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Frankenstein

The Story of Frankenstein

Read the first part of the story of Frankenstein and fill in the spaces using the 3rd person singular of the verbs in the box. Then listen to the story to see if your answers are correct. Then do the same with the second half of the story.

This activity is designed to be used in conjunction with a performance of IPA Production's *Frankenstein*. For more information, visit www.ipaproductions.com.

Doctor Frankenstein is a doctor of medicine. He works in a laboratory with his assistant, where he teaches anatomy, the science of the human body. He is very interested in his work and he likes it very much. Dr. Frankenstein also has a secret, a secret book "How to Make a Monster" Dr. Frankenstein reads the book and follows the instructions.



He connects the feet and the knees and the hips. Then he connects the hands and the elbows and the shoulders. Then he connects the hips to the backbone and then the shoulders to the backbone.

Finally, he gets a brain. He puts the brain in the head and connects the head to the rest of the body. Suddenly, the telephone rings . It is Elizabeth,

Dr. Frankenstein girlfriend. Elizabeth is very pretty and she loves Dr. Frankenstein very much but Dr. Frankenstein does not love Elizabeth. He does not want Elizabeth to know about his monster. His monster is a secret.

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Dr. Frankenstein speaks to Elizabeth on the telephone. He says "Hello, Elizabeth". She tells him that she loves him but he does not tell her that he loves her. He tells her that he is very busy. He says goodbye to her and returns to finish his monster. Dr. Frankenstein has a special machine that connects to the monster with cables. He turns the machine on. There is a very loud noise and then silence. Slowly the monster starts to move. It is alive! It is not very pretty but it is very big and very strong.

Dr. Frankenstein is very happy.

Dr. Frankenstein teaches his monster how to walk and how to talk. Suddenly, Elizabeth arrives. She is very angry with Dr. Frankenstein. Then she sees the monster. She is very frightened. "Help,help!" She shouts , "a monster, a monster!".



She runs away from the laboratory. The monster is sad. Dr. Frankenstein is sad. Then Dr. Frankenstein has an idea.

It is a very good idea. It will make Dr. Frankenstein, Elizabeth and the monster very, very happy ...

arrives * returns * runs * says * sees * shouts * speaks * starts * tells * turns

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