

2025 Term 4 – Week 1 – Coden

Score: 2/5

Sub-Metric 1: TVODE Component Presence

Score: 3 out of 5

What's working: Your paragraphs consistently include Topic (the device you're analyzing), Verb (analytical actions like "reveals," "demonstrates," "creates"), and Object (what's affected – the community's fear, Jonas's carefulness, the reader's image), which shows you understand the foundation of analytical sentences.

Next step to reach a 4: Strengthen your Detail and Effect components. Right now, your Details are present but brief (like "faster, narrow, pointed" or "reflective on words and thoughts"), and your Effects sometimes repeat your Objects instead of explaining deeper significance.

Concrete example from your text:

Your current Effect in paragraph 1:

"the society is nervous and anxious and can be easily scared or have a lot of fear"

This restates your Object (fear) rather than explaining *why this matters* to the text's meaning.

Improved version with stronger Detail and Effect:

"The symbol of the plane is unusual—faster, narrow, and pointed like a weapon *revealing* the community's fear of anything uncontrolled. This fear *demonstrates* how the society prioritizes sameness over freedom, *showing* that individual expression threatens their manufactured stability."

Sub-Metric 2: Density Performance

Score: 2 out of 5

What's working: Your TVODE components are doing analytical work rather than just summarizing plot—you're interpreting what the devices mean (symbolism reveals fear, foreshadowing demonstrates carefulness, imagery creates atmosphere).

Next step to reach a 3: Reduce repetition within paragraphs and make each sentence add a NEW analytical point.

Concrete example from your text:

Your current paragraph 1 repeats the same "fear" idea multiple times:

- "reveals the community's fear"
- "the society is nervous and anxious"
- "can be easily scared or have a lot of fear"

These three phrases all say essentially the same thing—that the community is afraid.

Improved version with distinct analytical observations:

"Overall, the use of symbolism reveals the community's fear of anything uncontrolled [OBSERVATION 1: fear]. The plane's unusual shape—faster, narrow, pointed—contrasts with the community's preference for sameness and predictability [OBSERVATION 2: contrast with values]. This symbol demonstrates how the society maintains order through isolation from external threats [OBSERVATION 3: method of control]."

Sub-Metric 3: Cohesion Performance

Score: 2 out of 5

What's working: Your TVODE components are identifiable within sentences, and you're attempting to connect ideas with words like "and" and "for."

Next step to reach a 3: Fix fragmented sentence structures and add basic logical connectors between sentences.

Grammar deficiency labeled:

Comma splice:

"Jonas is very reflective on his words and thoughts, he is a very careful a boy."

Sentence fragments:

"It's faster, narrow, pointed. It's made for war and the community have never seen the plane before."

Incomplete clause integration:

"For It shows us that Jonas future role requires..."

Solution - Improved version with clear grammatical structure and Theme-Rheme progression:

- "Jonas is very reflective on his words and thoughts, *demonstrating* his careful nature as a boy. **This carefulness** shows that his future role requires precise language and deep analytical thinking. **Therefore**, the foreshadowing establishes Jonas's unique capacity for observation."