

MARGARET ATWOOD

Fill in the gaps using the scrambled words between brackets

Margaret Atwood is not only of (ANDCAA) _____'s major (yoatomercr np) _____ authors, but she can also be considered one of the most important living (sterwir) _____ of English. She is well-known around the world and her work has been (detaranlst) _____ into more than 30 (gaeaglnsu) _____. Besides (engbi) _____ a leading (onlevsti) _____ and poet, she is also a children's book author, a (r e t s c p i w r i r t) _____, an essayist, a literary and social critic and an environmental (t t a i i c v s) _____. She has written more than 40 books of fiction, (eporyt) _____ and critical essay.

Margaret Atwood was born in Ottawa in 1939. She (tudseid) _____ at the university of Toronto, at Radcliffe college in Cambridge, Mass, and Harvard university. The Handmaid's Tale is set in Cambridge, Massachussetts and the buildings (d d b e e s c r i) _____ in the novel correspond to those of Harvard university.

Margaret Atwood started her literary career by (b l i i p u g h s n) _____ a collection of poems. Mrs Atwood's background as a poet can also be noticed in her (lenovs) _____. Among her best-known novels are The Edible woman (1969), The Handmaid's Tale (1985), The Blind Assassin (2000) and a (y p i o d s n a t) _____ trilogy entitled The MaddAdam Trilogy. Her latest novels are The Heart goes Last (2015) and Hag-Seed (2016).

Margaret Atwood's novels often reflect her (r c o e n c n) _____ about the world we live in , the environmental problems of our time and the role of (e n m o w) _____ in society.

Fairly often her (o o t t i a g p r s s n) _____ are victims or exploited ; more often than not, they are faced with a situation in which they have to confront their identity, with all their individual strengths and (k e a w s s s e e n) _____, feelings and ideas. Her stories often have open (d e n n i g s) _____ leaving the reader to (p e s u c a t e l) _____ about what might happen next.

The Handmaid's Tale is the novel that was (p e i l n b o s s e r) _____ for Mrs Atwood's international success and has become a standard and required reading in schools and universities all around the world.

Margaret Atwood lives with her (b d n s h u a) _____ - the writer Graeme Gibson – in Toronto. They have a (a u h t g d e r) _____ - Eleanor Jess- who was (r o b n) _____ in 1976.

