

How To Quote From Plays in Essays

..We are told about this in the play The Wasps by Aristophanes when one character complains that.. “... ”

As we are reminded by one character in Aristophanes play the Wasps, that there were “ ... ”

In Aristophanes’ play The Poet and the Women, there is a line that suggests that the Ekklesia would meet on the Pnyx hill when the “the flag went up over the temple”.

A character in Lysistrata by Aristophanes, Cordiale, mentioned that it is “not easy to be a wife”, she complained that.....

In The Wasps by Aristophanes the character Xanthia says that his master is “so accustomed to holding the balloting pebble, that.... ”

From another of Aristophanes plays, The Poet and The Women, we learn of an all female festival that is held every year...

This is hinted at in The Wasps, when one of the characters talks about “...how much” the State “collects from the subject cities...” which implies that a good deal of Athen’s revenue came from tribute paid by the other city states in the Delian League which Athens controlled.

We are shown in the play how in Athenian courts, the defendant was judged by the jurors using voting tokens to decide their fate. One character, as described by another, was apparently “...so accustomed to holding a balloting pebble, that he wakes up with his three fingers pinched together.”

We are reminded of this in the play.....

One character - mentions that...

- complains that
- accuses another character of....
- recalls how.....