Doorknobs & Derring-do

New Characters Book

Traits Character Species Class Advancements Failed Professions Starting Gear Languages Fine Reasons To Travel Together Fantastic Headgear

Doorknobs & Derring-do (codename *Sourdough Tea*) is a book of rules for role-playing a science fantasy medieval picaresque. Brewed with lots of sunlight in a glass jar with bits of sourdough, old pieces of paper copied from the best, 99% Everything from Vayra's GROG, 69% of tables from Ben Milton's Knave, 88% Phlox's Quests, Prayers, etc., 14% of Animal Races from GLOG: Many Rats on A Stick; 33% Classes from Lair of The Lamb, 45% Classes from Deus ex Parabola, Squigboss, and OSR Discorrd community at large, 1% of the Edition-That-Must-Not-Be-Named, and copies of



and various Goblin Laws of Gaming

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Traits

Each trait table is optional, and may be chosen as desired or determined randomly. Roll 1d6 twice for a random pick; the first d6 for the group, then the second d6 for the item within that group. Items in [brackets] refer to another table or is up to GM and player discretion.

Appearance

Aquiline	Bullnecked	Square
Athletic	Chiseled	Gaunt
Barrel-Chested	Wide	Gorgeous
Boney	Corpulent	Haggard
Brawny	Craggy	Handsome
Brutish	Delicate	Grizzled
Soft	Rugged	Towering
Lanky	Slender	Trim
Round	Slumped	Weathered
Ripped	Solid	Willowy
Rosy	Narrow	Tiny
Scrawny	Statuesque	Wrinkled

Clothing

Antique	Decaying	Flamboyant
Battle-torn	Eccentric	Food-stained
Bedraggled	Elegant	Formal
Blood-stained	Embroidered	Frayed
Ceremonial	Exotic	Frumpy
Dated	Fashionable	Garish
Grimy	Oversized	Sigils
Haute couture	Patched	Singed
Lacey	Patterned	Tasteless
Livery	Perfumed	Undersized
Mud-stained	Practical	Wine-stained
Ostentatious	Rumpled	Worn out

Insanities

Results in quotation marks are things that are believed to be true by the insane character.

Always lies	Fears birds	Fears horses
Always polite	Fears blood	Fears iron
"[Animal]-form"	Fears books	Fears music
Cannot count	Fears darkness	Fears hands
Cannot lie	Fears fire	Fears PC
Faceblind	Fears gold	Fears rain
Fears rivers	"Genius"	"[Mon. Feature]"
Fears rivers Fears silence	"Genius" "Gorgeous"	"[Mon. Feature]" "[Monster Trait]"
	"Gorgeous"	
Fears silence	"Gorgeous"	"[Monster Trait]"
Fears silence Fears sleep	"Gorgeous" Hates violence	"[Monster Trait]" Must sing
Fears silence Fears sleep Fears sunlight	"Gorgeous" Hates violence "Invisible"	"[Monster Trait]" Must sing New [Person.]

Goals

A better life	Enlightenment	Infamy
Acceptance	Fame	Infiltrate [fac.]
Acquire [item]	Found [faction]	Justice
Craft [item]	Freedom	Kidnap [NPC]
Destroy [fact.]	Glory	Lead faction
Destroy [item]	Impress [NPC]	Learning
Locate NPC	Resolve fight	Serve evil
Love	Restore faction	Serve [faction]
Mastery	Reveal secret	Serve ideology
Power	Revenge	Serve leader
Reach location		Serve the poor
Rescue [NPC]	Serve deity	Wealth

Names 1

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Silas	Clover	Rei
Alejandro	Justice	Fern
Barsabaus	Damaris	Hester
Beatrix	Tugtar	Hippolyta
Aiko	Demona	Jessamine
Cleopha	Mercury	Jilly
Beorog	Pepper	Percival
Minerva	Phoebe	Zenobia
Alejandro	Toya	Ursula
Odette	Poppy	Zora
Olga	Jamila	Phaedra
Orchid	Sybil	Nabila
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Name Generator

Keep rolling until your name is good?			
tin	hin	kim	
pha	dye	mos	
pol	er	cha	
ay	uck	tur	
dra	ala	ki	
ed	mou	aph	
war	za	sch	
que	ool	ray	
vo	eth	ton	
hon	sul	del	
yn	ay	fon	
wro	lan	ga	

Names 2

Ramses	Xerxes	Gang	
Star	Ariel	Satan	
Herkaliz	Efraim	Nadja	
Ahmed	Mordechai	Xiang	
Faustus	Oz	Jin	
Faruq	Jenvir	Rakim	
Zedong	Redmaine	Balam	
Yun	Taro	Anayeli	
Gwytheryn	Sarkeen	Alfonso	
Bjorn	Skenandoah	Milky	
Brunhild	Saqui	Chadwick	
Rodrigo	Deangelo	Akira	

Surnames

Mannerisms

Drawl

Formal

Enunciates

Flowery words Gravelly voice

Repeats self

Slow speech

Speechifies

Squeaky

Rapid-fire

Rhyming

Jokes

Catchphrases

Laconic

Laughs Long pauses

Melodius

Stutters

Trails off

Very loud

Whispers

Monotone

Street slang

Talks to self

Anecdotes

Breathy

Chuckles

Interrupts Cryptic

Deep voice

Overly casual

Quaint sayings

Random facts

Mumbles

Narrates

Rambles

Thunderstruck	Midnighter	Firescar	
Inkstain	Needle	Highborn	
Berrycloth	Mender	Lamplighter	
Birdwhistle	of the [Wilder.]	Gaswick	
Coffinfoot	Silverless	Beekeeper	
Graveworm	Tarwater	the [Animal]	
Flowerborn	Deathlover	the Nimble	
the Bringer	Kisser	Gallows	
Mudraker	the [Secret]	Hairwind	
Dogsworn	Snowheart	the Gray	
the [Color]	Torchlight	the [Person.]	
Griffintouch	of the [Omen]	Pigeonlover	

These tables are available for players who would like a more detailed character.

