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DEDICATION



With great pleasure and honour,
I present this book, "**Ginger the Cat**,"
to my ever-loving mother, father, sister,
and family.

To my dear friends, and the dedicated
teachers and principals who have
shaped my journey,
this work is a testament of my gratitude and
appreciation for the invaluable roles you have
played in my life.

Thank you for your unwavering support,
guidance, and love.

PREFACE



The primary goal of the current educational system is to mould a productive citizen and a caring family member who is equipped with knowledge and skills. The main responsibility of the school is to identify and recognize children's talents, as well as to sharpen their skills to meet the needs of the nation and the world.

Our Alma Mater is constantly guiding and assisting children who are creative. This project has been an ongoing process at our school for many years, particularly in terms of writing books. Many skilled and enthusiastic young writers participated in this exercise for years, producing novice writers to field of literature. We regard this as a great victory and a national need at this hour.

To continue this effort, we have adopted digital technologies and an e-book project this year. I am confident that this unique event provided youngsters with valuable experience and challenges that will benefit them in the future. The Ministry of Education has hailed the project as an important step toward motivating young authors in schools. As principal of Mahamaya Girls' College, I am grateful to all of the students throughout the country who contributed to this endeavor. I commend and applaud all of the young authors of these-books for their perseverance and devotion in this difficult task.

I would like to thank our school management committee, employees, parents, for my students, administrators, and teachers from other schools who encouraged students to take part in this worthwhile effort.

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Ginger the Cat

One day, I and my sister were playing in the garden. We heard a funny sound and looked every where, but nothing was there.

The sound came
again, and we found it
was a "Kitty".

We shouted,
"Go away, Kitty, go
away."



We wanted to play,
but he didn't go away.

Then, we thought
that the Kitty was our
friend.



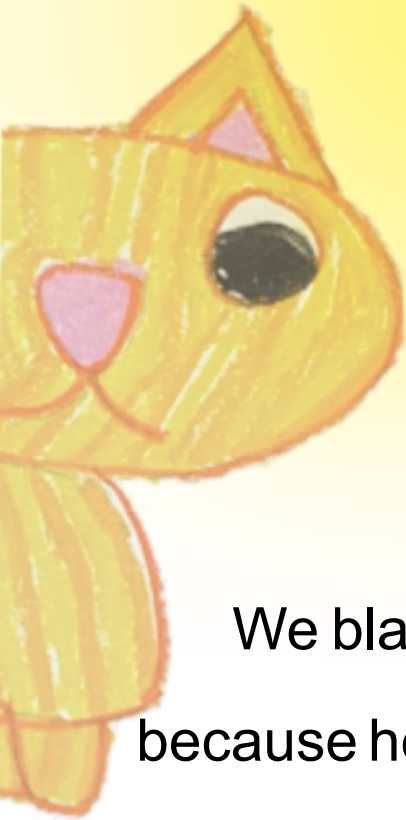
We made him a
little house, created
some toys and gave
him milk to drink.

One day, my
grandmother was
looking for something
on the table, where
Kitty was sleeping.

Suddenly, Kitty got up, pounced and bit her hand.

My grandmother yelled, and we rushed her to the hospital.

The nurses
injected her at
several sites.



We blamed the kitty
because he was getting
more aggressive.

He apologized,
and we told him "it's
okay".

But he must promise
never to hurt anyone
again, especially not
our grandmother .

Since then we
called him "Ginger"





AFTERWORD



As modern technology permeates the social and economic arenas, students tend to distance themselves from the creative process, relying more and more on technological tools. To reduce this risk and help aspiring young writers produce their own books, I sought and presented a research proposal to the Ministry of Education in 2014. It was a fantastic opportunity for children to showcase their enthusiasm and knowledge. The students of Mahamaya Girls' College achieved a record for the most books written, paving the way for a new level of innovation.

The e-book project will enable the students to reach international readers, and I am confident that they have gained new experiences and challenges that will enable them to face the future with resolve.

I wish all of the young writers the best of luck in their future endeavors.

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