

Chapter – 5

Little by little

Word – Meaning

- 1) **Hidden** - kept out of sight
- 2) **Slowly** - at a slow speed
- 3) **Downward** - towards a lower place
- 4) **Slender** - very thin
- 5) **Mighty** - powerful
- 6) **Branches** - part of a tree
- 7) **Pride** - to be proud of something
- 8) **Improving** - to become better
- 9) **Sipped** - to drink something in small quantity
- 10) **Shoot** - to kill with a bullet or an arrow

Answer the following :-

1. **Name the tree that the acorn grows into.**

Ans - An acorn grows into an oak tree.

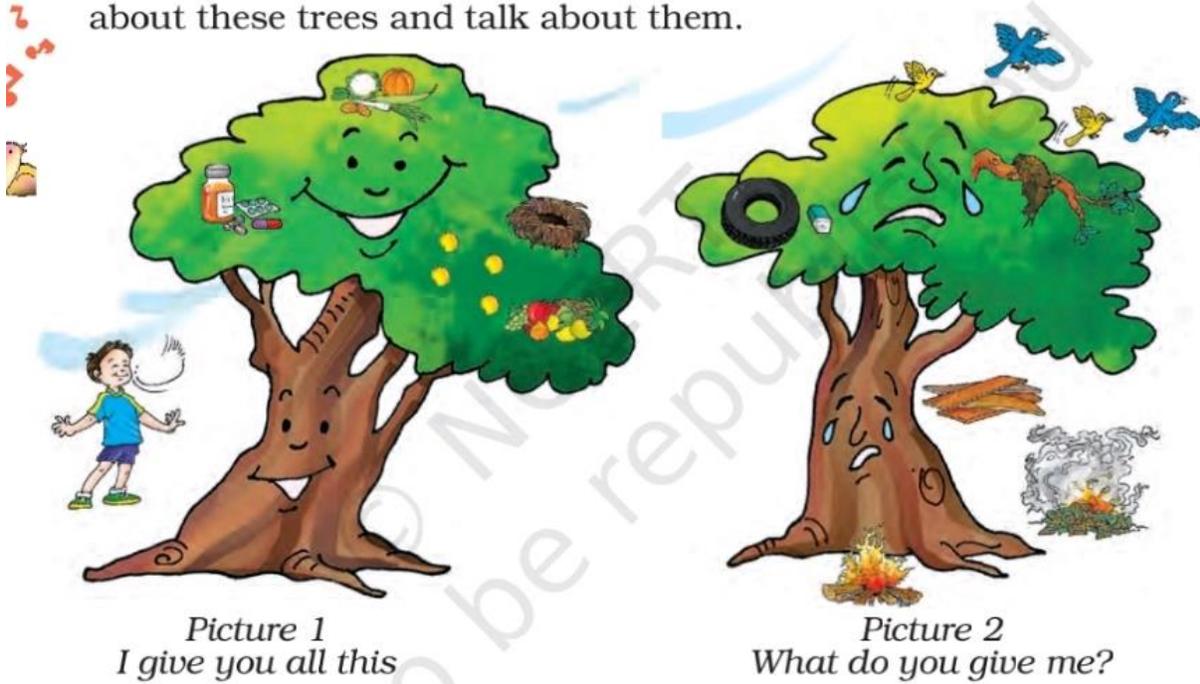
2. **What things does a seed need to grow?**

Ans - A seed needs water, air and sunshine to grow.

3. How many describing words can you find in this poem?

Ans - There are three describing words in the poem. They are tiny, slender and mighty.

Look at the two pictures. Find four things that are different about these trees and talk about them.



Picture 1:

- 1) I give you fruits like mangoes, apples and guava.
- 2) I also give honey.
- 3) There is a nest where the mama and papa sparrows feed their baby sparrows.

Picture 2:

- 1) Human beings cut the bark of my trees and use it for making tyres and rubbers.
- 2) Not a single bird comes to sit on my branches, as they get cut by the human beings.
- 3) People burn my bark and branches and pollute the environment.

Look at Picture 1. Write three sentences on what the trees give us.

- 1) Trees give us fruits like mangoes, apples and guava.
- 2) Trees also give us honey.
- 3) Trees give us fresh oxygen to breathe.

Now look at Picture 2. Write three sentences on how we harm the trees.

- 1) We harm trees by cutting their barks for making rubbers and tyres.
- 2) We harm trees by cutting their branches because of which the birds' nests get destroyed.
- 3) We pollute the environment by burning the leaves of the trees.

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Match the opposites. One has been done for you.

downward	weak
slowly	night
little	upward
slender	fast
mighty	fat
day	big