

## 4. Strawberries



Strawberries that in gardens grow  
Are plump and juicy fine,  
But sweeter far as wise men know  
Spring from the woodland vine.

No need for bowl or silver spoon,  
Sugar or spice or cream,  
Has the wild berry plucked in June  
Beside the trickling stream.

### Things to do :

#### 1. Learn and recite the poem.

#### 2. Read the poem and answer the following.

- (1) Which are the two different places where strawberries grow?
- (2) What are the two different ways of eating strawberries?
- (3) Which strawberries are plump and juicy?
- (4) Which strawberries are sweeter?
- (5) How would you like to eat your strawberries?

#### 3. Activities

- (1) Find out when and where we get strawberries in Maharashtra.
- (2) Make a list of your favourite fruits and vegetables and note down the time of the year when they are available in plenty.
- (3) Have you ever eaten any fruit/vegetable picking it straight from the tree or field? Write about that experience in 3-5 lines.