Directions: After reviewing “Reading Shakespeare Language” from the book, ***Othello***, try to make meaning of these Shakespearean quotes and consider the lessons you learned about wordplay, sentence, words, etc.

For “Certes” says he,/ “I have already choose my officer” (I.i. 17-18).

If ever I did dream of such a matter,/ abhor me (I. i. 5-6).

“An old black ram/Is tupping your white ewe” (I.i.97-98).

“Though in the trade of war I have slain men/Yet do I hold it very stuff o’th’ conscience to do no contrived murder/I lack iniquity to do me service” (I. ii. 1-4)

“I crave fit disposition for my wife,/due reference of place and exhibition,/with such accommodation and besort/as levels with her breeding” (I.iii. 269-272).