Grammar Past Simple

Write the past simple form of the verbs. State the verbs are regular or irregular.

Verbs	Past simple form	Regular/irregular
Go		
Like		
See		
Get		
Start		
Read		
Say		
Wish		
Come		
Hate		

Correct the sentences about the writer Suzanne Collins. Use the words in brackets.

1. **She lived in New York for 18 years. (16 years)**

2. **She grew up in the same place. (different places)**

3. **She started writing for children's television in 1992 (1991)**

4. **Her books The Hunger Games Trilogy were successful in one country. (lots of countries)**

5. **She wrote a book about a character called Gregor and his little brother. (little sister)**

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Complete the book review with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

THE HUNGER GAMES

My brother (1) *gave* (give) me *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins for my birthday. I (2) ... (not think) I would like it, but as soon as I (3) ... (start) reading it, I (4) ... (love) it. I (5) ... (not want) it to end!

I (6) ... (think) the story, which takes place in the future, was very original. This book (7) ... (have) an unusual theme. I (8) ... (find) the main character, Katniss Everdeen, very believable and I really (9) ... (want) her to win the Hunger Games competition. The story was so exciting that I (10) ... (stay) up all night to finish it! Some people (11) ... (not like) the book because they (12) ... (say) there was too much fighting in it, but I disagree. I can't wait to read the next book in the series!

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