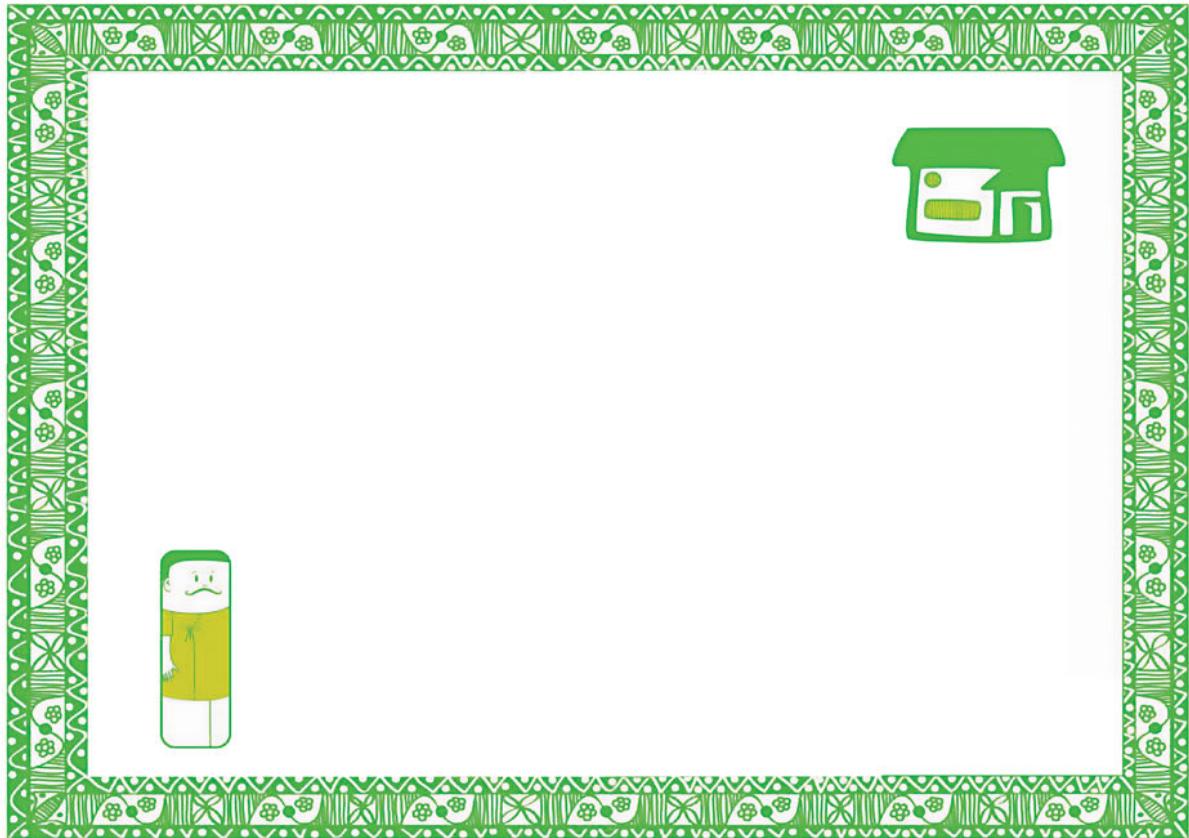




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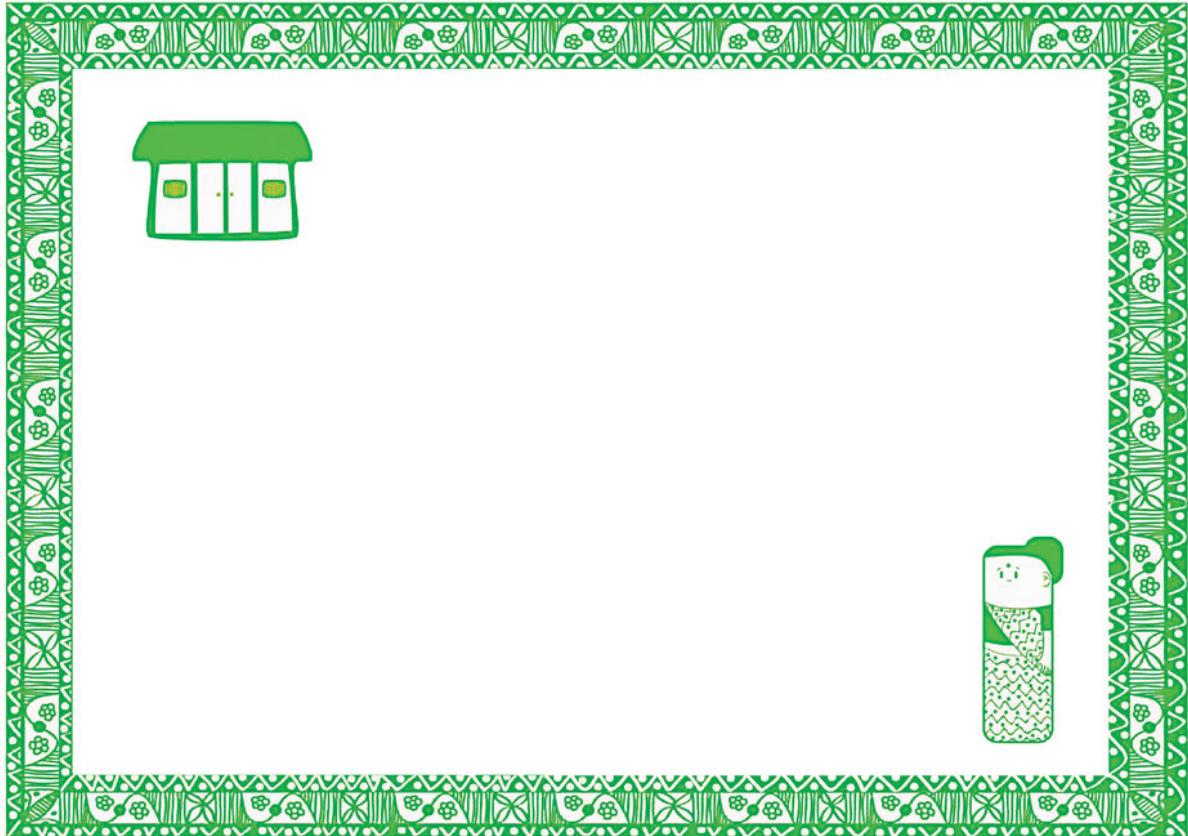
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Father says, “This house is mine.”



