



## Sentence Expansion

Directions: Respond to the questions below and then use answers to expand each kernel sentence.

Example Kernel Sentence: They won the Superbowl.

- Who? the Saints\_\_\_\_\_
- When? 2009
- Why? b/c of great defense + offense

Example Expanded Sentence: In 2009, the Saints won the Superbowl because of their great defense and offense.

Kernel Sentence: Frankenstein observes it.

- What? natural decay of human body
- Why? b/c he wants to discover secret of creating life

Expanded Sentence: Frankenstein observes the natural decay of the human body because he wants to discover the secret of creating life.

Kernel Sentence: He pursues the ability to create it.

- Who? Frankenstein
- What? human life
- When? over the course of many months

Expanded Sentence: Over the course of many months, Frankenstein pursues the ability to create human life.

Kernel Sentence: He is feverish.

- Who? Frankenstein
- When? every night
- Why? obsessed w/ finding secret of life

Expanded Sentence: Every night, Frankenstein is feverish because he is obsessed with finding the secret of life.