



**COLD TASK FOR NEXT UNIT:**  
Write a biography of either Lizzie's life or Mary Shelley's life.

**HOT TASK:**  
Write a story continuation from the end of page 216, explaining how Lizzie escapes.

Text and author: Strange Star by Emma Carroll  
Purpose: To entertain and describe  
Form: Narrative  
Audience: Send them to the author to get her comments

**Create, Refine and Evaluate**  
Write together a story continuation, describing how Lizzie and Peg escaped from the cellar on page 172 of the book. Edit and refine my writing against success criteria.

**Capture, Sift and Sort**  
Investigate language further. Collect and use prepositions and expanded noun phrases and look at their effects in writing. Focus on adverbs, explore through effectiveness of synonyms. Write a diary describing Lizzie's journey with careful word choices.

**Capture, Sift and Sort**  
Explore how dialogue can move a story on. Use quotes in a newspaper report to help recount events.  
  
Describe and create atmosphere through careful word choices – show not tell.



**Stimulate and Generate:**  
Investigate the main themes from the famous story "Frankenstein" by Mary Shelley by looking at pictures, text and videos. Create a comic strip of the story.

**Stimulate and Generate**  
Briefly investigate Mary Shelley's life and discuss her motives in the story as well as the motives of other main characters. Collect vocabulary to write descriptively.