

1**Complete the sentences with a verb from the box in the past simple.**lose write play be ~~invent~~ live

- 1 Thomas Edison was a scientist. He was born in the 19th century and died in the 20th century. He invented many things, including the washing machine.
- 2 Pelé was a very famous sportsman of the 20th century. He _____ football for Argentina and helped them to win the World Cup three times.
- 3 Charles Darwin _____ a Scottish scientist in the 19th century. He said that human beings evolved from apes.
- 4 John McEnroe is one of the most successful tennis players ever. He played in five Wimbledon finals from 1980 to 1984. He won two of them and _____ three.
- 5 William Shakespeare is one of the most famous English writers. He died in 1616. He _____ a famous story called *Oliver Twist*.
- 6 Italian scientist, Galileo Galilei _____ in the 16th century. He was one of the fathers of modern science.