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1. The author of the passage would be most likely to agree with which of the following statements about the scholars mentioned in line 1?

> *Some scholars have based their assertion that Shakespeare's play Love's Labour's Lost was written in 1588 on the fact that one of the play's characters is named Don Armado, and in 1588 the Spanish Armada attempted its invasion of England. This is similar to suggesting that a play containing a character named Dunkirk had to have been written in 1940, the year in which the famous rescue of British soldiers at Dunkirk occurred.*

(A) They are overconfident in their belief that it is at all possible to date Love's Labour's Lost with any certainty.

(B) They are incorrect in asserting that Love's Labour's Lost was written as early as 1588.

(C) They have based their conclusion about the year in which Love's Labour's Lost was written on inadequate evidence.

(D) They have failed to understand the historical significance of the events described in Love's Labour's Lost.

(E) They have misunderstood the significant place Love's Labour's Lost occupies in Shakespeare's body of work.