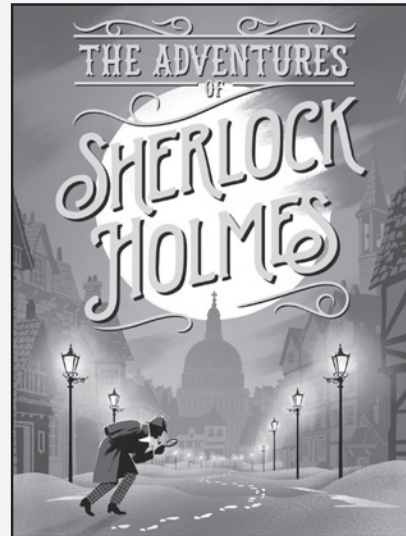


**1 Complete the information about the book.**

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle was born in <sup>1</sup>....., Scotland in <sup>2</sup>..... . He became a <sup>3</sup>..... but he did not have enough work, so he started to write short stories.



Doyle wrote his first Sherlock Holmes story in <sup>4</sup>..... weeks in 1886, and he sold it for <sup>5</sup>..... . People liked the story and they wanted more. Doyle agreed to write a lot more stories for the *Strand Magazine*.

Sherlock Holmes is an intelligent <sup>6</sup>....., and he usually works with his friend Dr Watson. Watson helps Holmes with his cases and <sup>7</sup>..... about them. Holmes does not work for the police, but he sometimes helps them. Usually, people with problems come to Holmes in his flat at 221B <sup>8</sup>..... in London.

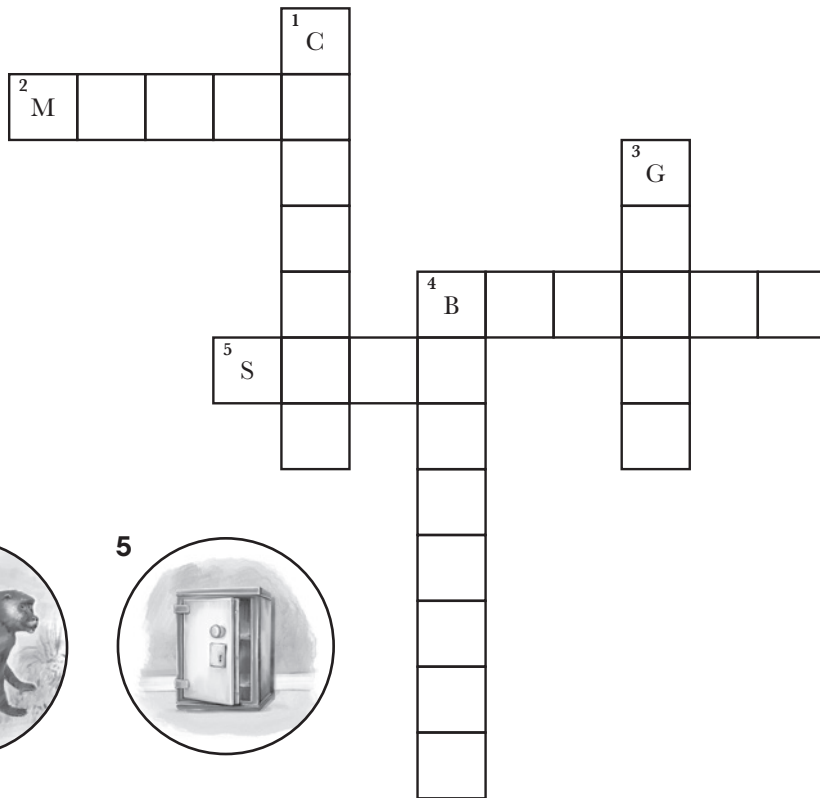


**2 Look at the pictures. Write about each person with the information in the box.**

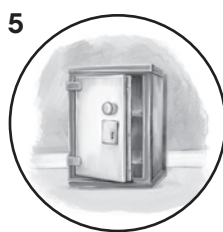
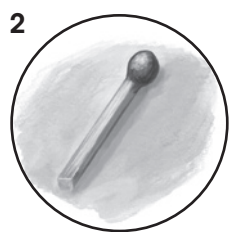
- a doctor      Holmes's brother      works for the government      Lestrade      a detective
- Sherlock Holmes      Dr Watson      Mycroft Holmes      a policeman      Holmes's friend

			
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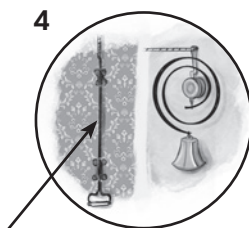
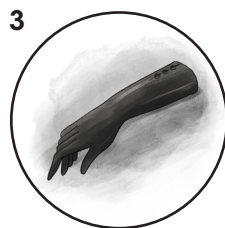
3 Complete the crossword.



Across



Down



4 Make a list of all the clues Holmes has in "The Adventure of the Yellow Band". What does he decide each clue means?

Clues in the case of "The Adventure of the Yellow Band" and their meanings

- 1 .....
- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....
- 5 .....
- 6 .....

5 Complete a police report about what happens in “The Adventure of the Bruce-Partington Plans”.

..... POLICE REPORT ON THE BRUCE-PARTINGTON PLANS .....

Whose body is found? .....

When was he found? .....

Where was his body found? .....

How did it get there? .....

What did he have with him? .....

What was missing and why? .....

Who was arrested? .....

6 You are a journalist. Ask and answer questions to Elsie Patrick in “The Adventure of the Dancing Men” about her life before she came to England.

What is your name? .....	.....
Where did . . . ? .....	.....
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What did you . . . ? .....	.....
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.....	.....
Why . . . ? .....	.....
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. . . crime? .....	.....
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. . . dancing men? .....	.....
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