

## Create a Skit

This activity accompanies chapter 8 from *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexandre Dumas, record number 5509.

**Activity Title:** Create a Skit

**Description:** The students will work in small groups to create a skit for a portion of the chapter.

**Subject:** Reading/Language Arts and Arts: Theatre

**Skill:** Reading Comprehension and Theatre Applications

**Behavioral Objective:**

- The student will create a skit for a portion of the chapter.

**Materials:**

- *The Count of Monte Cristo*, chapter 8, available in audio and print form at <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/>
- Paper and pencils

**Procedures:**

Read the chapter with the students, or have them read it on their own. Discuss with the students the main idea of the chapter. Then, have the students work in small groups to develop a skit for part of the chapter to present to the class. Allow the students time to choose their portion of the chapter, and to create and practice their skits. When the students have finished working, have each group present their skits in front of the class.