Physical Details

Acid Scars	Burn Scar	Missing Tooth
Battle Scars	Bushy brows	Gold Tooth
Birthmark	No Eyebrows	One-Eyed
Brand Mark	Dark Skinned	Mustache
Broken Nose	Whip Scars	Sideburns
Bronze Skinned	Missing Ear	Beard
Freckles	Piercings	Smooth skin
Nine Fingers	War Paint	Pockmarked
Sunburned	Makeup	Weathered
Tattoos	Tanned	Stitches
Keloid Scars	Oily	Prosthetic
Pale Skinned	Reeking	Iridescent

Secrets

Personalit	Secrets			
Bitter	Cunning	Honor-bound	Addicted	C
Brave	Driven	Hotheaded	Artificial	D
Cautious	Entitled	Inquisitive	Assassin	C
Chipper	Gregarious	Irascible	Bankrupt	E>
Contrary	Grumpy	Jolly	Beholden	Fe
Cowardly	Heartless	Know-it-all	Counterspiy	Fu
Lazy	Righteous	Spacey	Insurrectionist	N
Loyal	Rude	Stoic	Low born	is
Menacing	Sarcastic	Stubborn	Married	P
Mopey	Savage	Stuck-up	Mind-controlled	Pr
Nervous	Scheming	Suspicious	Misfortune	S
Protective	Serene	Wisecracking	Monster hunter	Se

Cultist	Ghost
Demigod	Has a child
Cursed lineage	Heretic
Exile	High born
Fence	Huge fortune
Fugitive	Illusion
Non-human	
is [NPC]	Smuggler
Polygamist	Spy
Protects relic	Time traveler
Scandalous birth	Transformed
Secret police	War criminal
	Demigod Cursed lineage Exile Fence Fugitive Non-human is [NPC] Polygamist Protects relic Scandalous birth

NPC Assets

These are an NPC's strong points, attributes that make them a valuable ally

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Authority	Excellent liar	Gorgeous	
Avoids detection	Extremely rich	Hears rumors	
Calls in favors	[Faction]-leader	Huge family	
Charming	[Fac.]-member	Huge library	
Cooks the books	Feared	Imitator	
Erases evidence	Fortified base	Interrogator	
Knows a guy	Loyal henchmen	Pulls strings	
Knows a way in	Middling oracle	Secret lab	
Launders money	Nothing to lose	Marketeer	
Learned	Owns the guards	Smuggler	
Local celebrity	Powerful spouse	Spy network	
Local knowledge	Procures gear	War hero	

NPC Liabilities

These are an NPC's weak points, weaknesses that

can be exploited to subvert them.				
Addiction	Gambler	[Insanity]		
Aloholic	Glutton	Jealous		
Corrupt ally	Greedy	Amateur		
Coward	Heretic	Many enemies		
Decadent	Huge debts	Misinformed		
Forbidden love	Imposter	Money trail		
Narcissist	Protective	Temper		
Needs medicine	Scandalous	Trusting		
OCD	Softhearted	Vulnerable base		
Paranoid	Strict routine	Wanted		
Partyer	Superstitious	Weak-willed		
Poor equipment	Suspicious	Widely despised		

Character Species

Either choose or roll d60 (a d6 and a d10).

"Reroll" in a species description means reroll that stat and use the higher value. Do this after rolling your stats and swapping two.

"<u>Human</u>" is a catch-all term for bipeds with opposable thumbs and poor night-vision that are capable of creating art. It debatably includes moth elves, depending on who you talk to, whose existence is also debated.

<u>Goblinoids</u> have bright red to yellow eyes with slit pupils, catlike noses, small pointed teeth, bushy sideburns (across all three sexes), and dull orange, yellow, or green skin covered with fine, short, downy fur. Goblinoid society holds that the place of men and women is at home, so most (but not all) goblinoid adventurers are neuters.

<u>Animal-lings</u> range in expression from being unable to pass as that animal to being unable to pass as human.

1. **Batling.** Can roll Wis to "hear" walls and major fixtures in the dark, but will never notice details unless they move. Reroll Wisdom.

2. **Magpieling.** Always knows the approximate value of mundane items, must Save or pick up shiny objects, reroll Dexterity.

3. **Eelling**. Take half damage while grappling, cannot see anything nearer than 1'. Reroll Intelligence.

4. **Antling.** +2 to STR for Inventory Slots, Save vs Fear when alone. Reroll Strength.

5. **Hedgehogling**: +2 Defense, cannot wear armour on chest or limbs. Reroll Wisdom. 6. **Deerling**: Antlers (as a club), when afraid, will run instead of freezing. Reroll Charisma.

7. **Slothling**: Cannot be Frightened, always Surprised. Reroll Strength.

8. **Mouseling**: Can very convincingly play dead, -2 Inventory Slots. Reroll Wisdom.

9. **Boarling**: Tusks (as a dagger), Constant snuffling. -2 to DEX. Reroll Constitution.

10. **Hawkling**: Can see detail at a great distance, can only eat uncooked food. Reroll Intelligence.

11. **Houndling**: Can track a creature by smell, must Save vs Commands. Reroll Charisma.

12. **Beetleling**: Reroll Strength. Takes half damage from falling, Cannot wear armour on chest or limbs

13. **Fishling**: Can hold breath for 5 minutes, disadvantage on Dexterity if not wet. Reroll Constitution.

14. **Swanling**: Can shout and sing incredibly well, Cursed. -2 to Save. Reroll Dexterity.

15. **Owlling**: Can rotate head 180 degrees, Cough up disgusting pellets after every meal. Reroll Wisdom.

16. **Slugling**: Cannot be pushed in combat, Salt is deadly to you. Reroll Wisdom.

17. **Flyling**: Can eat rotten food as rations, Will never notice details unless they move. Reroll Wisdom.

18. **Rabbitling**: Jump twice as high, When afraid, will freeze instead of running. Reroll Wisdom.

19. **Gooseling**: Prehensile neck, can fit through small spaces, When afraid, Save or attack enemy. Reroll Wisdom.

20. **Ravenling**: Can eat rotten food as rations, Must Save or pick up shiny objects. Reroll Wisdom.

21. **Weaselling**: Can crawl through narrow spaces, Must eat uncooked food. Reroll Strength.

22. **Frogling**: 20' prehensile tongue (as a whip), -2 Inventory Slots. Reroll Dexterity.

23. **Toadling**: Jumps twice as high, emits loud, involuntary croaks. Reroll Strength.

24. **Ratling**: Can crawl through narrow spaces, must Save vs Fear when alone. Reroll Intelligence.

25. **Goatling**: No Move penalties for broken or hilly terrain, has pervasive, unique stink. Reroll Constitution.

26. **Foxling**: Half time taken to forage, but cannot tell the direct, blunt truth. Reroll Charisma.

27. **Wormling**. Can shrink or grow from your base height by 50% as an Action, -2 Inventory Slots. Reroll Wisdom.

28. **Flealing**. Can drink blood as rations, Cannot wear armour on chest or limbs. Reroll Constitution.

29. **Snakeling**: First to take action, even if surprised. Disadvantage on DEX saves in the cold. Reroll Intelligence.

30. **Monkeyling**. Can use tail for wielding items, must Save against fear near fire. Reroll Dexterity

31. **Apeling**: Advantage on climbing rolls, aggressive to anyone who hurts teammates, even objects. Reroll Strength.