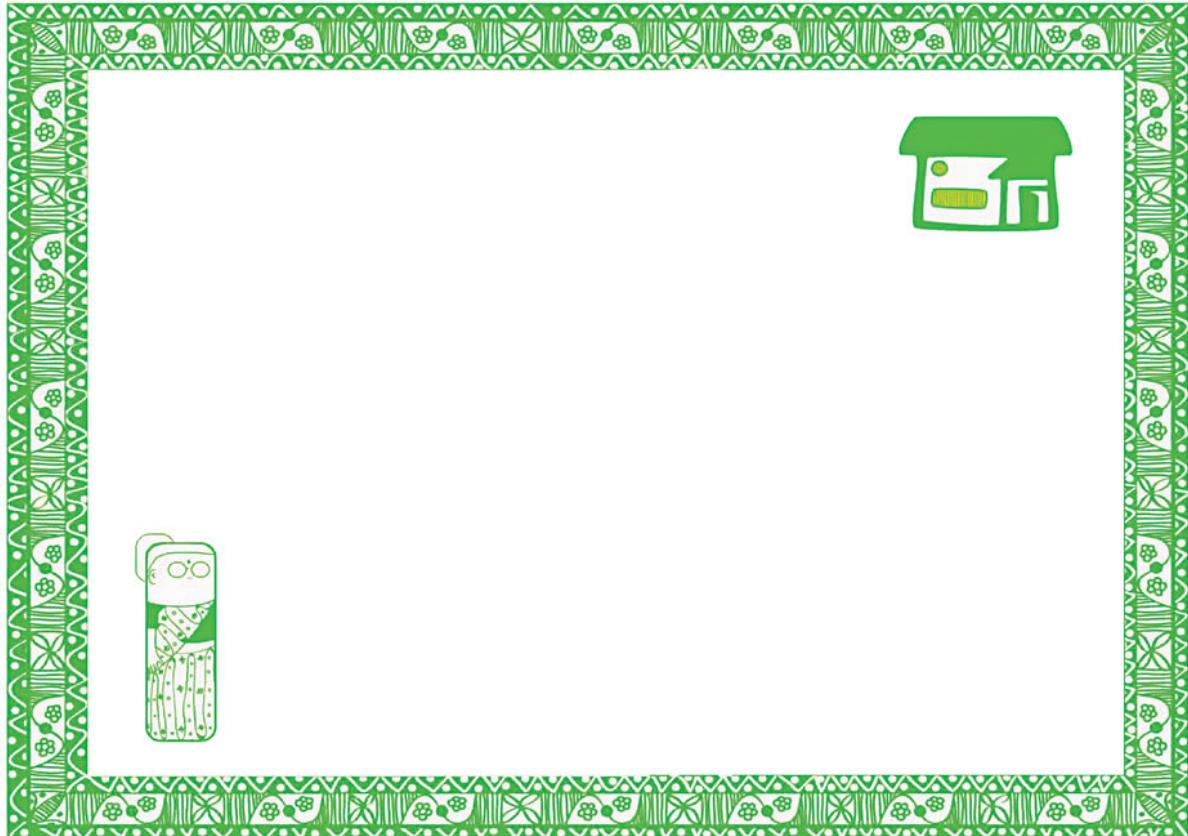
Isn't this also the house of the  
sparrow inside the terrace hole?



