Code Orange Sonnet-Choose a character from Code Orange by Caroline Cooney to write a sonnet about. A sonnet was a fourteen lined poem written in iambic pentameter which means ten syllables per line. A sonnet was a lyric poem meaning it is written song-like.

An example:

From fairest creatures we desire increase,  
That thereby beauty’s rose might never die.  
But as the riper should by time decease,  
His tender heir might bear his memory:  
But thou, contracted to thine own bright eyes,  
Feed’st thy light’s flame with self-substantial fuel,  
Making a famine where abundance lies,  
Thyself thy foe, to thy sweet self too cruel.  
Thou that art now the world’s fresh ornament  
And only herald to the gaudy spring,  
Within thine own bud buriest thy content  
And, tender churl, mak’st waste in niggarding.  
Pity the world, or else this glutton be,  
To eat the world’s due, by the grave and thee

*(William Shakespeare)*

Include:

* Correct format
  + 14 lines­­­­
  + The rhyme scheme in a Shakespearean sonnet is *a-b-a-b, c-d-c-d, e-f-e-f, g-g*; the last two lines are a rhyming couplet.
* 1 Simile
* 1 metaphor
* **Rubric**

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| CATEGORY | **4** | **3** | **2** | **1** |
| **Similes** | Used other figurative language than Similes/Metaphors which­­­ are unique, and describe the character | Meet two out of the three requirements | Meet one out of the three requirements | Do not meet any requirements. |
| **Sonnet** | Follow format-number of lines and rhyming scheme  Lines are clear and paint picture of character  Figurative language is used | Two lines do not follow the rhyme scheme  Can tell what character is being described | Few descriptions are given, poem leads to being more silly or off topic | Can’t tell what character is being described |