



William Shakespeare

1. What's the word?

Write the word under the pictures.



William Shakespeare	twins	London	theatre	actor
play	musicians	comedy	tragedy	history

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2. What's the order?

Watch the video and put the sentences in order.



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- He worked in London as an actor and then started writing plays.
- Three years later he married Anne Hathaway and they had three children.
- William Shakespeare was born in 1564 in Stratford-upon-Avon, in England.
- His plays and poetry are still popular today.
- In 1593 theatres were closed because of the plague, so he started to write poems.
- William left school when he was 14 or 15.
- He died when he was 52 on 23 April 1616.
- He helped build a new theatre called The Globe, which opened in 1599.
- Sometime before 1590 he left Stratford and went to London.
- He wrote at least 38 plays, and was rich and famous.



3. Choose the answer!



Read the sentences. Circle the correct answer.

- a. William Shakespeare had _____ brothers and sisters. **six / seven / eight**
- b. He had a daughter and _____, a boy and a girl. **sons / friends / twins**
- c. In London, he helped build a _____ called The Globe. **theatre / school / library**
- d. The Globe was _____. **round / square / long**
- e. The Globe had space for _____ people. **2000 / 3000 / 4000**
- f. Musicians made special _____ to make it more exciting. **food / noises / pictures**
- g. All the characters were played by _____ and boys. **children / women / men**
- h. He wrote comedies, tragedies and _____ plays. **geography / science / history**
- i. He wrote at least _____ plays. **35 / 38 / 41**
- j. He invented lots of new English _____ and expressions. **words / letters / sounds**

4. Find the words!



Find the words from exercise 1 in the wordsearch below.

A	S	H	A	K	E	S	P	E	A	R	E
W	W	B	I	T	H	E	A	T	R	E	T
I	A	L	C	S	V	C	D	J	K	P	R
L	C	S	O	P	T	U	O	E	T	L	A
L	T	W	I	N	S	O	H	M	I	A	G
I	O	Q	G	N	D	Q	R	Y	E	Y	E
A	R	O	X	R	F	O	V	Y	L	D	D
M	U	S	I	C	I	A	N	S	Z	M	Y