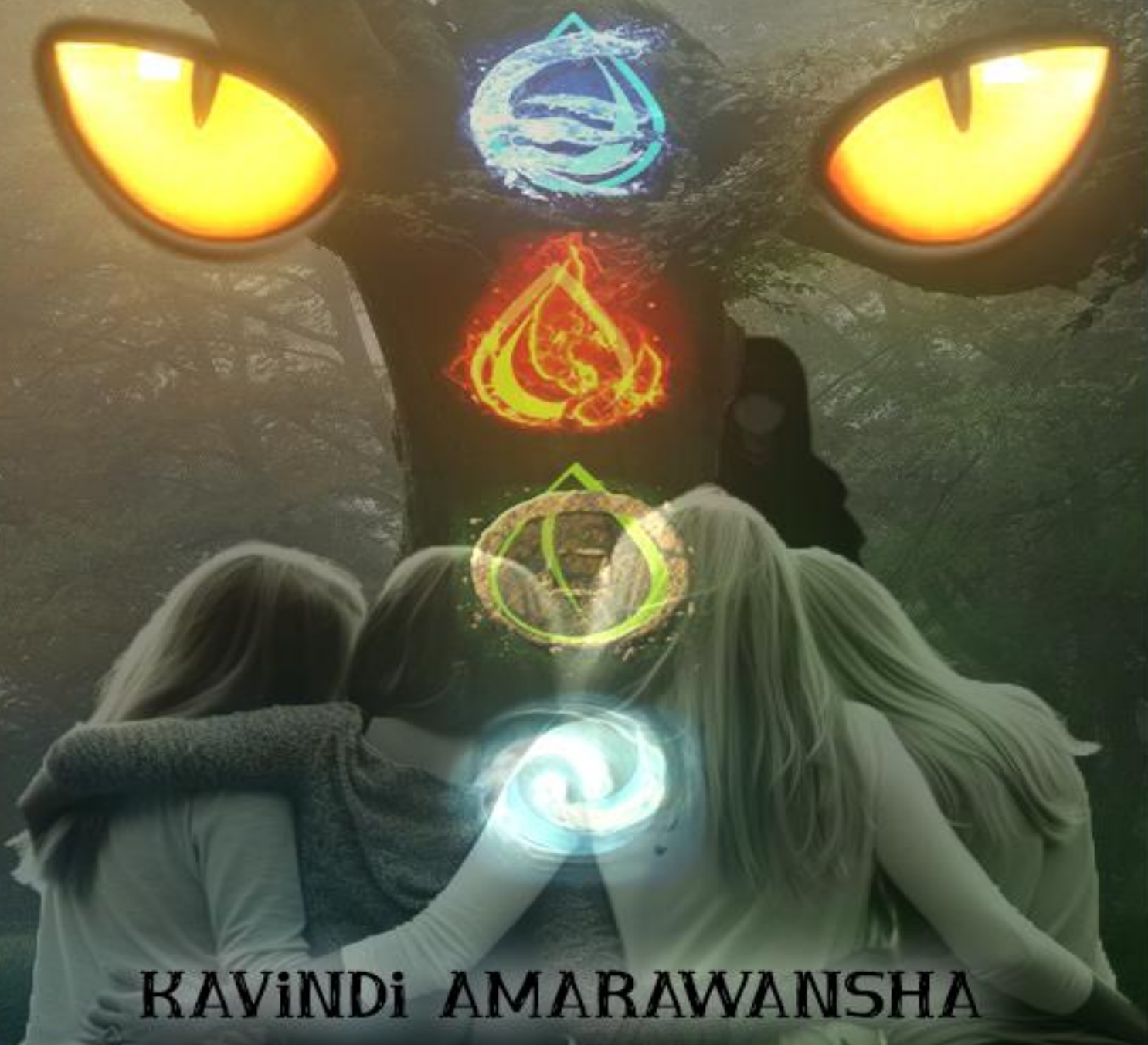


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Preface

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