

Solar System

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Foreword

In an increasingly complex global future, the "Hemamala Upahara" book project, led by Mahamaya Girls' College, stands as a turning point in girls' education. Over a decade, it has successfully nurtured thousands of children to become young authors.

This year, by collaborating with other schools, we aimed to provide students with a wealth of new experiences. The goal was to develop multi-faceted skills, including communication, values, and creative growth. As a result, children have written books that pay tribute to Princess Hemamala, who brought the Sacred Tooth Relic—the supreme symbol of the Buddhist world—to the Hill Country (Kandy).

I extend my gratitude to everyone involved, including the students who contributed their creativity and the teachers who guided them.

Shashikala Senadhira

Principal

Mahamaya Girls' College

Congratulatory Message

It is a great honor for me, as the Governor of the Central Province, to send a congratulatory message for the launch of the books created through the Hemamala Tribute Book Creation Project initiated by Mahamaya Girls' College, Kandy.

Education is the fundamental foundation for the progress of society, and it is further strengthened through books and literary creations. It is clearly commendable that students' talents, creativity, and intellectual abilities are emerging through projects such as this.

I believe that this book creation project will provide valuable knowledge and a precious literary contribution not only to the students but to the entire society. Furthermore, I hope that through such efforts, future writers who will bring pride to Sri Lanka will emerge.

I extend my heartfelt appreciation and blessings to the Principal, the academic staff, the students, and everyone involved who dedicated themselves to this successful endeavor. I wish this project and the book launch ceremony great success.

Sarath B.S. Abeykoon

Governor, Central Province

Emeritus Professor, University of Peradeniya

2026-05-10

Congratulatory Message

I highly appreciate the noble and outstanding effort of the Principal and the academic staff of Mahamaya Girls' College, Kandy, the student daughters, the students of other participating schools, and everyone who dedicated themselves to plan and implement this book publication project. The project was organized under the leadership of Mahamaya Girls' College, Kandy, with the participation of other schools in the Kandy Zone, with the aim of encouraging children toward book creation within the current school system, as a tribute to Hemamala Kumariya who brought the Sacred Tooth Relic to Sri Lanka.

For several decades, Sri Lanka has been committed to providing free, compulsory, quality, and equitable education to all children, thereby producing a future generation of intelligent and skilled citizens. In such a context, this book creation program for school children helps develop creative ability, critical thinking, and other positive qualities for a balanced and well-rounded personality, and contributes to building a future knowledge-based society.

May all activities of the Hemamala Tribute Book Creation Project be successful through the blessings of the Sacred Tooth Relic.

Pradeep Nilanga Dela

Diyawadana Nilame,

Sri Dalada Maligawa.

2026.05.10.

The Sun

I come out at the morning

I disappear at night

I never stop shining

I'm always bright

I live in the milkyway

I'm the father of the universe

Oh! clouds get out of my way

To cover all the darkness

I'm very very hot

More than boiling water

I love a lot

To help people all over

Mercury

My home, the Solar system

The first from the sun

Mercury is my name

A planet that's round

I'm hotter than Earth

I do so love the sun

And I go

That I got from my birth

The big bang, Mr. sun

I love my home friends

With so many other planet friend

And I love to roam

Around the light the sun sheds

Venus

Red and round

I was second

Where the sun's light fall

Being Venus

I was near the Earth

Full with happiness

I gave birth

Called the Evening Star

When the sun's in the west

From Mercury not far

For you, I wish all the best

Earth

Very round like a ball
The third from the sun
The best of them all
Planet number one

When looking from space
It's green and blue
Like a lovely maze
It's beautiful too

A normal temperature
Do you know what
For beings to live with nature
Earth's the best spot

Mars

Hi everyone!

My name is Mars

Hope you have fun

I'm so bored alas

I'm called the red planet

By humans on Earth

An alien myth

Is around the world

I go around my axis

And all over the sun

And if I'm not famous

My name isn't Mars

Jupiter

The biggest planet

The one with most moons

There are thunder clouds all over

Do you know whos'

Storms and thunder

Spreading rapidly

On the surface of Jupiter

There are black patches look quickly

A planet full of storms

Is the fifth from the sun

This giants' home

Is the universe everyone

Saturn

My place is the sixth
I'm very cold too as well
I have a lovely ring
If you know me please tell

I'm a lovely little mixture
Of dust, gas and ice
I go around my father
Isn't he nice

Saturn Saturn Saturn
You'll all cry
I'm the nicest I'm sure
I'll go up high

Uranus

Far away from the sun

Uranus is the seventh

We can have a lot of fun

Watching this planet

Neptune

Neptune is very blue

Its furthest from the sun

Its the eighth planet

Did you know everyone

The Solar system

It's also called the universe

It's home for many planets

The sun as its father

The biggest planet Jupiter

The smallest as Mercury

The milkyway its galaxy

The solar system family

Lives very very happily

Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars

Jupiter, Uranus, Neptune and stars

With many rocks and asteroids

To live, the universe likes to help us

Afterword



With the approval of the Ministry of Education, this research-based project has empowered thousands of student authors for over ten years. Educationists recognize it as a program that significantly enhances the quality of school education.

In alignment with modern educational reforms, encouraging students to author a research work is a milestone in this journey. In this digital age of "Smart" technology, the modern school must demonstrate through research that books and technology should be used together. This is because the unique joy a child receives from a book cannot be replaced by anything else.

To prevent children from drifting away from books—which remain our primary educational tool and storehouse of human knowledge—Mahamaya Girls' College has spearheaded the "Hemamala Upahara" project for many years. Its primary objectives are to foster academic discipline, promote values, and pay tribute to Princess Hemamala, who fulfilled a historic mission to empower women.

We express our gratitude to the Principal, teachers, parents, alumni of Mahamaya Girls' College, representatives of other schools, the Diyawadana Nilame, and the staff of the Sri Dalada Maligawa (Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic) for their support.

Seneviratne Mahalekam

(Project Creator)

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