



Kim Ace



## The Gemini Curse I Geminiforbannelsen

It is hard to be brave, fighting evil in a parallel universe, when all you want to know is how to stop wetting your bed...

**Kim Ace** is an experienced musical actor, with an old dream of becoming a writer. Covid lockdown gave him the necessary breathing space to put pen to paper and nail an idea of his that was 13 years in the making.

### SYNOPSIS

The first instalment in Carlsen's new entertaining middle-grade series, about Rasmus who loves fantasy and never had a real friend. He has never really felt that he belonged anywhere, but that changes in a split second when Xander moves to town and becomes his class mate. For the first time in his life, Rasmus feels what it is like to have a real friend.

However, not long after the boys have met, strange things start to happen around them and when they go away on a school outing to the woods, the boys are attacked by a gruesome cat-like monster, which forces them into an overwhelming magic world, full of adventure, secrets and true evil.

The book was chosen as a World Book Day 2021 promotion by Carlsen and the trilogy has sold nearly 15000 copies.

Winner of the **Orla Book Prize 2021** (the children's own literature prize).

### REVIEWS

"A really exciting story." – (The Literature Page (Litteratursiden))

"Well-written and exciting - with a good splash of humour. An absolute must-have. Comes warmly recommended." – (Danish Library Association, official review)



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### Territories Handled

World Rights (Babel Bridge)