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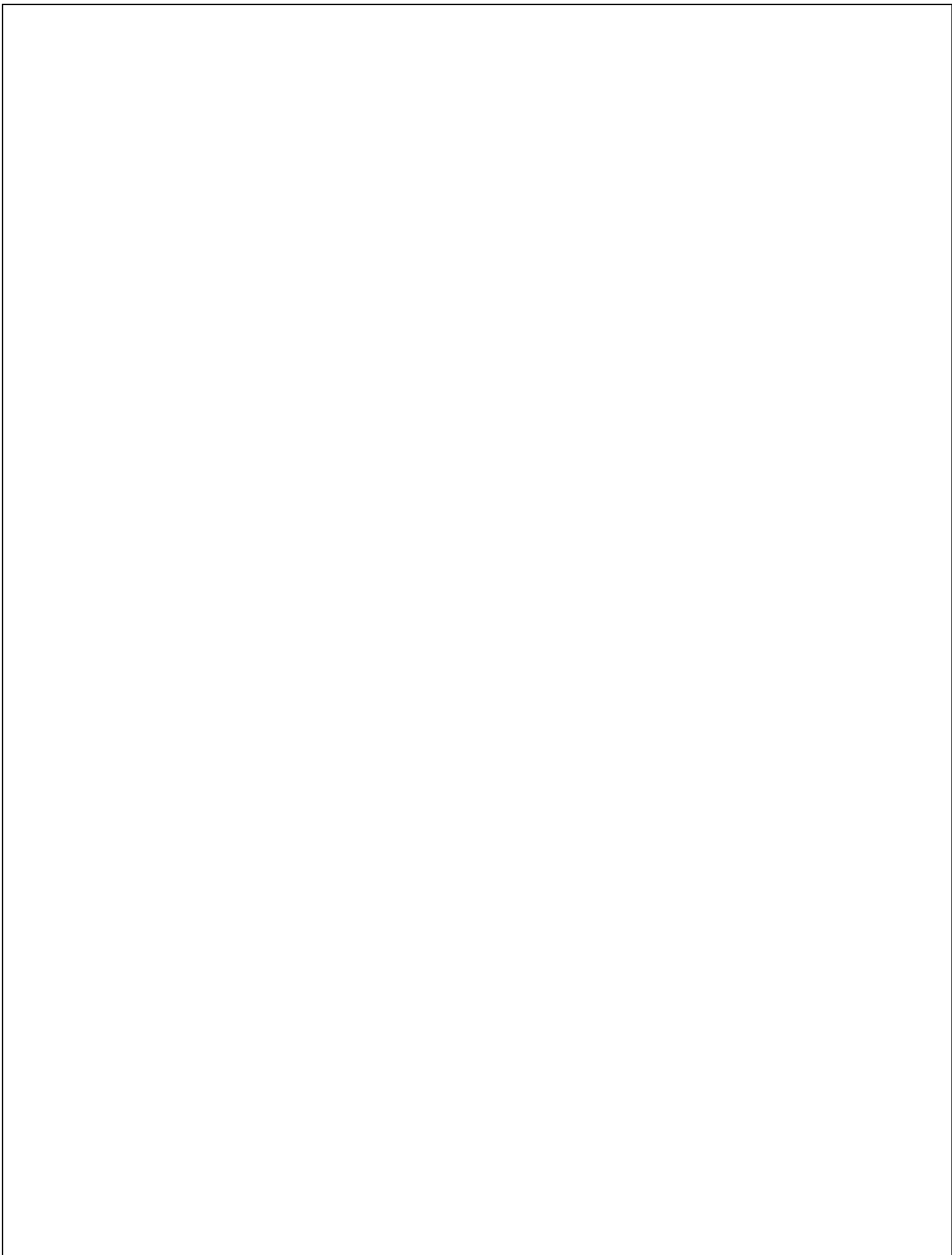
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