Diamante Poems Year Four

In my Year Four visit I had the opportunity to see students developing their skills in writing Diamante poems. A diamante poem is a poem that makes the shape of a diamond. In the poems, the subject is named in one word in the first line. The second line consists of two adjectives describing the subject, and the third line contains three verbs ending in the suffix -ing which are related to the subject. A fourth line then has four nouns, again related to the subject, but only the first two words are related to the first subject. The other two words describe the opposite subject. The lines then are put in reverse, leading to and relating to either a second subject or a synonym for the first.

Look at what these clever children have written!

Fire
Golden, hot
Scorching, blazing, glowing
Ash, spark, snowflake, crystal
Shining, freezing, sparkling
Cool, frosty
Ice
Written by Haramrit

Sun
Orange, bright
Blazing crackling, exploding
Spark, light, craters, rock
Shining, sparkling, glowing
White, Massive
Moon
Written by Isabella