

Hello Kitty: Surprise!

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Our favorite kitty cat is back—now in graphic novel form—in this collection of ten quirky and cute stories by a handful of concept artists. Hello Kitty’s familiar face and adorably rendered illustrations (each artist has a unique way of bringing the character to life) speak volumes when dialogue and narrative are absent. She enjoys a day at the beach in one story, searches for pirate treasure in another, and climbs the tallest tree in the world in a third, all the while staying true to the grand imagination and friendly kindness that made her popular in the first place. The variety of plot lines, range of bold colors, and exclamatory dialogue bubbles work to introduce this lovable kitten to a new generation of readers. Ages four to nine.

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