

Read the short story by Edgar Allan Poe:

https://americanenglish.state.gov/files/ae/resource_files/the_cask_of_amontillado.pdf

Answer the below questions:

1. How does the narrator feel about Fortunato? How do you know? Support your response with a quote from the text.
2. Where do you see foreshadowing in the text? Find one quote that implies what will happen later in the story.
3. How would you describe the mood of the story? How does Poe's imagery create that mood? Use one piece of evidence.
4. How does Poe increase the elements of suspense as Fortunato is gradually walled into the catacombs?
5. Why is the setting of the story appropriate? Also talk about why Poe sets this story during "the carnival season"?