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William Shakespeare

William Shakespeare was the greatest writer in the English language. He was born in 1564 in Stratford-upon-Avon. At the age of 18, he married Anne Hathaway, who was eight years older than he was. He was educated at the King's School in Stratford-upon-Avon and worked as a schoolmaster.

Shakespeare wrote many comedies and 17 or 18 tragedies. He wrote the most famous plays on subjects including history, and King Lear, The Tempest, Twelfth Night, As You Like It, A Midsummer Night's Dream and The Merchant of Venice. Shakespeare died in Stratford-upon-Avon in 1616. He has a statue in Stratford-upon-Avon. There have been many plays about Shakespeare in many languages, including Chinese. Shakespeare's plays are still being performed, studied, taught and written. His plays are still considered today as they were in the Elizabethan era. He gave the world the first comedies. In the plays, he showed that comedy is Shakespeare's greatest gift. He was the first to write about the human mind. He was the first to write about the human mind. He was the first to write about the human mind.

40. Circle C or F for the given sentences (4x1=4)

- 1) Shakespeare wrote plays and poems. _____
- 2) Shakespeare wrote plays and poems. _____
- 3) Shakespeare wrote plays and poems. _____
- 4) Shakespeare wrote plays and poems. _____
- 5) Shakespeare wrote plays and poems. _____

41. Fill in the blanks with the past form of the verbs in parentheses. (4x2=8)

1. They _____ (be) to do something. (be)
2. They _____ (be) to do something. (be)
3. They _____ (be) to do something. (be)
4. They _____ (be) to do something. (be)
5. They _____ (be) to do something. (be)