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Frankenstein is a novel written by English author Mary Shelley that tells the story of Victor Frankenstein, a young scientist who creates a hideous sapient creature in an unorthodox scientific experiment and thereby challenges God and is punished by having his creation kill a number of his close relatives and friends, including his bride on their wedding night.

Shelley started writing the story when she was 18, and the first edition was published anonymously in London on 1 January 1818, when she was 20. Mary, her future husband Percy B. Shelley and Lord Byron had a competition to see who could write the best horror story. After thinking for days, Shelley dreamt about a scientist who created life and was horrified by what he had made, inspiring the novel.

Since the novel's publication, the name "Frankenstein" has often been used to refer to the monster itself.

Please read this extract on page 53. Feel free to use on-line dictionary.

After you have read the text do exercises 2 and 3.

HOMEWORK – Answer the questions – Talking about your reactions- in your notebooks.