

Chapter- 2

WIND

WORKSHEET-1

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1. Read the given extract and answer the questions that follow. [1X4]

You are very clever at poking fun at weaklings
Frail crumbling houses, crumbling doors,
crumbling rafters, crumbling wood crumbling
bodies, crumbling lives, crumbling hearts
the wind god winnows and crushes them all

- (a) Why does the poet call the wind 'clever'?
- (b) Which word has been repeated and why?
- (c) What does the wind do with the crumbling objects?
- (d) Pick out a word from the stanza which means the same as 'disintegrated'.

2. Answer any three of the following questions in about 30-40 words each. [2X3]

- (a) What does the poet ask the wind not to do?
- (b) What makes the poet angry?
- (c) What does the wind do to the weak fires?
- (d) Why do we praise the wind every day?
- (e) "His friendship is good". Whose friendship is good and why?