

Write Your Own Sonnet - Rubric

	4. Advanced	3. Proficient	2. Developing	1. Emerging
Iambic Pentameter: Each lines contains 10 syllables, made up of 5 pairs of unstressed/stressed.	Demonstrates mastery of iambic pentameter, with no errors.	Demonstrates use of iambic pentameter, with 1-2 errors	Demonstrates partial use of iambic pentameter, with few errors	Does not demonstrate use of iambic pentameter. Contains many errors.
Rhyme Scheme: abab cdcd efef gg	Demonstrates mastery of the sonnet rhyme scheme, with no errors.	Demonstrates use of the sonnet rhyme scheme, with 1-2 errors	Demonstrates partial use of the sonnet rhyme scheme, with few errors	Does not demonstrates use of the sonnet rhyme scheme. Contains many errors.
Quatrains and Couplet: 3 Quatrains (set of four lines) 1 Couplet (last two lines)	Demonstrates mastery of the sonnet format. Contains 3 Quatrains and a Couplet.	Demonstrates knowledge of the sonnet format. Contains 1-2 errors.	Demonstrates partial knowledge of the sonnet format. Contains few errors.	Does not demonstrates knowledge of the sonnet format. Contains many errors.
Artistic Presentation:	Original sonnet, Neat and legible final draft.	Original sonnet, Mostly neat and legible final draft	Somewhat original sonnet, Partially neat and legible final draft	Final draft is not neat and/or legible.

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