

# Kitty AND DRAGON

KITTY GETS A COLD



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One morning,  
Dragon goes outside.

The sky is blue.  
The wind is blowing.

It is the perfect day  
to fly a kite.



Dragon finds his kite.  
He waits for Kitty to wake up.



When Kitty opens her eyes,  
she groans.

"My nose is stuffy," she tells Dragon.

"My throat hurts.

My head—ah...Ah...AH...





"I have a cold," Kitty says.  
"I cannot fly a kite.  
I need to be alone  
so I can rest."

Kitty closes her eyes.  
She falls asleep.



Dragon tries to fly his kite  
all by himself.  
But it is no fun  
without Kitty.





Dragon has an idea.  
He will help Kitty get better.  
He goes to his library.

He reads books  
about taking care of  
kitties who have colds.

When he is done reading,  
Dragon knows what to do.



Dragon goes to the kitchen.  
He boils water.  
He pours it into a big cup.



Dragon puts a cup of hot tea  
next to Kitty.





Kitty drinks the tea.  
It soothes her sore throat.



She goes back to sleep.



Dragon makes soup for Kitty.  
He chops onions, garlic,  
carrots, and celery.

He cooks them  
in a pot.  
He adds broth.





Dragon stirs in fish and herbs.



Finally, he adds some noodles.



He simmers the soup  
until the noodles are done.



Dragon ladles the soup into a bowl.



Dragon puts  
the bowl of soup  
next to Kitty.



Kitty eats the soup.  
It warms her tummy.



She goes back to sleep.





Dragon looks for sewing supplies.  
He digs for a bag of fabric.



Dragon watches his crystal ball  
to learn how to quilt.



Dragon begins to sew  
for the first time.





Dragon is not happy with his first try.



It does not look  
quite right.  
He pulls out the  
thread.

He starts again.



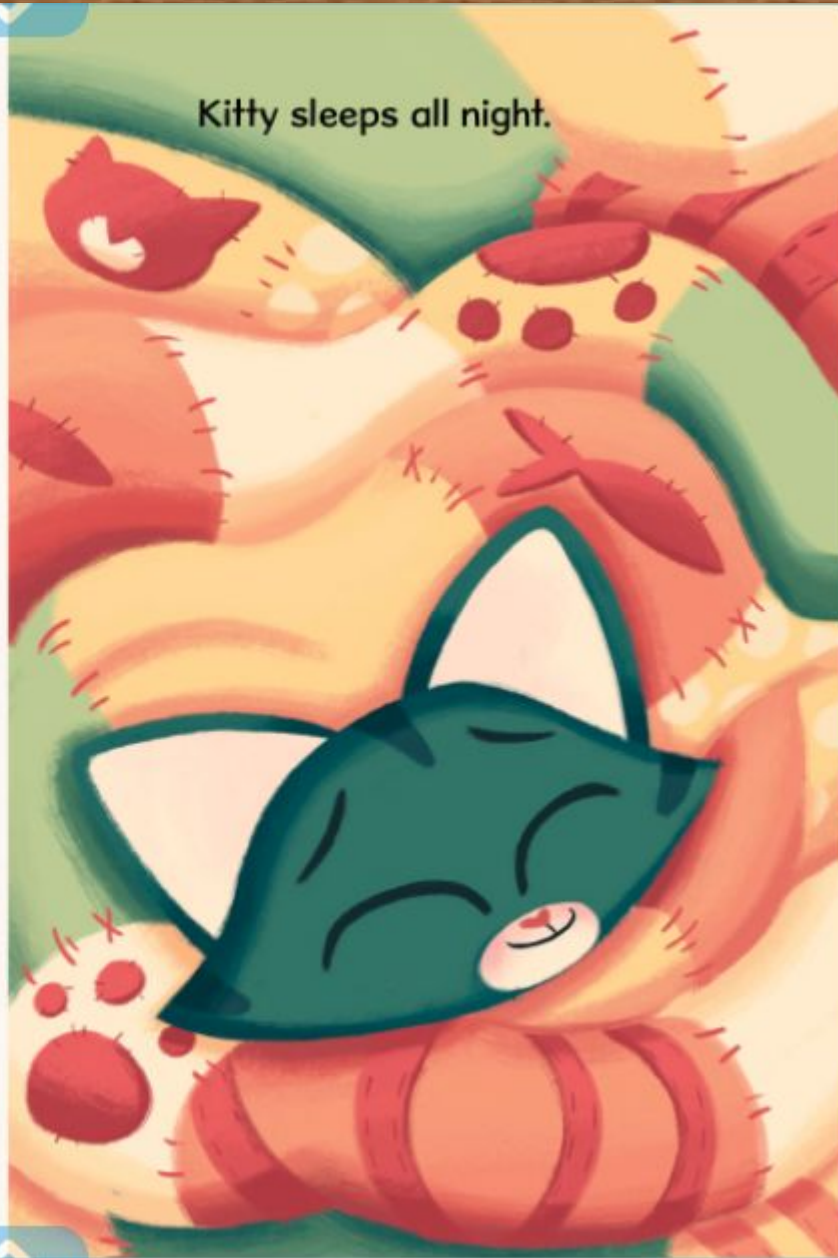
When he is done,  
Dragon has a blanket.  
It looks a little strange.  
But it is very warm.



Dragon puts the blanket over Kitty.  
He is careful not to wake her.



Kitty sleeps all night.





In the morning, Kitty wakes up.  
She stretches her legs.  
She clears her throat.

"I feel better!" she says.  
"Thank you for the hot tea.  
Thank you for the  
fish noodle soup.  
Thank you for the warm  
blanket!"



Dragon smiles.  
He gives Kitty the kite.



Together,  
Dragon and Kitty  
fly the kite  
in the sunny, windy sky.





Ah...Ah...AH...

CHOO!

