

Humanoids of the E\(\text{\text{\text{e}}} \text{re} \) am



• Aarakocra [Common Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Ērsü
- o Age: Aarakocra reach adulthood at age 8 and can live up to 60 years
- Aarakocra are found rarely across the E\(\text{\tilde{e}}\)re\(\tilde{e}\)om. They are in highest concentration on \(\tilde{A}\)vis, where their legions are benevolently led by \(\tilde{E}\)rs\(\tilde{u}\) herself.



 On Kəshän: native to the Crescent Islands and Nador'at. Rare in 'civilized' societies, mostly living in isolated communities in the mountains and peripheral isles.



• Aasimar [Rare Knowledge]

- Origin god: Adämēə
- Age: Assimar mature at the same rate as humans, but they can live up to 160 years.
- Aasimar are star-touched and found very rarely across the E\mathbb{N}\bar{e}\text{e}\text{r}\bar{e}\text{o}m.

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 D\bar{u}m\tilde{z}id's \text{first born was } \bar{A}d\bar{a}m\bar{e}\tilde{e}, \text{ made from the chaotic stardust at the core of a star that was near supa-nova. This manifests at random in



- uniquely gifted individuals within Ädämēə's lineage. It can manifest in a variety of ways, often affecting the abilities of the individual and how they are perceived in any given society.
- On Kəshän: Their births are very rare, and are hailed as blessed or cursed events according to their celestial heritage. They are considered closer to Ädämēə by his followers, who hold them in awe.





• Bugbears [Uncommon Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Zéd
- Age: bugbears reach adulthood around 14 and can live up to 80 years.
- Bugbears are found rarely across the E\mathbb{E}\mathbb{e}\mathbb{r}\mathbb{e}\mathb
- On Kəshän: Like the rest of Zéd's leavings, bugbears are stigmatized and bitterly play the role well. They are not particularly common in the world, and rarer still in 'civilized' society.



Dragonborn

[Common Knowledge]



- Origin god: *Grrrmmbəllhīst*
- Age: Young dragonborn grow quickly. They walk hours after hatching, attain the size and development of a 10-year-old human child by the age of 3, and reach adulthood by 15. They live up to 80 years.
- O Dragonborn are found uncommonly throughout the EMērēəm, but are known to inhabit one world in particular, Dräcőrbis. While the dragonborn of Dräcőrbis live in a powerful society, that power does not belong to them, but to the dragons that fly in such numbers that darken the sky.
- On Kəshän: They were uncommon before The Rending, from which most fled on dragonback to the unknown lands on the other side of the world, beyond The Quespa Sea. They are rare in the north sea hence. Their beauty is highly regarded, and their ferociousness in battle makes them feared.





• Dwarves [Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Dőrkärin
- Age: Dwarves mature at the same rate as humans, but are considered young until the age of 50. On average they live around 300 years
- Dwarves are found uncommonly across the E\(\text{\text{E}}\)er\(\text{e}\)omegam, often concentrated in prideful kingdoms, such as on Desterr\(\text{a}\). D\(\text{o}\)rk\(\text{a}\)rin is cautious beyond the rest of the Origin Gods, and does not complete his lifecycle often or without great cause.
- On *Kəshān*: Four dwarven kingdoms ruled in peace on The World's Heart before The Rending; knowledge and goods flowed freely between them as with the other mortal kingdoms therein. Most dwarves died defending their mountain keeps during The Rending, or else shut away and lost in Bernkoldir. Those few who escaped to the northern continents often passed down a culture of survivors guilt of not dying beside their kin. To others, however, they are often honored for the sacrifice of their forefathers to fight and die while others escaped to live on. It is a consolation dwarves seldom allow themselves.





• Elves [Common Knowledge]

- o Origin God: Sővelis
- Age: Elves mature at the same rate as humans do, but their understanding of adulthood goes beyond physical growth to encompass worldly experience. An elf typically claims adulthood and an adult name around age 100 and can live to be around 600 years old
- Elves are found commonly across the E\(\text{\text{\text{e}re}}\)ere\(\text{e}\), doing any number of things.
- On Kəshän: Elves are common in this world. Until the Rending they shared an advanced society with other humanoid species, the center of which was Malikesh. Then, The Rending destroyed that society and the humanoids



gentrified. The elves founded Tarumel, a socialist and caste society; Sun elves are the ruling class and wood elves are the working class.



• Firbolg [Rare Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Bőgänē
- Age: Firbolg reach adulthood around age 30 and they can live up to 500 years.



- Firbolg are found very rarely across the E\mathbb{N}\end{e}r\end{e}\text{-am}, perhaps less so in the Feywild where they find peace among \$K\end{e}phr\end{e}'s\$ things.
- On Kəshän: Native to Nador'at and the Crescent Isles; they generally live solitary lives deep in the wilderness of those continents or else commute irregularly from the Fărē'wől.