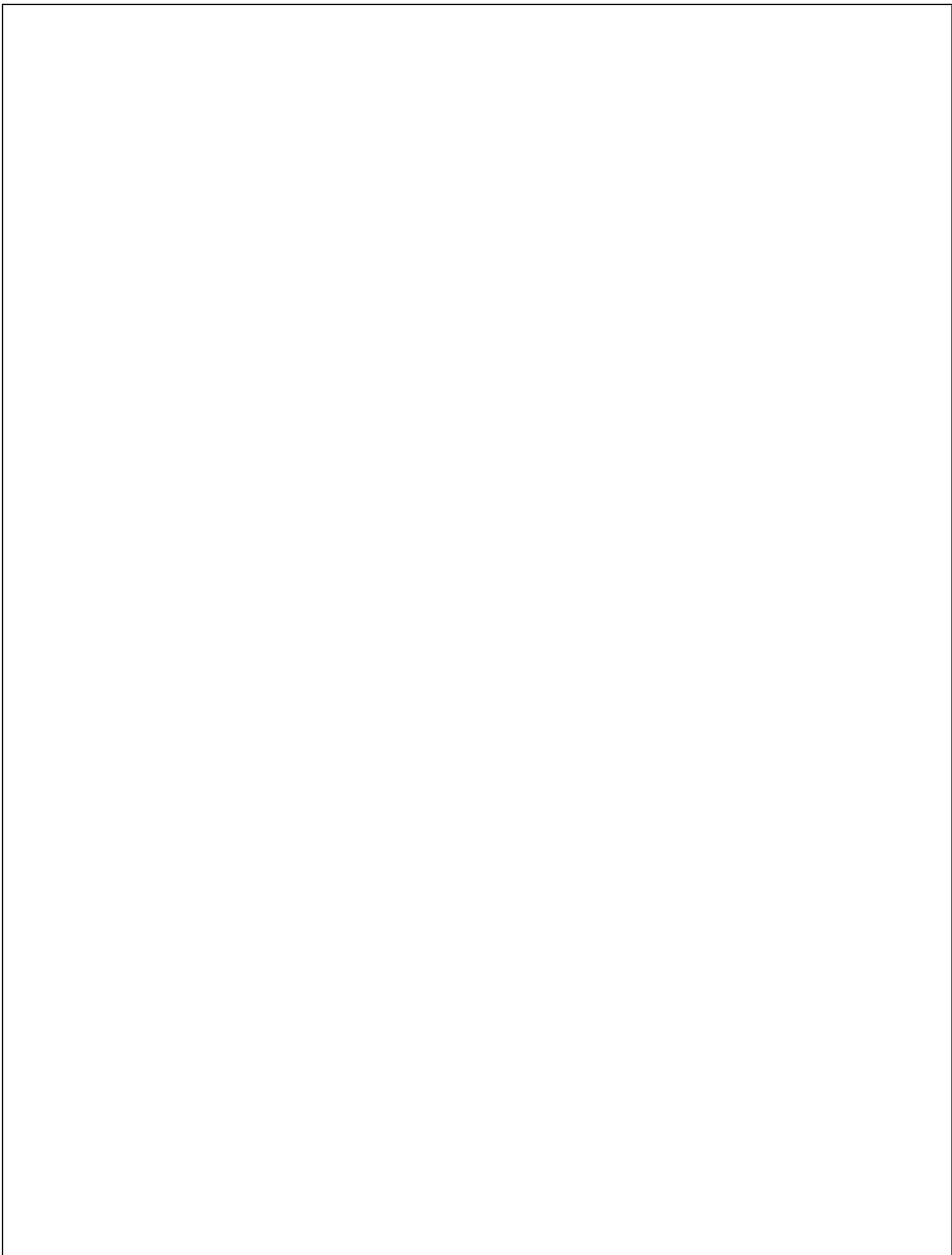
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I offer
this book
to those who
helped me a lot
to make this book
a success







