

#### 4 Read and write. There are four names that you do not need.

John Arnold John Brown John East Harry Brown Harry East  
Harry Hughes Thomas Arnold Tom Brown Thomas Hughes

*My name is John Brown and my favourite book is Tom Brown's Schooldays, which was written in 1857 by Thomas Hughes. The book is about a boy called Tom and what he used to do at school.*

*At the start of the book, Tom is living in a small village in England. Then he goes to Rugby School where he and his friends have lots of adventures. His best friend, Harry East, looks after him when he arrives. The head teacher of the school is called Dr Thomas Arnold and he teaches Tom a lot. At the end of the book, Tom leaves school and goes to university.*

*I really like this story because the characters are very interesting. Also, the adventures that Tom has with his friends make me think about the adventures that I have with my friends.*

*I'd recommend Tom Brown's Schooldays to anyone who enjoys reading books about school.*

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ is the boy who read and wrote about *Tom Brown's Schooldays*.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ is the author of the book.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ is the main character of the book.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ is Tom's best friend in the book.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ is Tom's head teacher in the book.

#### 5 Read Activity 2 again and answer the questions.

1 Where is Tom living at the beginning of the book?

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2 What school does Tom go to?

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3 Why does John like this book so much?

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4 Who would John recommend the book to?

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