

CREATURE REACTIONS

Some *Monsters* and *NPCs* will have predetermined personalities and goals that will guide a *GM* when choosing their *Actions* and feelings towards the *Characters*. For those that do not, such as randomly encountered *Creatures*, a *GM* should roll 2d6 on the *Reactions* table:

	REACTIONS
2	Surrender/offer allegiance
3	Give PCs an item/info/aid
4	A mutually beneficial trade
5	Mistake the PCs for allies
6	Wait for the PCs to act first
7	Withdraw to a safer location
8	Demand the PCs withdraw - if they don't add 1d6 to this result
9	Call for 1d6 reinforcements - then see result 6 on this table

Trick the **PCs** using result 2-4

(roll again for true intentions)

POWERFUL FOE

Capture the **PCs**

Kill/eat the **PCs**

If an opponent's **HD** is higher than the **Character's**, the **Player** should add the difference between the two **HD** values to the d20 when making any **Attribute Tests** to **Attack, Defend,** influence, or otherwise interfere with their opponent.

CREATURE MORALE

If 50% of a group of **NPCs** or **Monsters** are taken **OofA**, or a single powerful **NPC** or **Monster** loses 50% of its **HP** - they must pass a **Morale Test** or use all further **Actions** and **Movements** to escape danger and combat.

 The GM tests Morale by rolling on or under the highest Creature's HD value with a d12.

CHARACTER DAMAGE

Damage dealt to the *Characters* can be based on the *HD* of whatever is dealing it. Roll the dice to determine how much damage the *Characters* take - or use the average in brackets.

HD	DAMAGE
1	1d4 (2)
2	1d6 (3)
3	2d4 (4)
4	1d10 (5)
5	1d12 (6)
6	1d6 + 1d8 (7)
7	2d8 (8)
8	3d6 (9)
9	2d10 (10)
10	1d10 + 1d12 (11)

OUT OF ACTION

When a *Character* is taken *Out of Action* they can no longer take *Actions* or *Move*. When they receive aid, or the danger they were in passes, the *Player* must roll on the table below to see what happens to the *Character*.

If they survive (results 1-5) they regain 1d4 HP counting up from zero and are no longer OofA.

OUT OF ACTION

- 1 **KO'd** Just knocked out
- Fat Head *Disadvantage* on all tests for the next half hour of play
- Cracked Bones Disadvantage on all STR, DEX, and CON Tests for the remainder of the session
- 4 **Disfigured CHA** reduced by 1d4
- Badly maimed either STR or DEX is permanently reduced by 2
- 6 **Dead** The **Character** dies!

ARMOUR DICE

Each piece of armour a **Character** wears gives the **Player** a 'pool' of **Armour Dice** equal to its **Armour Value (AV)**.

- If a Character fails to Defend or would take damage they can take one Armour Die out of the pool, put it to one side and declare it 'Broken'. In return, this allows all damage from that Attack or effect to be ignored.
- Armour Dice that have been Broken and put to one side cannot be used to ignore any further damage.

After a **Rest**, any **Players** with **Broken Armour Dice** can try to fix them by rolling them:

- If they roll *above* the armour's **AV** the die is no-longer **Broken**.
- If they roll on or below their armour's AV, the die is Broken permanently until it's repaired. If all the Armour Dice in a pool are permanently Broken the armour is destroyed.

ARMOUR	AV
Cloth / Improvised	1
Leather	2
Chain Mail	3
Plate & Mail	4
Shield / Helmet	+1 die

ONGOING DAMAGE

Some Attacks and spells deal damage to Creatures after their initial effects. When a Creature takes Ongoing Damage it loses HP equal to its Level at the start of every Turn. An Attribute Test of the GM's choosing should be made by the Player at the end of the Turn to see if the Ongoing Damage continues.

LARGE WEAPONS

When a *Character* wields a large or two-handed weapon such as a polearm or heavy crossbow, 1d4 should be rolled and added to the *Attribute Test* to *Attack*, *Defend*, and to any *Attack Damage* rolls.



Certain abilities, magical effects and consequences of *Actions* will leave *Creatures* hindered until a successful *Attribute Test* of the *GM's* choosing is made, sometimes needing an *Action* to complete.

- **Weakened** All **Attribute Tests** are rolled with **Disadvantage**.
- Distracted A Character cannot perform any Actions, but may still Move normally.
- **Stuck** A **Character** cannot **Move**, but they may take **Actions** as per normal.
- Paralysed A Character cannot Move or take any Actions.

GAINING LEVELS

Roll a d6 for each story a **Player** shares when their **Character** gains a **Level**, find the highest result and see the table below

CAROUSING

Drunk and Disorderly!: Fined for bad behaviour - roll all the d6s again, adding to the cost

Drunken brawl: Lose a number of Max HP equal to the Character's Level, regain them next session

- Fame: CHA Tests have Advantage for the remainder of the session
- Revelry!: Roll a d20, if it's higher than **CHA**, gain 1 point of **CHA**
- 5 Real story: Alter a Background
- 6 **Secrets revealed:** Gain another entirely new *Background*

RANDOM ENCOUNTERS

The **GM** should make a secret **Encounter Roll** every 15 minutes of real time play in dangerous environments OR when the **Characters** linger in one place/perform **Actions** that would reveal themselves.

 Secretly roll 1d6 and apply the effects from the table below immediately:

06 ENCOUNTER ROLL

- Roll on a *Creature* table, p.33 in the main rule book.
- 2 Introduce signs of **Nearby** life
- 3 Introduce signs of *Faraway* life
- 4 Reduce a light's **Usage Die** 1 step

A randomly determined **Character**

5 is overcome with stress and suffers **Disadvantage** on their next die roll

All *Characters* must consume food 6 and water or lose *HP* equal to their *Level* through fatigue

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d4	2
d6	5
d8	9
d10	14
d12	20
d20	30