32. **Spiderling**. Can secrete 30' of rope per day, Cannot see anything more than 30' away. Reroll Dexterity.

33. **Turtling**: +4 Defense, can only wear customized shell armor. Reroll Constitution. 35. Badgerling: Shrug off 1d8 damage 1/day. However—in combat, Save or fight the physically biggest monster. Reroll Constitution.

36. **Bisonling:** Horns allow your unarmed attacks to deal 1d6 rather than 1d3. However—take x3 damage from falling. Reroll Constitution.

37. **Gatorling:** Can hold breath for two hours. However—when cold, take disadvantage on all rolls and fail Initiative. Reroll Strength.

38. **Mammothling:** Can hold objects with third "hand." Wielding three weapons gives you +2 to-hit, but only one weapon deals damage. However—get disadvantage in tight spaces, must make DEX roll to move through normal-sized doorway without taking an action to maneuver. Reroll Wisdom.

39. **Possumling:** Can very convincingly play dead. However —when frightened, *must* play dead for at least 1 round. Reroll Wisdom.

40. **Raccoonling:** Advantage on opening locks and untying knots. However—must wash food before eating it, or the meal will not restore HP. Reroll Intelligence.

41. **Turkeyling:** Advantage on Saves vs Fear. Must save against making noise while rolling initiative. *The people of courage.* Reroll Charisma.

42. **Wolfling:** +2 on rolls assisting another character. However when you hear singing or music then you must sing out in accompaniment. Reroll Dexterity.

43. **Bugbear (goblinoid)**: Eight to nine feet tall (-1 AC, can wield heavy weapons as if they were medium), reroll Strength.

44. **Hobgoblin (goblinoid)**: Skin and fur tend towards warmer colors, five to six feet tall, reroll lowest stat.

45. **Goblin (goblinoid):** About three feet tall (+1 AC, can only wield medium weapons two-handed and can't wield heavy weapons). Reroll Dexterity.

46-50. **Orc:** Tall and universally muscular, with strong brows, jutting lower jaws with protruding tusks, and pointed ears. There are three races of orc—the terms "half-orc" and "water orc" are actually considered slurs, but continue to be widely used both by "true orcs" and outside of the River Kingdoms. Roll 1d3. <u>1. "True" orc</u>: Green skin, approximately seven feet tall. Reroll Strength.

2. Water orc: Heavy-set, graybrown to blue-gray skin, bulbous milky eyes, webbed extremities, gills set into necks and faces, just under seven feet tall. Amphibious (swim speed equal to land speed, breathe water as well as air), see well in dim light, +1 difficulty to all rolls in bright light, reroll Strength. <u>3. Half-orc</u>: Pale yellow, green, or gray skin, about six and a half feet tall. "Half-orc" is a misnomer and a slur, applied due to relative size. Reroll Charisma.

51. Moth Elf: Bone white or inky black skin, compound eyes, beautifully patterned wings, fierce mandibles, two sets of gangly arms, about five feet in height. Dust from wings stains skin and fabric a rich indigo purple, causes ferrous metals to emit fat orange sparks, and can be used by other species as a drug which has contributed to the prejudice that moth elves face throughout the civilized lands. Moth elves have very short lifespans, reaching maturity in three to five years and never living beyond thirty. Immune to sleep and hunger, Fly speed 20

feet, can expend all moth dust (losing ability to fly for 24 hours) to *charm* (as cast with 1 MD) as action, four arms—three "off hands", reroll Intelligence.

52. The Carven.

Resembles the Hu carved out of wood. Their faces and bodies are generally plain, and they wear clothing and shoes for protection. Complexions range from golden pine to cherry to ebony. Cannot make facial expressions. In a forest, they have a 10% of being detected if they remain still. If hit with fire, must save against Dex or catch fire, taking an additional 1d4 per round until extinguished.

53-60. The Hu.

The "hu" was a small, pink, avaricious, ugly little mole-like creature that the humans exterminated out of shame. +1 Strength for Inventory Slots. Gain a random item. -4 Save against being mutated or transformed. Reroll of choice.

CHARACTER ADVANCEMENTS

Characters can have no more than four templates. The "A" Template is the first you receive in that class, "B" is the second Template you can claim in the class, and so on. The "D" Template is available only to those who have the previous three templates. Past Level 4, players may switch out a class template with another of the same letter when they level up if they wish.

ADVENTURER

Also goes by "Questing Explorer."

A Handy Equipment B Negotiator C Torch Fighter D The Quest

Handy Equipment. You're getting quite good with adventuring equipment. Pick an item on the standard equipment list. You now have advantage while using that item.

Negotiator. Did you have any conversations with monsters last session? Even if they were brief or didn't go well, you learned a valuable lesson on negotiating with them, and now have +1 to reaction rolls when talking to them.

Torch Fighter. You are an expert fighter with a weapon in one hand and a torch in the other. By warding off attackers you can use the torch as a shield. The torch works as a d4 club against fireproof beings, but does d6 to all others. Plus if you roll a 6 you set them aflame. Also, you know what you are doing sufficiently that these shenanigans will never extinguish your torch unless you do something like clobber a water weird.

The Quest. AHA!!! You've heard a rumor in a tavern--that thing you wanted? The talking riding panther? The Axe of Ninety Nymphs? That king totally willing you lend you his army? The parasitic extra limb that grants you immortality? That romantic subplot? It's there. 4 sessions worth of adventure away or less. Tell your GM, who then must place it.

You must have a fair shot at it--like any other treasure, but there's no guarantee you will get it. If you don't get it by the fourth session you can keep trying or let it go and roll again on this table.

ACROBAT

Starting Equipment: quarterstaff, 50' rope

Skills: Tightrope walking and 1d3: 1. Dancer, 2. Cat Burglar, 3. Circus Performer

A Dodge, Nah 1/day B Tricky C Cat Power, Nah 2/day D Roast the Oaf For every template of this class you gain +1 Movement.

Dodge. Every empty inventory slot gives you +2 Defense, up to a maximum of 16 or 10+Dex, whichever is lower. This doesn't stack with armor.

Nah. Once per day, you can declare that something doesn't affect you. Works on anything that you could physically dodge.

Tricky. Whenever you roll a natural 20 on an attack roll, you can deal double damage AND attempt a free combat maneuver. Whenever you roll a 19 on a attack roll, you deal regular damage and attempt a free combat maneuver.

Cat Power.Treat your falls as if they were 20' shorter. Cats tend to like you.

Roast the Oaf. When an enemy misses you with a melee attack, you may force them to make another attack against another target within range. It's possible to make enemies hit themselves with this ability.

Multi-class Note

If you end up taking two levels of Acrobat and two levels of Fighter, you may end up with two copies of Tricky. These combine into Very Tricky.