Mother says, “This house is mine.”



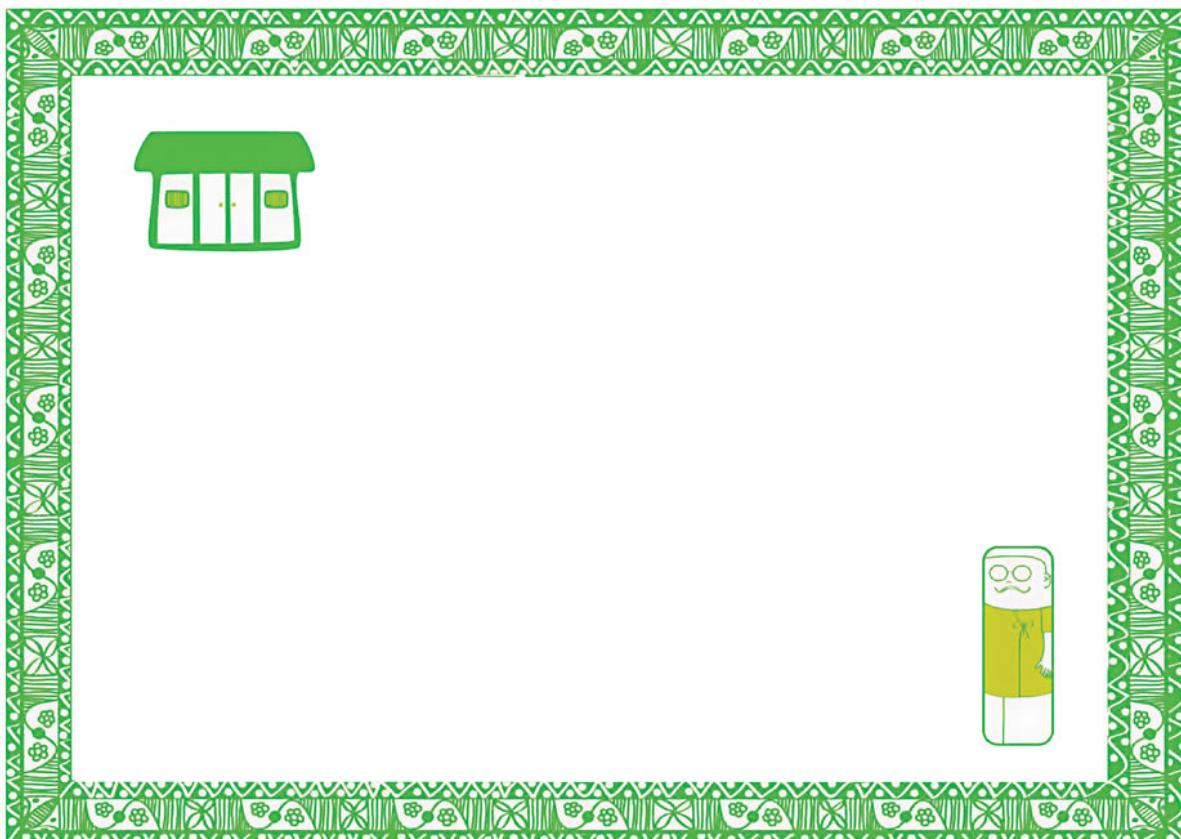
Isn't this also the house of the  
common mynah on the roof?



