

# Song of the vagabond tomato II

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This task is about using the text and illustrations to answer questions about a poem.

Read the poem "Song of the vagabond tomato", page 42, School Journal, Part 2, 1993, and look at the picture to help answer the questions.

- a) i) Draw a **circle around the lines in the picture** which show the tomato has "tumbled".
- ii) Draw an **arrow pointing to some lines in the picture** which show the tomato is "rolling".
- b) Line 6 says, "I feel no remorse". This means the tomato does not feel sorry for what he has done. How has the artist drawn a part of the tomato's face to show this?

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- c) i) What is likely to happen to the tomato?

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- ii) What word(s) in the poem suggest this?

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- iii) What in the illustration suggests this?

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