Very Tricky Your Tricky ability expands to 18 and 19. Whenever you attempt a free combat maneuver after rolling an 18, 19, or 20, you get +4 to your attempt.

MAGIC-USER

Starting Equipment: Robes and a strange hat, a staff, a spellbook or other method of scribing spells, a clay pot of ink, a quill, a stick of incense, a dagger, a sling, and 20 bullets.

Skills: Occult Lore and 1d3: 1. Smoking, 2. Illuminating, 3. Brewing

A Spellcasting, Spell Scribing B Spell Breeding, +1 Spell (1d8) C Preparatory Casting, +1 Spell (1d10) D +2 Spells (1d12) For every template of this class you gain +1 MD.

Spellcasting: Pick 1 list of spells and write 2 spell from the first 6 spells on that list (or rolled, depending on your DM) in your spellbook. You can cast any spell you have written in your spellbook at any time so long as you have MD available. Each spell list has an associated cantrip, which you also know, and a drawback. You gain a new spell from your spell list for every further template of Mage you take (from the first 8 at template B, first 10 at template C, and all 12 at template D).

Spell Scribing: If you encounter a spell written down in any form, you can spend 1 week researching the spell to put it in your own notation and 10 d. of ink and various experimental components to write it in your spellbook. You can spend a week per [dice] and 10 * [dice] d. of various components to instill a spell you have in your spellbook into a staff, wand, or rune. You cannot instill more [dice] into this object than your maximum. When casting the spell through this object you can cast it with at most [dice] MD, and however many MD you choose are removed from the object. Once the object reaches 0 [dice], it crumbles to dust. You cannot put more than 1 MD into a rune or 2 MD into a wand.

Spell Breeding: You can attempt to breed two spells you have written in your spellbook. This process takes a month and 100 d. of various experimental components. The results of the cross-breeding are up to you and your DM to determine. There's a 1-in-6 chance the process goes horribly wrong, and a separate 1-in-6 chance to lose one of the spells involved, removing it from your spellbook.

Preparatory Casting: You can prepare a number of spells no greater than your number of Mage templates by meditating an hour per spell prepared. When you cast these spells, you cannot suffer a Mishap or a Doom. Once you've cast a prepared spell, you no longer have it prepared. You also lose your prepared spells when you sleep or after 24 hours.

CLERIC

As a cleric, you adhere to the laws of your faith, which has a specific [color], [location], [clothing], [time], [weapon], and [object] that are considered holy/essential to the faith.

A. You gain the ability to convert the energy of one spell per day into healing of d6 per spell level.

B. Declare a Crusade: Pick a single species of monster or other type of foe that really cheeses you off. All your party members are +1 to hit and damage against these creatures so long as you are standing with them. If you change who you're crusading against more than once, nobody will take you seriously and the effect wears off.

C. When standing at your holy [location] you feel the power of your god flow through you. Make a Wis check every time you cast a spell there. If you succeed, you do not lose the memorized spell.

D. Timing is everything. When it is [time], your spells take effect as if you were 2 levels higher.

FIGHTER

You might be a soldier from a levied army seeking an independent fortune, a mercenary with grand plans, or an unscrupulous highway robber. You're likely to be practical, world-wise, and skeptical.

Starting Equipment: Weapon of choice, leather or chain armor, drinking horn, dagger, bow, 20 arrows.

Random Starting Skill (1d3): 1. Farmer, 2. Soldier, 3. Sailor

A Parry, Favorite Weapon B Sunder, Tricky C +2 to Parry D Double Attack For every template of this class you gain +1 Attack.

Parry You can block with melee weapons. Once per round you can reduce the incoming damage of a melee attack, and you subtract damage rolled by your parrying weapon. If this reduces the damage to nothing, feel free to laugh at your opponent.

Favorite Weapon Choose a weapon type. Add +1 to your Attack and Defense while wielding that weapon.

Sunder When you are about to take incoming damage, you may sacrifice a fist-sized object you are holding in your hand in order to reduce damage by 1d6. You can choose to sacrifice a held shield to reduce damage by 1d12.

Tricky Whenever you roll a natural 20 on an attack roll, you can deal double damage AND attempt a free combat maneuver. Whenever you roll a 19 on a attack roll, you deal regular damage and attempt a free combat maneuver.

Double Attack You can attack twice per turn, on your turn.

ORBSEEKER

Starting Equipment: Start with no orbs ;(, a bronze mirror, rough robes, and a hunting sword.

A Orb Wielder B Domains C Orb Seal D Two Orbs

A Orb Wielder +1 MD but you cannot have more MD than you have orbs. +1d6 damage with weapons while holding an orb in your other hand.

B Domains +1 MD. Every orb has a domain. Take 1 HP to commune with an orb to see clear visions of the present in its domain or cryptic visions of the future or past in its domain. Magical orbs have domains like "doom" or "valor," mundane orbs have domains like "the forest I came from" or "men with beards and glasses."

C Orb Seal +1 MD. When you defeat a foe, you may make opposed intelligence tests, If you win, place them in an orb and specify the conditions that will release them.

D Two Orbs +1 MD. While wielding two orbs, you may cast two spells per turn as long as the spells correspond with each orb's domain.

PALADIN

The paladin is a champion of order, a sword and shield for those who have neither. While they may revere or even worship various goodly deities and religions, they serve the well being of other sentient creatures. Paladins begin as squires, peasants who have long talks with angels, kids who stumble on a magic sword or something like that. Roll 1d8.

A: Piercing Gaze: Even magic cannot hide the truth from you - you can see the true form of a shape-changer, polymorph subject, or anyone else whose original form has been changed. You spot all illusions for what they are.

B: Spiritual Companion: An animal has decided to assist you as a mount, guide or partner in battle. It will answer your call once a day and will remain with you until your need for it is complete. This is usually a war-horse, but it can be anything approved by the referee, and it cannot have more hit die more than you, and cool abilities (fly, spit fire, etc) count as one more hit die per ability.

C: Weapon of Faith: You may create a weapon forged from your faith that is always in your soul. It has +1 to hit and is holy/magical. The weapon remains till dismissed and can be summoned again instantly.

D. Lay on Hands: Your touch brings comfort and succor. You may lay on hands once a day, either relieving the subject of a natural disease or healing 2 HP per your hit die total.

PLANT PEOPLE

Awakened Spikefruit Tree - Pachypodium A young tree of Large size with strong, thick branches that bear hard, spiky fruit. Spikefruits can be thrown and have the same stats as darts...

Awakened Thornberry Bush

A medium sized bush with beautiful flowers, large thorns, and poisonous berries. A. Thorn Whip B. You grow 1d4 berries per day that heal

1 HP each.

C. Applying the Thornberry poison to thorns requires one action (like applying a normal poison from a vial). Thornwhip will then apply the poison damage on hit. The poison only deals 1d4 damage but it also inflicts the Poisoned status if the enemy fails a CON save.

Awakened Ancient Bonsai Tree

As a seven-hundred year old, exquisite bonsai tree (any spe ies), your great age reflects your unparalleled wisdom.

A. You can mold the earth

B. You can ensnare things and people.

C. Can use Minor Illusion to create a clay pot to stand in when hiding in plain sight.

Awakened Cactus

You're a cactuar. 1,000 Needles! A. your spiked Club-arms to do d8 damage, because they're like mini-morningstars. B. Longstrider (cactuars are fast...) C. Once per long rest you can use 1000 Needles, which does 1d4 damage per character level to all creatures (friend and foe) in a 10ft radius around you, or DEX save for half damage.

ROBOT

You cannot swim and are immune to magical sleep. You need 8 hours rest for diagnostic self-repair. You do not eat but require oil for your furnace and water for your boiler, in the same way other adventurers need food and water. You can burn wood in your furnace but need 3x as much, 5x for low-quality bark, paper, and leaves. Medical skills are useless on a robot, but a skilled mechanic can provide repairs.

A: Eyebeams, Utility Arm

- B: Weapon Arm
- C: Detachable Robot, Databank
- D: Fusion Digestion

Utility Arm. You have an extra arm that's a utility-grasper. You can use it to hold stuff and manipulate things, but not for combat.

Weapon Arm. You have a hidden extra arm that is a weapon of your choice, and comes in and out of your body at will. If a weapon isn't needed it can be a drill or something.

Eyebeams. Lasers fire from your eyes and deal 1d6 damage per level of character. Can be used once per rest. Goes up by one die size on a reroll.

Databank: You can read & memorize a number of books equal to your Intelligence Bonus. Gain +1 on Saves related to the subject of the books memorized. Languages can be memorized this way.

Detachable Robot. You have a mini version of yourself that you can launch and send out, like a drone. It can fly, is tiny, and has half your current HP. During this time your big body is immobile and offline.

Insufferably Superior. Anytime one of your friends fails an intelligence check, you get a +2 to make the same check to see if you know the answer. If it doesn't make sense why you didn't volunteer the info earlier, it's because they 'never asked'.

Fusion Digestion. You can now consume cooked foods and human beverages and convert into energy.

218 Backgrounds

Roll1d6 for the hundreds digit (0, 1, or 2).

Roll 1d10 for the tens digit. If you're rolling above 200, roll for 1-10 instead. Roll 1d10 for singles digit. If you're rolling above 210, roll 1d8 for 1-8 instead.

	Background	First item	Second Item
	Academic	Pointer	Quill and ink
	Actor	Dulled dagger -1 damage	Make up kit
	Alchemist	Pestle and mortar	Oil, 1 flask
	Animal Trainer	Bag of animal treats	Work animal
	Apothecary	Dagger	Pestle and mortar
	Aristocrat	Rapier	Foppish wig
	Armorer	Spiked gauntlet (cestus)	Iron helmet
	Artist	Spiked paintbrush	Palette and pigments
	Assassin	Knife in sleeve sheathe	Poison, 2 doses
10	Astrologer	Wiggly dagger	Spyglass
	Atilliator	Crossbow	Iron bars
12	Baker	Rolling pin	Bread, 1 loaf
13	Barbier	Straight razor	Scissors
14	Bartender	Wood club	bottle of hard liquor
15	Beekeeper	Jar of bees	Honey, 1 jar
16	Beggar	Bowl	Crutch
17	Bellringer	Long hook (mancatcher)	Rope, 50'
18	Besom maker	Broom (staff)	Cornstalks, 1 bundle
19	Blacksmith	Hammer	Steel tongs
20	Bloodletter	Knife	Leeches, 1 jar
21	Bodger	Chair leg	Shaving horse
22	Bouncer	Brass knuckles	Groin cup
23	Bowyer	Longbow	Spare bowstring
24	Brewer	Drinking horn	Cask of ale
25	Bricklayer	Bricklaying stick (staff)	Sack of d6 bricks
26	Busker	Instrument	Instrument case.
27	Butcher	Meat cleaver	Ham hock
28	Butler	Empty bottle	Serving tray
29	Candlestick maker	Candlestick	3 candles
30	Caravan guard	Shortsword	Linen, 1 yard
31	Cartographer	Spyglass	Map case
32	Chalk cutter	Chisel	Chalk, 5 pieces
33	Charcoal burner	Scoop	Charcoal, 1 bag
34	Cheesemonger	Cheesewire	Cheese, 1 wheel
35	Chimney sweep	Broom (staff)	Wire brush
	Chirurgeon	Bonesaw	Needle and thread
	Clockmaker	Turnscrew (ye olde screwdriver)	Specialist's tools
	Clown	Squeeze horn	Huge shoes
	Cobbler	Tacks	Shoehorn
	Colporteur	Letter opener	Religious tome
	Book seller	Letter opener	Religious tome
	Cook	Chef's knife	Chef hat
	Cooper	CiE h	Barrel
	Courtesan	Stiletto in boot sheath	Make up kit
	Crystal carver	Chisel	Crystals, 1 pouch
	Cultist	Black hooded robe	Blood, 1 pint
	Cutpurse	Dagger	Small chest
	Dentist	Hammer	Sack of teeth
	Diplomat	Stamp	Fancy clothes
	Ditch digger	Shovel	Dirt, 1 bag
	Dog breeder	Whip	
52	Drug dealer	Shank	Cocaine-analog, 1 oz.

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79 Fortune teller Glass ball Tarot deck	
80 Fowler Boning knife Dog	
81 Fuller Club Bale of wool	
82 Furrier Skinning knife Animal pet	
83 Gambler Blackjack Bone dice and deck of marked cards	
84 Gardener Shovel Pruning clippers	
85 Glassblower Glassblowing tube 3 empty jars	
86 Gluemaker Huge spoon Glue, 1 pot	
87 Gong farmer Trowel Night soil, 1 bag	
88 Pimp Cane (club) Fancy clothes	
89 Gossip 1d10 envelopes Quill and ink	
90 Grave digger Shovel Grave dirt, 1 bag	
91 Grave robber Shovel Small yet valuable totem (5sp)	
92 Greengrocer Staff Handcart	
93 Grifter Three cups Quality cloak	
94 Gutter cleaner Heavy leather gloves Bucket	
94 Outlet Diddy learner 95 CE Sling	
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97 Handyworker Hammer Stepladder	
98 Hawker Dagger Small, valuable goods (10sp)	
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106 Icecutter Ice saw (small, choppy) Iron cleats	
107 Incense bearer Censor (flail) Incense, 1 lb.	
108 Jester Rod with jester head on it (flail) Silk clothes	
109 Jeweler Chisel (dagger) Uncut jewel worth 20sp	
110 Joiner Mallet Chair	
111 Knacker Hammer Jar of glue	
112 Lamp lighter 10' pole with wick Flint, steel, and tinder	
113 Lawyer Briefcase Law books	
114 Leatherworker Club 2d4 leather pouches	
115 Hetheleder Long knife Heather, 1 bag	