Grandma says, “This house is mine.”



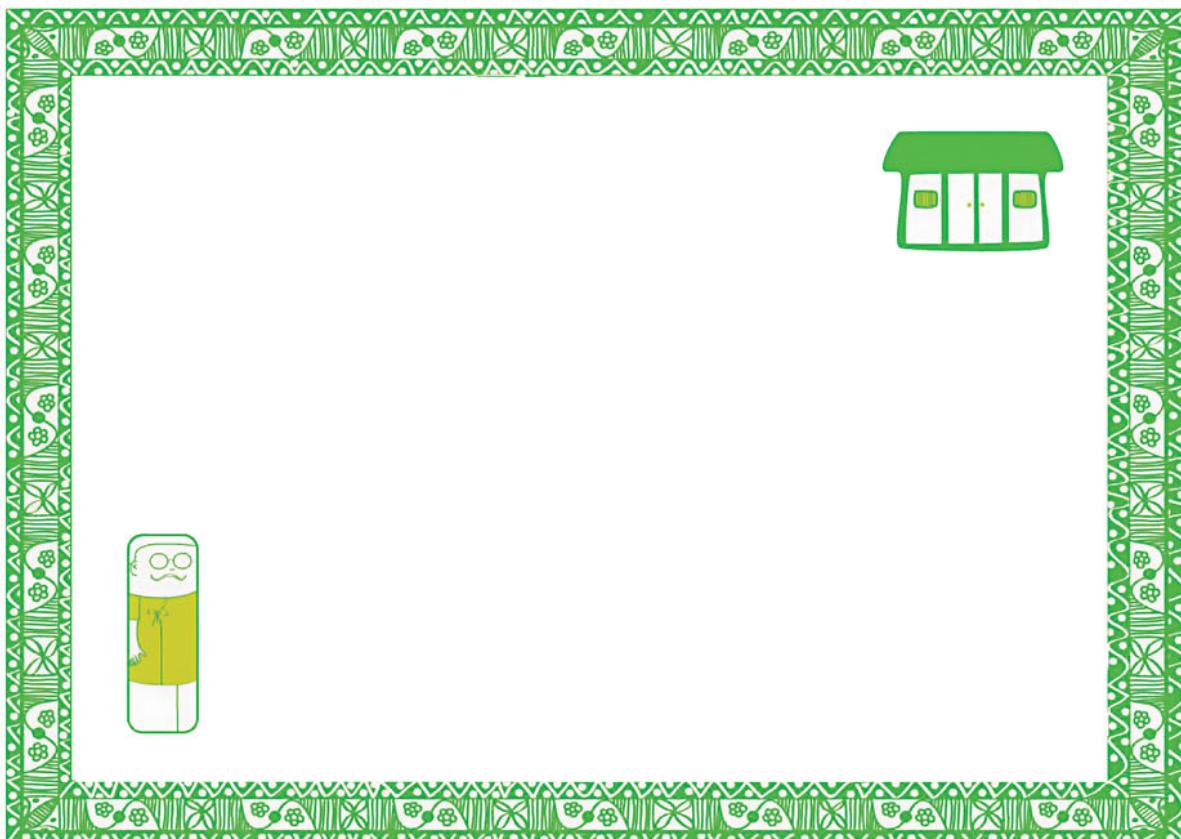
Isn't this also the house of the chicken  
in the coop?



