

ACTIVITY 9th JUNE

“Frankenstein”

Frankenstein; or, The Modern Prometheus is a novel written by [Mary Shelley](#). It is about a creature produced by a strange scientific experiment. Shelley started writing the story when she was nineteen. It was published in London in 1818 when she was twenty-one. Travelling in Switzerland, Mary, her future husband Percy, the famous poet Lord Byron and his doctor John Polidori decided to have a competition to see who could write the best horror story. After thinking for weeks about what her possible storyline could be, Shelley dreamt about a scientist who created life and was horrified by the result. She then wrote *Frankenstein*.

The plot (argumento)

Victor Frankenstein is a scientist who wants to create life itself. He stitches together parts from the dead bodies of criminals executed at the gallows (executed by hanging). He brings his creation to life during an electrical storm. The monster scares Frankenstein. It begins to kill without reason or cause. Frankenstein chases the monster to the Arctic and dies pursuing the creature. The monster kills himself.

a. The story's history

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bo3Ci6_5NHs



b. A children's version

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=51DjtWFSir0>



c. A song for learning body parts and organs (I recommend listening to it several times).

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hTA3LVqtfU8>



d. Let's do the attached documents and check your answers tomorrow.

- 1. Frankenstein story***
- 2. Wordsearch***