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	Leech	Dagger	Jar of leeches
	Librarian	Letter opener	Interesting book
118	Lighterman	Ten-foot pole	Shallow-bottomed boat
119	Linkboy	Big stick	Hooded lantern
120	Locksmith	1d6 locks (DM's chooses quality)	Specialist's tools
121	Lookout	Shortbow	Spyglass
122	Sculptor	Hammer	Chunk of marble
123	Mercenary	Longsword	Leather armor
	Messenger	Satchel	Sealable scroll case
	Midwife	Basin	Forceps
	Miller	Club	Flour, 1 bag.
	Hat maker	Scissors (dagger)	Vial of mercury
	Miner	Pickaxe	Bag of coal
	Minstrel	Gaudy clothes	Instrument
	Moneylender	Dagger	3d6 sp
-	Monk	Staff	Religious tome
	Mucker	Pitchfork	Broom
	Night watchperson	Truncheon	Shiny steel helmet
134	Nobleman's son	Longsword	Silver ring worth 20 sp
135	Organ thief	Scalpel (dagger)	Glass jar
136	Orphan	Big stick	Rag doll
137	Ostler	Staff	Bridle
138	Outlaw	Shortsword	Leather armor
139	Oyster raker	Rake (staff)	Crushed oyster shells, 1 bag
140	Painter	Paint scraper	Paints and brushes
141	Parchment maker	Scraping knife (dagger)	Parchment, 3 pieces
142	Pawnbroker	Crossbow	Fancy clothes
	Peat cutter	Spade	Peat, 1 bag
	Philosopher	Pen	Large, half-empty tome
	Pickler	Ladle	Brine, 1 jar
	Pie maker	Rolling pin	Sack of fruit
	Pirate	Cutlass	Treasure map
	Plague doctor	Black, hooded robe	Crow-beaked mask
	Postworker	Cudgel	Handcart
	Prison warden	Mancatcher	Ring of 1d10 keys
	Prostitute	Brass knuckles	Make-up kit
	Puppeteer	Ball of string	Puppet
153	Quill cutter	Dagger	2d4 uncut feathers
154	Rat catcher	Long net (staff)	Club
155	Beachcomber	Gaff hook (mancatcher)	Manky net
156	Sailor	Compass	Spyglass
157	Scholar	Dagger	Complicated book
158	Scribe	Quill and ink	Parchment, 10 sheets
159	Scrimshaw	Engraving awl	Ivory, 1 piece
	Scullion	Stick	Raggedy clothing
	Seamstress	Long needle	Fancy dress
	Servant	Dagger	Locket
	Sewerhand	Staff	Stanky clothes
-	Shaman	Wood club	Psychedelic mushrooms, 1 pouch
	Shepherd	Crook (staff)	1d4 sheep
	Shingler	Mallet	2d6 roof tiles
	Shipwright	Hammer	Pocketful of nails
	Shoe shiner	Bristly brush	Shoe polish
	Shrubber	Shears	Herring
	Sinecure	Rapier	Wax seal stamp
	Slave	Shackles	Rock
172	Slaver	Whip	Map (foreign lands)
173	Smuggler	3d6 sp (for bribes)	Waterproof sack
174	Soldier	Spear	Shield
175	Spice merchant	Money belt	Spice, 1 bag
176	Spy	Dagger in sleeve sheath	Specialist's tools
	Squire	Longsword	Steel helmet
	Stevedore	Crowbar	Empty crate

179	Stonecutter	Sledgehammer	Fossil
	Stoner	Large bong	Weed-analog, 1 pouch
	Milkmaid	Wooden stool	Milk bucket
	Street magician	Top hat	White rabbit
	Street sweeper	Broom (staff)	Trash, 1 bag
184	Tailor	Long needle	
			Fine suit
-	Taxidermist	Long needle	Stuffed cat
	Thatcher	Shearing hook (axe)	Legget
	Thief	Specialist tools	5 caltrops
	Thug	Club	Necklace of teeth
-	Tinker	Hammer	Tin snips
190	Torturer	Jagged knife	Specialist's tools
	Trader	Shortsword	20 sp
	Trapper	Small steel trap	Animal pelt
193	Urchin	Big stick	Alms bowl
194	Vaginarius	Shortsword	Ornate scabbard
195	Vagrant	Hobbling cane	Alms bowl
196	Veterinarian	Long needle	Painkillers, 1d6 doses
197	Village idiot	1d10 sausage links	Urine, 1 pint
198	Vintner	corkscrew	Fine wine, 1 bottle
199	Wainwright	Mallet	Pushcart
200	Water carrier	Staff	Two wooden buckets
201	Weaponsmith	Longsword	1d4 weapon oils, 1d4 whetstones
202	Weaver	Dagger	Fine suit of clothes
203	Window tapper	Staff	Ten-foot pole
204	Woodcutter	Handaxe	Wood, 1 bundle
205	Zealot	Gnarled staff	Soapbox
206	Illustrator	Metal pen (dagger)	1d6 quills and 1d6 vials of ink
207	Sail maker	Long needle	1d4 bolts of linen
208	Cordwainer	Scissors (dagger)	2d4 lengths of rope, 50'
209	Professional musician	Musical instrument	1d4 suitable items for maintenance (oil, strings, etc.)
210	Composer	Steel pen (dagger)	1d4 vials of ink, 2d4 sheets of parchment
211	Soaper	Short knife	1d4 cakes of soap
	City guard	Shortsword	Whistle
	Town crier	Bell	Tablet with chalk
	Stablehand	Broom (staff)	Brush and 1d4 cakes of soap
	Schoolmaster	Cane	Foppish wig
-	Opium merchant	Dagger	Pipe and 2d4 doses of opium
217	Detective	Cane	Magnifying glass
	Gunsmith	Flintlock Pistol	Tinker's Tools
210	Guildinia		

Starting Gear

Armor

Roll a d20 for your Armor, Helmet and/or Shield, and Gear.

1-3:	4-14:	15-19:	20:	
None	Light	Medium	Heavy	

Helmet and Shields

1-13:	14-16:	17-19:	20:
None	Helmet	Shield	Helmet + Shield

Dungeoneering Gear Roll once on this table, and once on the following two.