Grandpa says, “This house is mine.”



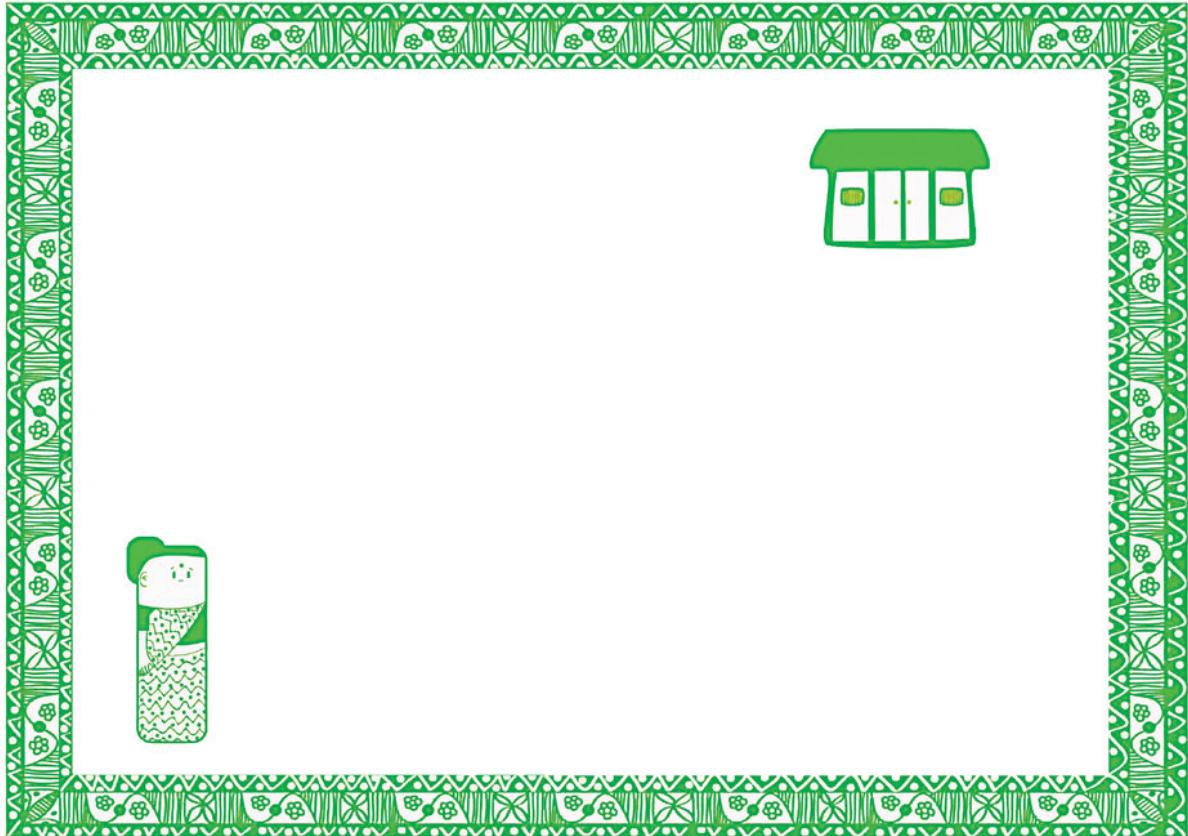
Isn't this also the house of the  
swallow on the top of the door?



