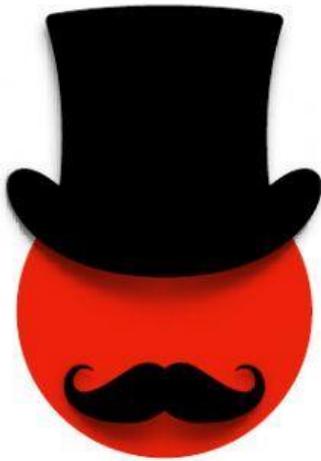


Write the verbs between brackets () in the preterit.



Sherlock Holmes (be) a famous detective. He (have) a friend called Doctor Watson. Together, they (resolve) mysteries and (catch) murderers.

They (live) in London, on 221b Baker Street. Sherlock (like) smoking a pipe and (be) a good violin player.

When they (need) to find clues, Holmes and Watson (use) a magnifying glass, to look for blood stains or fingerprints for example.

But Sherlock Holmes (be) not a real person : he never (exist)! He (be) a fictional character. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle (invent) him and (write) a lot of detective novels about his adventures.

