

Frankenstein

Activities

1) Listen to the audio and fill the gaps:



Frankenstein or The Modern Prometheus

Chapter 5

text 1

"It was on a dreary night of November that I _____ the accomplishment of my toils. With an anxiety that almost _____ to agony, I _____ the instruments of life around me, that I might infuse a spark of being into the lifeless thing that lay at my feet. It _____ already one in the morning; the rain pattered dismally against the panes, and candle was nearly _____ out, when, by the glimmer of the half-extinguished light, I _____ the dull yellow eye of the creature open; it _____ hard, and a convulsive motion _____ its limbs..."

Words: agitated - amounted - beheld - collected - burnt - was - breathed - saw

2) According to the text, write F(false) or T(true):

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(text 2)

"I started from my sleep with horror; a cold dew covered my forehead, my teeth chattered, and every limb became convulsed; when, by the dim and yellow light of the moon, as it forced its way through the window shutters, I beheld the wretch the miserable monster whom I had created. He held up the curtain of the bed; and his eyes, if eyes they may be called, were fixed on me. His jaws opened, and he muttered some inarticulate sounds, while a grin wrinkled his cheeks. He might have spoken, but I did not hear; one hand was stretched out, seemingly to detain me, but I escaped and rushed downstairs..."

- a) The doctor had a nightmare where he turned into a monster. (___)
- b) The text describes parts of the monster like forehead, teeth, eyes and ears. (___)
- c) The doctor ran away from the monster. (___)
- d) The creature speaks English. (___)

3) Rewrite text 2 in the present tense:
