

Read the text and **write** the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

China's First Emperor

Qin Shi Huang was born in 259 BC in China. He 1 (BE) the son of the King of Qin. But he 2 (NOT HAVE) a happy childhood. His father, the king, 3 (DIE) when Qin Shi Huang was only 13 years old.

Once he grew up, he 4 (BECOME) the King. He 5 (HAVE) a big project: to unify China. He 6 (WORK) hard to expand his influence and he 7 (CONQUER) the neighbouring kingdoms. He 8 (CREATE) the Chinese Empire and 9 (DECLARE) himself the first emperor.



During his rule, he 10 (WANT) China to become the greatest power in Asia. He 11 (ASK) inventors to work hard to come up with new and useful ideas. He also 12 (ORDER) the construction of a big wall to protect his empire. He 13 (NOT WANT) other kingdoms to attack his land or learn China's secrets.

But Qin Shi Huang also 14 (HAVE) a huge personal project. He 15 (SHOW) great interest in magic and afterlife. He 16 (STUDY) a lot about this topic and he also 17 (TRAVEL) to distant places to learn more. He 18 (NOT FIND) the elixir for immortality, but he 19 (DESIGN) one of the most famous burial places of all time: The Terracotta Army. He 20 (NOT LIVE) to see this project finished, but he achieved his goal of being remembered forever.