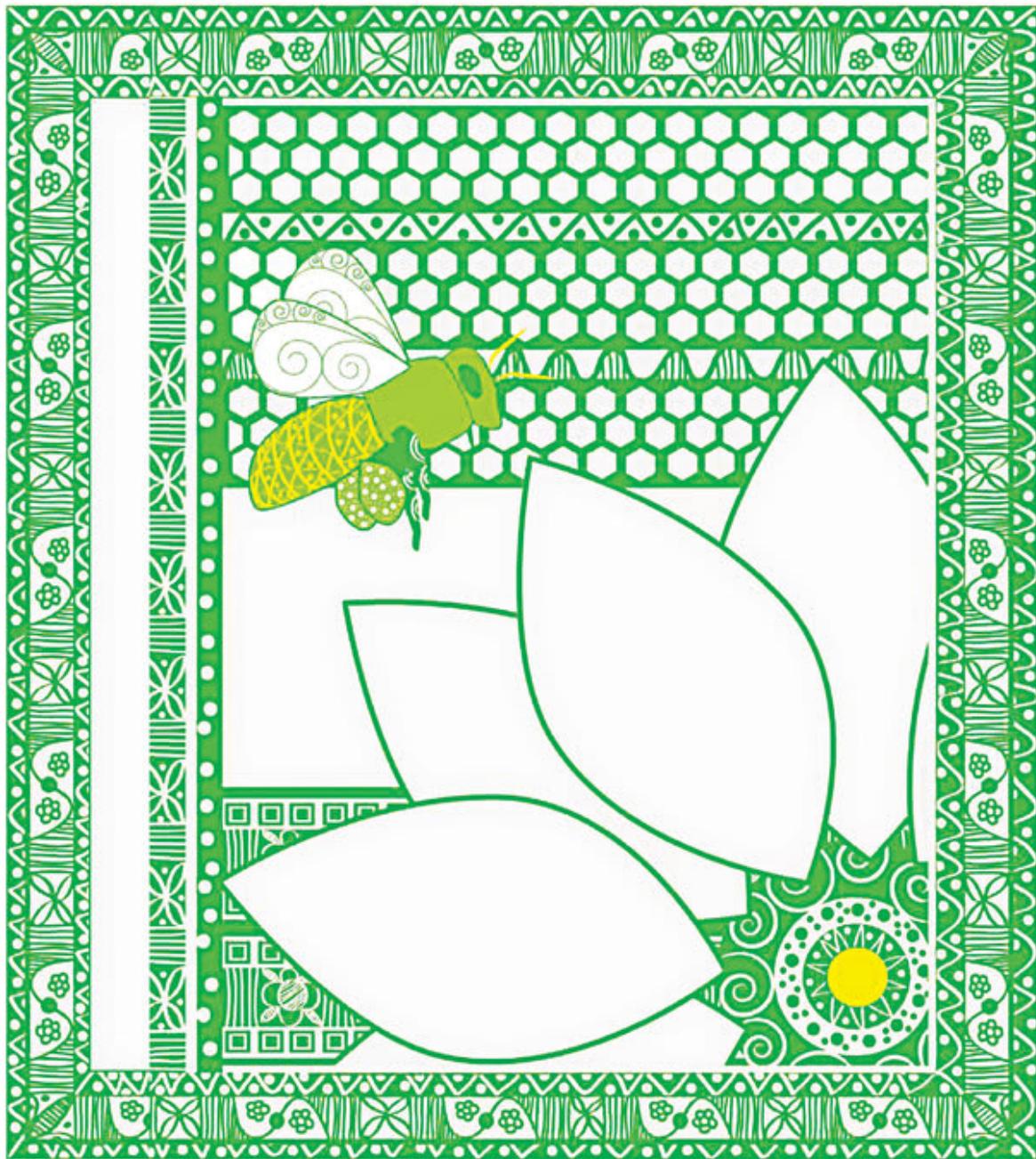
Uncle says, “This house is mine.”



