

Character Backstory TEMPLATE

Welcome to your character's backstory! This sheet will help you outline your character's motivations, attachments, and history. These elements of a character's past are important for both a player and the DM to be aware of as they help create consistency in play and motivate your character.

Why is your character adventuring?

(1 reason)

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What motivates your character? **Check 3.**

- Helping people
- Serving a cause
- Money
- Power
- Knowledge
- Other

If you chose 'Other', please outline your motivations.

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Where did your character grow up?

(Outline any locations, people, or events that affected your character.

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Why is your character their current class?

(Does this tie into the reason they are adventuring? Did they have a mentor?)

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Select ONE **weapon**, ONE piece of **other equipment**, and ONE **skill**. Explain how your character became proficient at using each of them.

Weapon:

Other equipment:

Skill:

When has your character failed?

(At **least** 1)

Provide three additional characteristics of your character.

(Describe their personality, flaws, ideals, favorite ice cream flavour, favourite joke, etc.)