Dear Dot Actor Advice Letter Reading Worksheet

1. What does Hamlet want to be? 
2. What classes does he want to take? 
3. What does his father want him to take? 
4. Is his father a college graduate? 
5. What is your advice for Hamlet? Circle your answer.
   a. Do what your father says.
   b. Do what you want to do.
   c. Take both classes, if possible.
   d. Leave home.

6. Now read Dot's answer. See if your answer is the same. If your answer is different, tell why you disagree. Dot's advice is below.

Dear Hamlet,

This is my problem. I want to be an actor, but my father says, "No!" I want to take drama classes next year. My father says, "Take computer programming." I don't want to go to college. My father says, "Go to college. Get an education." My father is not a college graduate, so it is important to him. But I want to act, not study. What can I do?

Hamlet

Dear Dot,

Listen to your father. Take computer programming and drama. Today you want to be an actor. Tomorrow you may want to be an acteur. Remember, you never know what you want to be until you try it. Good luck.

Dot