Isn't this also the house of the pigeon  
on the branch?



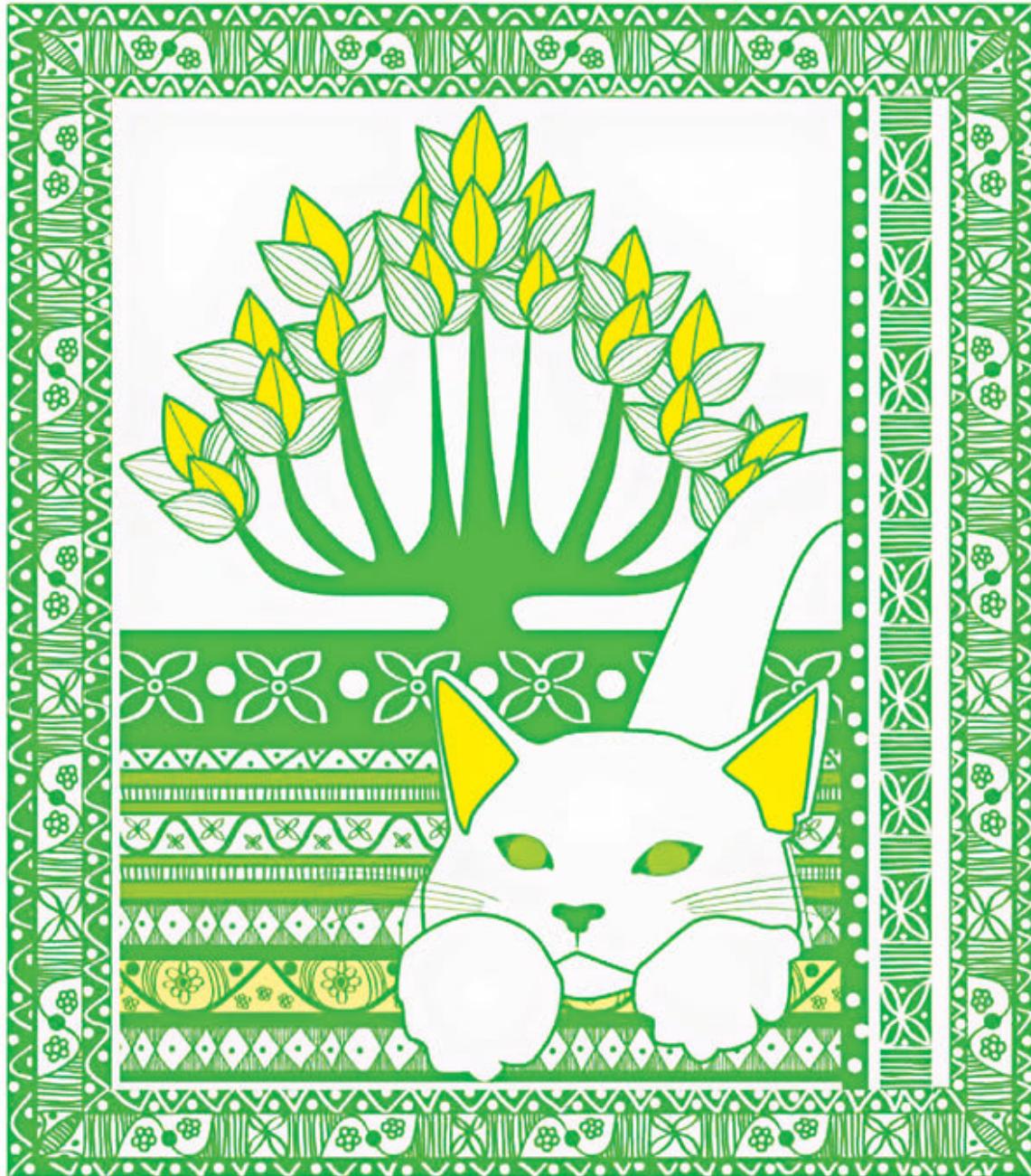
Aunty says, “This house is mine.”



