Mambo; a young lad from Taita Hills in Kenya is a story about the pleasures, pains and courage of growing up in a typical rural Kenyan village. Mambo, an andventuresome twelve year old lad, tells captivating stories about his childhood in a remote village up the Taita Hills near mount Kilimanjaro. Kililmanjaro is the tallest mountain in Africa. It is also called the ceiling of Africa. Through an interesting narrative, Mambo introduces young readers to the beauty of Kenya, of the Taita and Swahili cultures, and of the Swahili language.

Taita is a minority Kenyan culture group that lives in the Sprawling Taita hills located ion the South Western parts of the country. The hills are surrounded by the famous Isavo National Park where the renowned man-eater lions once lived .swahili Kenya’s national Language. Mambo wants children from allover the world to learn and talk Swahili and Taita with him.