LISTENING COMPREHENSION / A British author

1. Listen and learn more about these famous British authors. Circle the author mentioned in the document.





William Shakespeare

Emily Brontë



Take notes : Names ? Dates ? Places ?

▲ George Orwell

2. Match these information.

Name	small town, South West of England
Date of birth	in his later career
Place of birth	"The Globe"
Location	by 1592
Make money as a playwright and actor	William Shakespeare
Around 1600	Othello, Macbeth, Romeo and Juliet
Location	in 1616
Name	in Stratford Upon Avon
Wrote about	in Stratford Upon Avon
Wrote tragedies	south bank of the River Thames
Names of some tragedies	in 1564
Year of death	famous English kings – Richard III or Henry VIII
Place of burial	built his theatre

3. Write a letter /an email to the director of The Globe. Explain to him / her what you have learnt / know about this author. Say why you would like to visit "The Globe" and what activities you could do over there.

- Commencez votre lettre / mail avec une formule d'introduction et une phrase de présentation

- Préparez votre vocabulaire et vos expressions, chercher des synonymes
- Faites des phrases simples que vous enrichirez progressivement
- Préparez vos idées et vos arguments.
- Utilisez le conditionnel would / wouldn't, utiliser des mots de liaison
- Utilisez une formule de politesse approprié pour conclure votre lettre / mail
- Pensez à conclure votre mail

Example:

Poitiers, + date

Dear ...

Today in our English class we listened to a document about William Shakespeare and I would like to write to you all I have learnt about this famous British author.

I would be delighted to visit "The Globe" theatre and I'd love to participate in a workshop on costumes or on acting. Would you like to join?

Best wishes