01. BEST FRIENDS

"Oh guys, I've lost my head phones again."

That was Anya. She was seventeen years old. Alexa , Amara and Autumn were her best friends. They were best friends from their childhood.

They lived in a small beautiful house without their parents , because all of their parents were out of the country. Alexa's mother was an astronaut in Nasa. Anya's mother and father both are scientists. Amara's parents were doctors. Autumn's parents were engineers.

Their school was

"Riara Heisen High School". It is the best high school located in New York.

They woke up early in the morning and went to their school. Their class teacher was Mrs. Lisa. She was a strange one. Because she always keep her eye on our girls. They had a ring in their fingers . With the help of that , they can speak with others .

After school they went to their home.
Their house was totally messed up.

"Oh my god! Someone came to our home when we weren't home and searched for something or someone."
Anya shouted.

"But who would do that? We don't have enemies."

Alexa said. They thought for sometime. And then

"I think it's Mrs. Lisa because she went home early today." Said Autumn.

"Hmm..... However let's clean this mess first."

They cleaned their home and went to the park near the Austin river. Then suddenly Alexa got a call. After the call she shouted so happily.

"Hey girls.....guess what? My mother is coming in this week. And she has bought so much chocolates for us."

"yay...I love Mrs. Sofia so much." Said Anya.

They was so happy because Alexa's mother was a nice lady.

"Look at our house. It's so ugly because of its color. Let's paint it. But what color we shall choose? I can't decide." Said Autumn.

"Maybe in white. But we can paint our rooms in other colors" Amara replied. They painted their house within 4 or 5 hours. Then they went to the "Phoenix Supermarket." It was the best supermarket in New York. They bought chocolates , march mellows , candy , coffee an also some gifts for Alexa's mother. They went home after buying everything they want.

02 . MRS. SOFIA.....

At 9 or 10 o' clock, they heard a bell ringing.

"Oh.... That should be my mom." Alexa ran to the door and opened it. Mrs. Sofia was a kind and a nice lady. Her hair is so shiny and beautiful.

"Surprise!!" others came with a gift on their hands. Mrs. Sofia was so happy. Even Alexa didn't know that they bought gift for her mother. Alexa was so happy.

"Aww. You all are so kind." Said Mrs. Sofia happily.

"Come inside aunty. Make yourself at home." Said Autumn. They went inside. Amara took Mrs. Sofia to her room and leave her to take a wash.

"Now my mom is taking a wash. We can arrange our dinner table." Said Alexa. They arranged their dinner table with the pizza made by Anya, some French fries, hot chocolates, marshmallows and lots of other food. Mrs. Sofia came out of her room.

"C'mon aunty let's have dinner." Said Anya. Mrs. Sofia was so excited from their food.


"Mmmm.. these are so delicious. And this pizza too. Where did you buy it?" asked Mrs. Sofia.

"We bought other food from phoenix supermarket. But our chef Anya made the pizza. It's so delicious. Isn't it?" replied Autumn.

"By the way I'm so sleepy. I feel like going to bed." Said Alexa yawning. They went to sleep after they took their dinner.

03.The Secret Message

They woke up at 6 o' clock to ready for their school. Suddenly they noticed that their drawers are bit different from the way it closed. They all checked their drawers. And then they found some papers. They all got together to Alexa's room and kept the papers on the bed.

Alexa's one was 

Come to the cherry

Anya's one was 

Use these hints

Autumn's one was 

Blossom forest immediately.

Amara's one was 

Straight, Left , straight , left , right , right , and the cross.

"What is this I don't understand." Shouted Amara. They thought for some time. And finally Anya came up with an idea.

"Here listen. Anya and Autumn, you two should exchange your papers." Said Alexa. Anya and Autumn exchanged their papers. And it was like this.

"Come to the cherry blossom forest. Use these hints. Straight, Left , straight , left , right , right , and the cross. " They understood that this was a message from some one that needs to give them something. They told this to Mrs. Sofia and she was a bit nervous.

"Mom, why are you so nervous. " Asked Alexa. "Uhh... No I'm not nervous. Oh I'm getting a call bye. Love you." Rushed Mrs. Sofia.

"Ok that was too weird. However let's pack our bags." Said Anya. They packed they bags with some water bottles, milk, chocolates, march mellows and some sandwiches. Also they packed some clothes in need of case.

They started their journey. Finally they came to the Cherry blossom forest. They followed the instructions of the paper. They finally find a cave with a crossed sign. They went inside of the cave and found a river full of crocodiles with 04 bridges. The first one was full of fire. And the second one was full of darkness. The third one was tumbled down. And the fourth one was full of ice.

"Oh My God. How can we cross these crazy bridges. " mumbled Autumn. They thought , thought and thought. Finally

"Oh I have an idea. First we can take a wooden plank from the third bridge and light it from first bridge. Finally we can take that lighted wooden plank and cross the bridge by the second bridge." Said Alexa. They crossed that river full of crocodiles.

