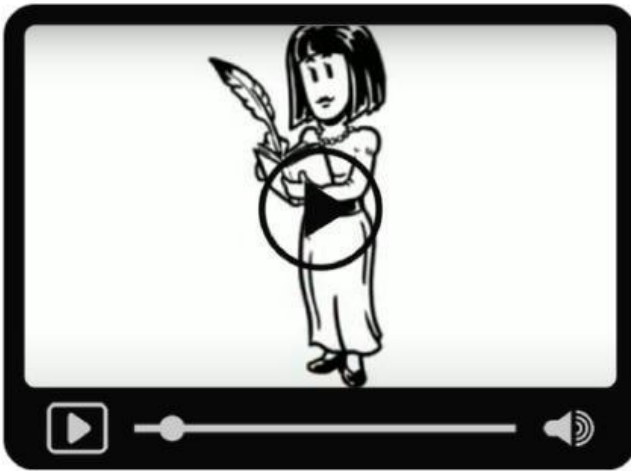




NO MYSTERY IN MASTERY!

You are going to watch a short video about the famous writer Agatha Christie. Write down the regular and irregular verbs in the past tense that you can hear on the video.



★ REGULAR PAST TENSE VERBS

★ IRREGULAR PAST TENSE VERBS

Blank box for writing regular past tense verbs.

Blank box for writing irregular past tense verbs.

READING!

Read the text below with more information about the writer Agatha Christie. Complete the text with the verbs from the box but in the past tense.

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"Agatha Christie: The Queen of 'No Mystery' in Mastery"

Agatha Christie was a famous British writer. She _____ many detective stories that _____ the mystery genre. Her most famous characters were Hercule Poirot and Miss Marple. These characters _____ iconic in the world of detective fiction. Hercule Poirot, a meticulous and brilliant Belgian detective, solved many complex cases with his sharp mind and attention to detail. Miss Marple, on the other hand, was a clever and observant elderly lady who used her knowledge of human nature to solve mysteries in her small village.

Christie _____ up clever plots that kept readers guessing until the end. Her book "The Murder of Roger Ackroyd" became a sensation and _____ her popularity worldwide. This novel was particularly famous for its surprising twist ending, which shocked and delighted readers. It demonstrated Christie's ability to craft intricate and unexpected storylines, cementing her reputation as a master of the mystery genre.

Christie's work _____ great imagination and skill, making her a legendary figure in literature. She wrote over 60 detective novels, 14 short story collections, and several plays, including "The Mousetrap," which holds the record for the longest-running play in the world. Her dedication to her craft and her ability to captivate readers with her mysteries have left a lasting legacy, ensuring that her stories remain beloved by fans of all ages.

She _____ the foundations for modern detective stories with her innovative storytelling techniques and memorable characters. Her success _____ with each new book, and she is still one of the best-selling authors today. Christie's influence can be seen in countless detective novels, television shows, and films. Her ability to create suspense and intrigue continues to inspire writers and entertain audiences around the world.