1. Rope, 50 ft	6. Crowbar	11. Lantern	16. Pole, 10 ft
2. Pulleys	7.Tinderbox	12. Lamp oil	17. Sack
3. Candles	8. Grap. hook	13. Padlock	18.Tent
4. Chain, 10 ft	9. Hammer	14. Manacles	19. Spikes, 5
5. Chalk, 10	10. Waterskin	15. Mirror	20. Torches, 5

General Gear 1

1. Air Bladder	6. Saw	11. Fish. Rod	16. Net
2. Bear trap	7. Bucket	12. Marbles	17.Tongs
3. Shovel	8. Caltrops	13. Glue	18. Lockpicks
4. Bellows	9. Chisel	14. Pick	19. Metal File
5. Grease	10. Drill	15. Hourglass	20. Nails

General Gear 2

1. Face paint	6. Fake jewels	11.Bottle	16. Incense
2. Instrument	7. Blank book	12.Soap	17. Whistle
3. Card deck	8. Small bell	13. Pipe	18. Perfume
4. Face paint	9. Quill & Ink	14. Dice set	19.Tar pot
5. Cookpots	10.Twine	15. Horn	20. Scissors

Languages

Starting characters know a language for each point of Intelligence they have. Characters start knowing how to speak Common. Languages are too many to list, but include animal languages, orcish, hobbit, dwarvish, elven, pixie, dragon, goblin, centaur, gnomish, kobold, hobgoblin, gnoll, etc.

List of Languages (Roll 1d20)

- 1. Doppelganger
- 2. Dragon
- 3. Dwarvish
- 4. Hobgoblinese
- 5. Gnoll
- 6. Gnomish
- 7. Goblin
- 8. Hobgoblin
- 9. Serpentish
- 10. Orcish
- 11. Pixie
- 12. Centaurese
- 13. Knock
- 14. Pallatois
- 15. Binary
- 16. Swordsong
- 17. Eldritchian
- 18. Sign
- 19. Moth Elf
- 20. Bugbear

The Common Tongue

The common tongue (sometimes simply called Common) is widespread and known by almost everyone. All player character races—as well as many monsters—are able to speak Common. In some settings, the referee may rule that different cultures in the campaign world have different languages, in which case a particular language must be chosen instead of Common.

Pallatois

An romantic argot of the discreet. It is a melange of languages borrowing extended metaphors and multilingual wordplay. Palattois has many words for the acquisition, appraisal, and selling of illicit goods, of course, but also many colorful words - if there is a shade of color in the world, then there is a word for it in Palattois.

Binary

Expressed by emitting short and long durations of sound, light, or odor. Favored by beings who don't have eyes, ears, or a mouth. For those who travel extreme distances, Binary is useful for establishing what each party is capable of perceiving and intentions of peace or hostility, but dialects are also used by sailors to simply talk across the waters.

Knock

A haptic language used by those without light or sight, and favored by those living underground. Knocking words are extremely dense: a single "hapteme" conveys information by the direction, length, shape, and pressure, and a stroke which goes from soft brush to forceful press is not the same as one which goes from forceful press to soft brush.

Swordsong

Express yourself by waving a bladed weapon around. Used by martial artists and adopted by the military lite, although all ranks know a phrase or two. Swordsong has combative and peaceful dialects, and proficient speakers have a tendency to use long and flowery phrases. Tools can be used to speak Swordsong but it might not be well understood or taken seriously.

Eldritchian

An impenetrable jargon adored by academic magicusers for discussing magic, explaing magical concepts, and writing spells into spellbooks. The vocabulary is rife with long words, formal names of minerals, herbs, animals, references to the works of other wizards, and celestial metaphors.

Sign

A silent visual language expressed by shaping one's hands or digits in sequential intervals as a counterpart to Common, although every spoken language has their own dialect. Most people know it at least well enough to ask about the quality of goods and haggle over prices with strange merchants in the market square, and if you don't have any other language in common then you can at least converse in Sign. Because it requires the use of your hands, Sign is not just a common language but an inherently de-escalatory one. You must sheathe your sword and put down your shield in order to free up your hands, which is why it is actually the preferred language in some places.

100 FINE REASONS CHARACTERS TRAVEL TOGETHER

Characters travel together because they...(roll 2d10)

1. are best friends.	26. met in a tavern, both hired for same adventure, which proved disastrous.
2. are cousins with a long and close history.	27. met in a tavern, both hired for same adventure, which proved lucrative.
3. are half-siblings, as close as can be.	28. met in a tavern, both hired for same job but double-dealt by employer.
4. are lovers.	29. met in a tavern over drinks.
5. were lovers, now friends.	30. met in a torrential downpour; sought shelter in the same cave.
6. are only distantly related to each other.	31. met in king's treasure cham- ber, both barely escaped.
7. are parent-child and deeply protective of one another.	32. met in prison after doing hard time.
8. are over-protective parent and rebellious child.	33. met in prison, escaped together.
9. are secretly in love but both pretending at friendship.	34. met in school.
10. are sibling twins (1:2 chance identical).	35. met on disastrous adventure, are the only survivors.
11. are siblings, separated at childhood, now reunited.	36. met on a ship, both kid- napped at same bar.
12. are siblings and grew up together.	37. met on a ship, both working for passage.
13. both worship and serve the same god/deity/pantheon.	38. met on adventure, both deserted their party to a certain doom.
14. don't like each other but accept the other for their skills.	39. met through a mutual ac- quaintance, who is imprisoned.
15. are from the same troubled ghetto.	40. met through a mutual friend, now deceased.
16. are from the same village.	41. met when one caught the other in an attempted swindle.
17. are from the same village and share a criminal past.	42. met when one caught the other picking their pocket.
18. saw each other in a dream, later discovered the other.	43. met when one was down- and-out and the other helped.
19. have a mutual respect for each other's skills.	44. share a secret psychic bond and feel each other's pain.
20. met each other in a game of chance.	45. share a secret psychic bond and sense the other in danger.
21. met each other on the road; joined for mutual protection.	46. shared the same horse for years until it died recently.
22. met each other while praying at the same temple/shrine.	47. were both slaves together and slew their captor.
23. met each other while shop- ping for adventuring gear.	48. one originally hired the other, but now friends and peers,
24. met in a forest, both escap- ing enslavement by fairy folk.	49. were from the same town, only survivors of the plague.
25. met in a forest, both running from wild animals.	50. worked together on the same farm/ranch.

