**Max und Moritz by Wilhelm Busch**

*Max und Moritz* is a very popular German children’s book, written and illustrated by Wilhelm Busch.

It is a book, written in rhyme, about two mischievous boys, Max and Moritz, who pull pranks on the people in their neighborhood. During the course of their seven pranks, which continually get worse, Max and Moritz, go from stealing food, to almost drowning a man, to blowing up their teacher and more.

In the end, the two troublemakers get a taste of their own medicine in the course of their final prank. If you like dark humor, this is the perfect book for you. Don't miss Wilhelm Busch's other humorous shorter stories, like *Die Fliege* and the tale of a monkey, *Fipps der Affe*. 