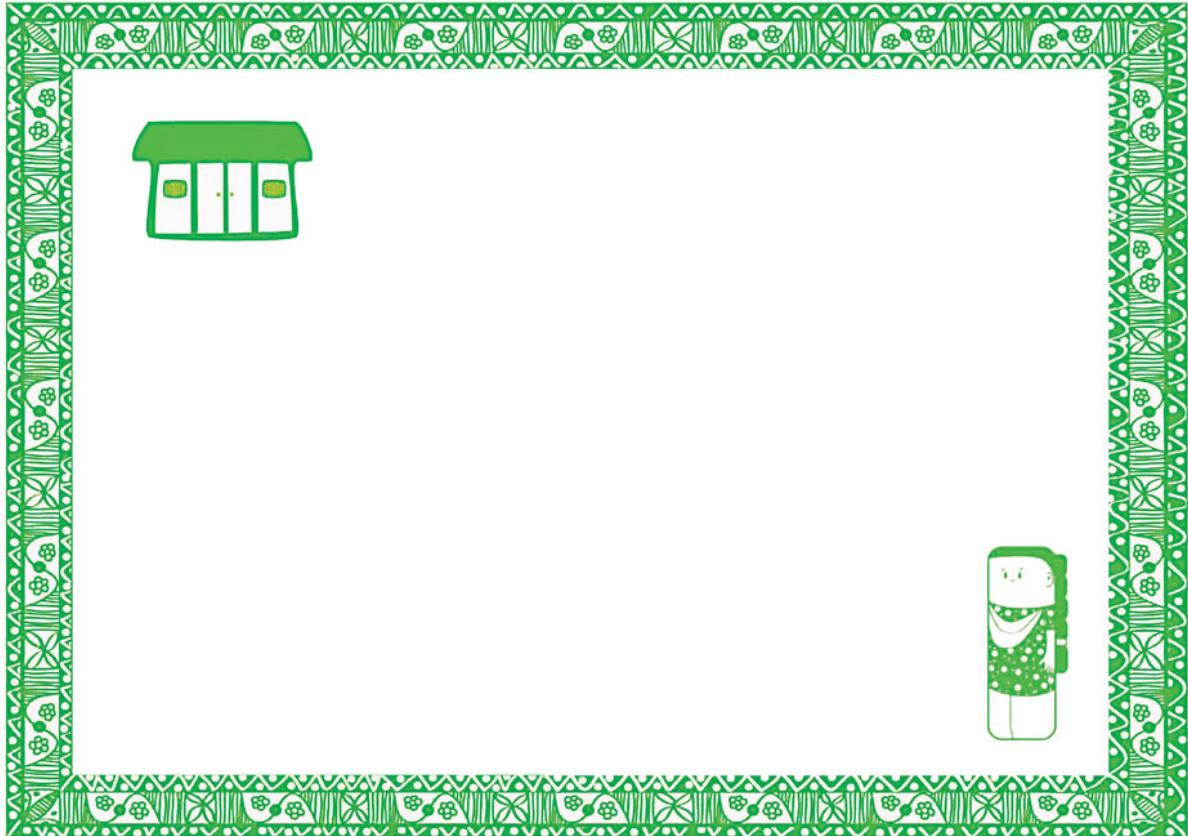
Isn't this also the house of the bees in the hives?



Brother says, “This house is mine.”



Isn't this also the house of the cat that chases the mouse?



Sister says, “This house is mine.”



Isn't this also the house of the cows in  
the shed?



Everybody says, “This house is mine.” It is not only mine, but also ours!



I say, “This house is mine, but also  
everybody else’s!”





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Whose House is This? (English) This book for early readers tells the story of a curious child who shares his house with many animals — from a cow in the shed to a bird on the roof. This is a Level 2 book for children who recognize familiar words and can read new words with help.



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