	51. met each other in a tavern, over a fist fight.	76. were hired for a tyrant who turned on them; now on the run.
	52. met each other in the mili- tary.	77. are cousins, though distant with little history.
r	53. met each other while rob- bing the same temple/shrine.	78. are step-siblings and closer than is considered "natural".
r	54. met in a tavern, had a drink- ing contest and both lost.	79. are step-siblings and grew up as close as blood relations.
	55. met in prison, busted out by a mutual friend who died in escape.	80. are aunt/uncle and niece/ nephew but close as parent and child.
r	56. met on a ship, both had hired passage together.	81. are from the same city, hired as guards.
	57. met on a ship, both stow- aways.	82. got drunk together and hatched a plan to reign as kings.
	58. were married, now divorced, but still friends.	83. have a romantic relationship.
	59. are married.	84. have been heated rivals since childhood, and want to show each other up.
	60. served the same ruler.	85. met in school, have been heated rivals since.
	61. met when one broke an enchantment that had been placed on the other.	86. met in school and love to play pranks on each other.
	62. met when one ran the other down with their horse.	87. met each other as hired actor for successful play.
	63. were sent on the same quest by the same ruler.	88. met each other as hired actors for disastrous play.
	64. mysteriously bear a strong resemblance, but not related.	89. met when each refused to yield right of way and fought to a draw.
	65. trained together, though per- haps in different disciplines.	90. met in school, spent many days of dentention together.
	66. were both in love with the same individual, now deceased.	91. met on an adventure, saved each other's lives.
	67. were hired muscle for a crime lord but turned on their master.	92. are half-siblings who never knew each other until recently.
	68. met each other through a mutual friend's wedding.	93. met when one's house burned down and the other offered their home.
	69. were both slaves together, one earned freedom and pur- chased it for the other.	94. were sent on quest together by the same deity.
	70. met each other through a mutual friend that dealt drugs.	95. were hired farmers both fired for their disregard for work.
	71. met when they both became roommates at a house.	96. were both slaves, escaped and are on the run.
	72. both enjoy the same drug and met in a drug den.	97. met at a funeral.
	73. both loved the same person, who spurned both.	98. were from same town, left because it "changed".
	74. worked together, appren- ticed to the same master.	99. both have amnesia, was first individual the other met.
	75. were engaged, but one broke it off, still friends.	100. were originally hunter and prey, now friends and peers.

FANTASTIC HEADGEAR

Roll 1d4 for hair, hood/wraps, hats, or helmets.

1. Hair

- Bald/Shaved 1
- 2 Bald/Shaved, Tattooed 3
- Bald/Shaved with Top Knot Balding/Thinning
- 4 5 Braided Long
- **Braided Short** 6
- Dyed Hair
- 7 (roll again, roll on table G)
- 8 Curly Mane, Amazing
- 9 Curly, Short
- 10 Dreadlocks
- 11 Grungy, in eyes
- 12 Long Flowing Hair with Top Knot
- Long Flowing Hair, Loose 13 Long Flowing Hair, Tied
- 14 15 Mohawk
- 16 Short, Hacked
- 17 Short, Page Boy
- Short, Porridge Bowl 18
- 19 Short, Stylish
- 20 Shortish, Pony-Tail

2. Hats

- Adorned 1
- (roll again, roll on Table D)
- 2 Animal-based (roll on Table E)
- 3 Beret
- 4 **Bishop Miter**
- Conical, Short 5
- Conical, Spiral 6
- 7 Conical, Tall
- 8 Pointed, front and back Puffv or Fuzzv hat
- 9 10 Ridged
- Sea Captain's hat 11
- Skull Cap/Beanie 12
- Tasseled (1d4 tassels) 13
- 14 Tiered Ziggurat (1d4+1 levels)
- 15 Conical rice farmer hat
- Tri-Cornered 16
- 17 Wedge Shaped
- 18 Wide Brim, Floppy
- 19 Wide Brim, Stiff
- Wimple 20

3. Hoods & Wraps

- Attached hood, cowl 1
- 2 Attached hood with tassel, cowl
- 3 Bandana or head scarf
- 4 Birka/veiled
- 5 Deep hood 6 Fur-lined
- 7 Fur-lined, heavy
- Hood, reversible
- 8 (2 rolls on table G)
- 9 Long tassel, ornament (table A)
- 10 Long tassel
- 11 Ninja hood
- 12 Decorated (table B)
- 13 Scarf, long and heavy 14 Sequined or scaled
- 15 Attached hood, tunic
- 16 Ornament (table A)
- 17 Short, plain
- 18 Wrap, Turban
- 19 Wrap, Bedouin
- 20 Wrap, with Mask (table C)

4. Helmets

- 1 Chain Coif
- 2 Crusader helm
- 3 Corinthian helm
- 4 Corinthian helm with plume
- 5 Mongol helmet
- 6 Roman helmet
- 7 Samurai, masked (table C) 8 Samurai, open
- 9 Vikina
- 10 Conical, with tassel or plume
- Masked, Adorned
- 11 (tables C and D)
- 12 Masked (table C)
- Metal Skull Cap 13
- 14 Adorned (table D)
- 15 Plain Helmet
- 16 Wide-brimmed Helm
- Extravagantly Fancy (table F) 17
- 18 Tall, pointed
- Full Visor, Adorned (table D) 19
- 20 Full Visor, Plain

Table A: Hood Ornaments (d4)

Multiple (d4 ornaments)

Figurine

Fuzzy Ball

Bell

Coin

Holy Symbol

Table B: Decoration (d8)

Ancient Symbols

Animal Designs

Curly Lines

Norse Runes

Table C: Mask Shapes (D10)

Animal (Table E)

Grilled, Gladiator

Human, Bearded

Human, Angry

Human, Happy

Human, Tusked

Table D: Adornment (d10)

Skull Faced

Antlers

Finned

Horns

Spiked

Bear

Boar

Lion

Snake

Tentacles

Beaver

Monkey

Horse

Eagle

Turtle

Paws or Claws

Buffalo

Dragon

Tasseled

Brush Top

Crest or Rune

Feathers or Plume

Winged (bird or bat)

Snake, small, coiled

Racoon Skin and Tail

Insect, with mandibles

Table E: Animal Incorporation (d20)

Crescent Moon

Bird Beak

Blank Face

Demonic

Polka-Dots

Slogan

Stripes

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 - Feathered 2 Demon Head
 - Jester's Cap with ornaments

Table F: Extravagantly Fancy (d12)

- 3 (table A)
- 4 Fish Head
- 5 Gem-Studded
- 6 Scuba Diver's Helmet
- 7 Wicker
- 8 Bones
- 9 Turtle Shell
- Spider-shaped 10
- Top hat 11
- 12 Tiara

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Table G: Colors (d20)

Bloody Scarlet

Brilliant Copper

Daisy Yellow

Dark Brown

Deep Purple

Royal Blue

Bright Pink

Fiery Orange

Forest Green

Overcast Gray

Sea Foam Green

Multicolored (d4 colors)

Pea Green

Periwinkle

Mustard

Turquoise

Indigo

Mauve

1 Snow White Black