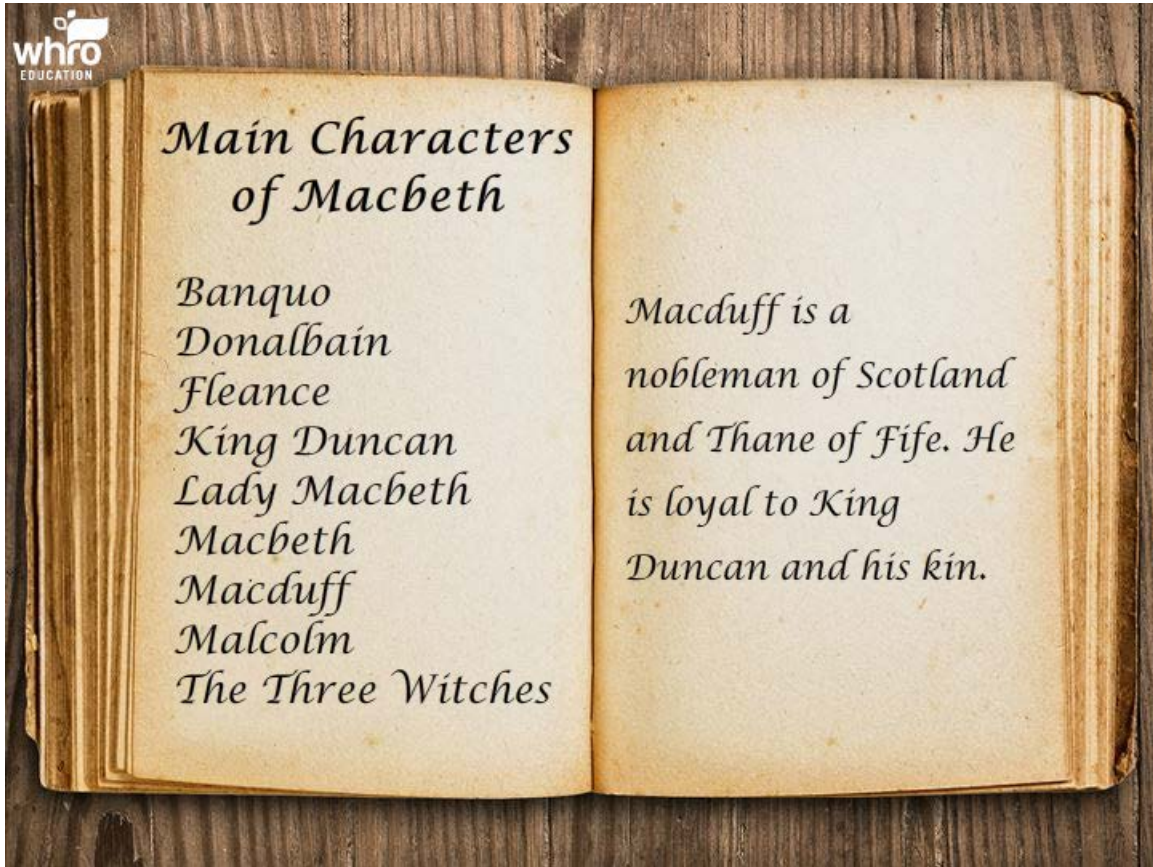
Macbeth



Macbeth is a nobleman of Scotland, a Thane of Glamis, and later promoted to Thane of Cawdor. Macbeth is a brave and loyal general, but he is tempted to overtake the throne.

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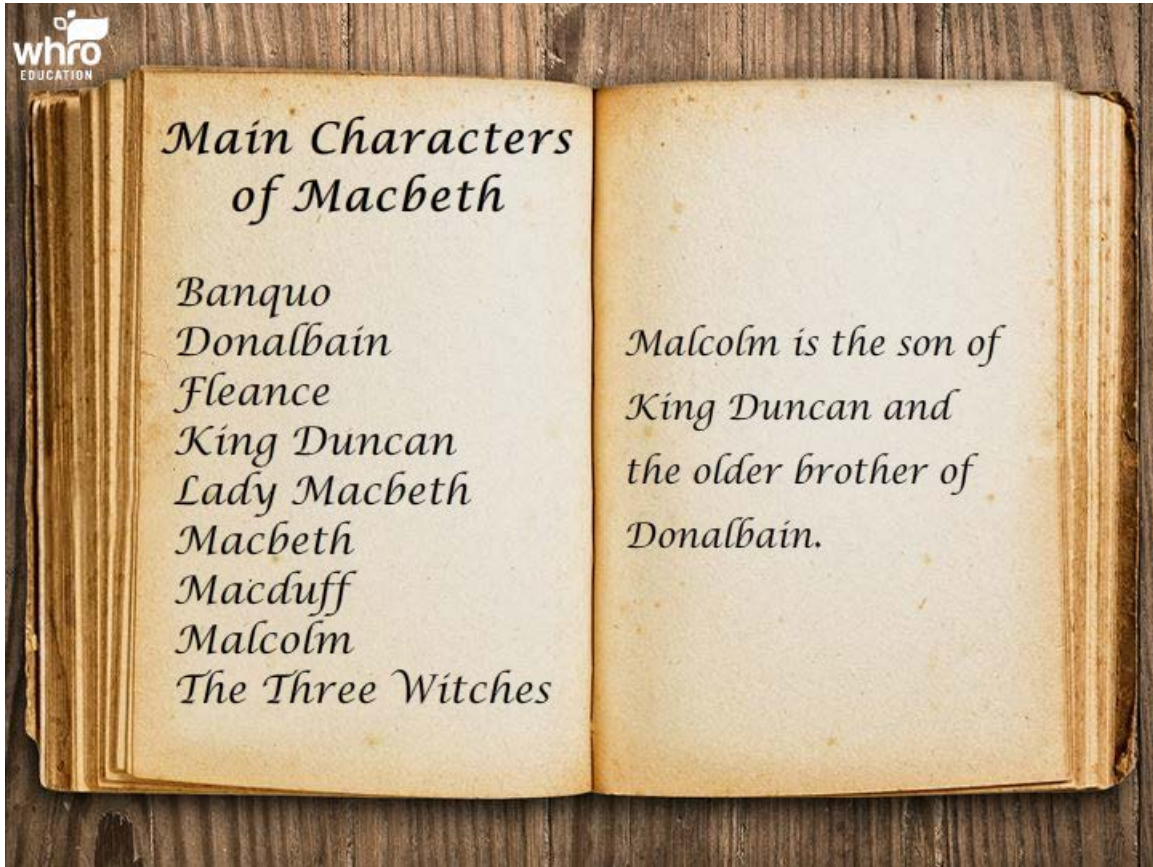
Macduff



Macduff is a nobleman of Scotland and Thane of Fife. He is loyal to King Duncan and his kin.

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Malcolm



Malcolm is the son of King Duncan and the older brother of Donalbain.

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The Three Witches



The three witches meet Macbeth and Banquo in the beginning of the story. They prophesy that Macbeth will become king and Banquo will become father of future kings.