After that they walked and walked and found a door with 2 lion heads and a number plate with (19 23 9 16 5 20 8 5 12 5 6 20 12 9 15 14 19 8 5 9 4).

"Whoever made this forest is a super phsycopath." Shouted Alexa. They were so angry with this cave. But they thought for an idea. But nothing came to their

minds. Suddenly Autumn took her notebook and wrote down the numbers and shouted "Hey Girls Listen! I've got an idea. This is not numbers they are the letters. Like A is the 01st letter in the alphabet, B is the 02nd. Like that when we turn numbers into letters, the sentence is

SWIPE THE LEFT LION'S HEAD."

And they did it. After they swiped the left lion's head, the door opened. There was an enchanted forest inside of it. It was so beautiful. There were different kinds of trees, unicorns, Phoenixes, mermaids, fairies and also some elves. They stopped under a huge rainbow tree.

"Oh. I'm so hungry. Let's eat some food." Said Alexa. They took their sandwiches and started to eat them. After they eat the sandwiches they took a power nap.

04. Dreaming in the middle of the nowhere..

They all were dreaming. In their dreams they found themselves in different worlds. Anya was in a water world. Alexa was in a fire world. Amara was in a Plant world. And Autumn was in a Wind world. They shouted and shouted but, there wasn't anyone except for cute little animals. Suddenly in Alexa's world a little phoenix sat down on Alexa's arm.

"Umm Hi ! Can you tell where am I ? What should I do in here? Oh.. How stupid I am. Animals can't talk. " Alexa said. And the little phoenix began to talk.

"Actually I'm a magical animal. In your friends' world, there are another magical animals too. My name is Alpha. From now on you can call me by calling Alpha." Alexa was Perplexed about Alpha. In others' worlds the same thing was happening. Anya's pet was a magical unicorn named Ariel. Autumn's pet was a big magical butterfly named Rave. And Amara's pet was a wolf named Lunar. There was a shiny thing in their worlds.

They started walking towards it. They went towards that and found out that they were some bracelets with a sign.

Alexa's one- 

Autumn's one- 

Anya's one- 

Amara's one- 

And they got those bracelets and put it on their hands. When they put on their bracelets they began to shine. When the shine has went down their clothes were changed. And they found a door behind them. And they came to the enchanted forest again.

"Wow! Your outfits are so beautiful. You all are just like K-POP idols." Shouted Anya.

They started walking again and found a door with some dragons on it. They opened it. There was an old man in it.

"Oh My God! My Dad. Who did this to you. " Alexa shouted.

"Run! Don't wait for me. This is a trap. " The old man mumbled.

"HA HA HA HA!" They heard a voice. They all horrified. They saw a lady. She was wearing a black costume. And She is very beautiful but scary.

"Hello my beloved girls. My Name is Drakena. May I have the honor of taking your lives?" That lady shouted. And suddenly Alexa remembered that they can call their pets. "Alpha!" "Ariel!" "Rave!" "Lunar!" They shouted. And their pet came. "Catch me if you can!" shouted Alpha. They fought. It was a very horrible fight. Alexa used her Sword. Anya used her water wave. Amara used her wand. And Autumn used her thunderbolt. Finally they won. They defeated Drakena. But she has ranway. After the war they saw Alexa was deadly injured. They all took Alexa. Amara took Alexa to her legs. And began to cry.

"Oh God Alexa don't leave us. Stay with us please." Anya shouted to the sky believing that god will help them. They all prayed to god. And then suddenly Amara began to glow. And she kept her hand on Alexa's wound. Alexa's deadly wound began to heal. And slowly Alexa opened her eyes. Others all hugged her as much as they can do.

"Ouch! What happened to me? Where is dad? " Shouted Alexa. Her dad petted her. And they went to their home and there was a note on the table. That note said ↓

"YOU SAVED YOUR FATHER. BUT YOU FORGOT ABOUT YOUR MOTHER. HAHA. WE WILL MEET AGAIN. TILL THAT DAY STAY SAFE. IT WILL BE YOUR LAST DAY..... "

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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Founder of Books Publishing Project Among School Children

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