

Figure 4.5: Diamante Template and Example: *Wonder*

Template
<p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
Formula
<p>Line 1: Enter a topic.</p> <p>Line 2: Write two adjectives describing the entry in line 1.</p> <p>Line 3: Write three participles (verb form ending with <i>-ed</i> or <i>-ing</i>) for line 1.</p> <p>Line 4: Write four nouns; the first two nouns relate to line 1; the last two nouns relate to line 7.</p> <p>Line 5: Write three participles for line 7.</p> <p>Line 6: Write two adjectives describing the entry in line 7.</p> <p>Line 7: Enter a topic opposite from line 1.</p>
Example
<p><u>Auggie</u></p> <p><u>Courageous</u> <u>humorous</u></p> <p><u>Caring</u> <u>bullied</u> <u>accepted</u></p> <p><u>Wonder</u> <u>inspiration</u>—<u>aggressor</u> <u>ringleader</u></p> <p><u>Bullying</u> <u>intimidating</u> <u>sneaking</u></p> <p><u>Cruel</u> <u>arrogant</u></p> <p><u>Julian</u></p>

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