• Gnomes [Common Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Ärüməwän
- Age: Gnomes mature at the same rate as humans do, but are not considered adults until around age 40. They can live around 400 years.
- Gnomes are found uncommonly across the E\mathbb{M}\bar{e}r\bar{e}\text{\text{o}m}, although they are rather independent creatures and are rarely found in groups.
- On Kəshän: While uncommon in the world, they are a constant. Until the Rending they shared an advanced society with other humanoid species, the center of which was Malikesh. Since, they have found places where their skills and knowledge are needed in the new centers of power.





Goblins

[Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Zéd
- o Age: goblins reach adulthood at age 8 and can live up to 60 years.
- Goblins can be found commonly across the E\(\text{\text{E}}\)\(\text{e}\)\(\text{r}\)\(\text{e}\) often flock to stronger followers of \(Z\)\(\text{e}d\) such as bugbears or hobgoblins, finding a strange codependency with their kin.
- On Kəshän: Like the rest of Zéd's leavings, goblins are stigmatized and bitterly play the role well. They are not particularly common in the world, and rarer still in 'civilized' society.





Goliath

[Rare Knowledge]

- Origin god: Giants / Adämēə
- Age: goliaths reach adulthood in their late teens and live less than a century.
- o Goliath are found very rarely across the E⊠ērēəm, often living in small isolated communities in the heights of mountains. They are the descendants of giants and the first men.
- On Kəshän: There are few who walk on this world.





• Halflings [Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Seräfēn
- Age: A halfling reaches adulthood at age 20 and can live to around 150.
- Halflings are found uncommonly across the E\(\text{\text{\left}e}\)respective, and rarely alone.
- On Kəshän: Halflings are common in this world, and thank goodness for that. Until The Rending they shared an advanced society with other humanoid species, the center of which was Malikesh. Since, they have found places where their crafts and company are wanted in the new centers of power.





• Humans [Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Adämēə
- Age: humans reach adulthood in their late teens and live less than a century.
- ∘ Humans are found commonly across the E\mathbb{0}er\bar{e}\text{o}m.
- On *Kəshān*: Humans are common in this world. Until The Rending they shared an advanced society with other humanoid species, the center of which was Malikesh. Then, The Rending destroyed that society and the humanoids gentrified. Humans founded the Susselian Empire, and later the Kingdom of Mantidor.





Hobgoblins

[Uncommon Knowledge]

- Origin god: Zéd
- Age: hobgoblins reach adulthood in their late teens and live less than a century.
- Hobgoblins can be found across the EMērēəm. They often take leadership
 of weaker followers of Zéd, however are more independent than their kin
 and hold greater ambitions.
- On *Kəshān*: Like the rest of *Zéd's* leavings, hobgoblins are stigmatized in this world, and play the role well. Before The Rending most of their number were bedouin bandits in the Desert of the Damned or pirates along the coast of The World's Heart. The Rending saw less in the world, but those who did strayed little from that path; few found homes in 'civilized' society before or hence.





• Kenku

[Uncommon Knowledge]

- Origin God: Ērsü
- Age: kenku reach maturity around age 8 and can live up to 40 years.
- o Kenku are a rare phenomenon among aarakocra, an already rare find across the E⊠ērēəm. Legend tells of a deal Ērsü made with Mőrdét long ago. Ērsü and her legions were losing a war against Grrrmmbəllhīst and his dragons. Mőrdét promised to bring Grrrmmballhyst to heel, but only at cost to Irsu and her beloved aarakocra. "For every eight-score you shed, I shall take a soul," sayeth Mőrdét. And so Ērsü's lineage was cursed, and hence forth one in every 160 aarakocra would be a kenku and Mőrdét's to claim upon the reaping hour, and that hour would come sooner than it would for others.
- On Kəshän: Kenku are born 1/160 aarakocra, like clockwork. They are often exiled from the flock in this world upon maturity. Those that survive exile often find work in 'civilized' society.





• Kobolds [Uncommon Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Grrrmmbəllhīst
- Age: kobolds reach adulthood at age 6 and can live up to 120 years, although it is rare.
- On Kəshän: Kobolds are rare and stigmatized in 'civilized' society and live in clusters hidden away from other humanoids.





• Orcs [Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Gärgőraş
- Age: orcs reach adulthood around age 14 and rarely live longer than 75 years.
- o On *Kəshān*: Orcs are common in this world. Until the Rending they shared an advanced society with other humanoid species, the center of which was Malikesh. Then, The Rending destroyed that society and the humanoids gentrified. Orcs settled across the Crescent Islands before Tarumel was formed and the elves forced them all onto Falchion Island. They now live in tribal fiefs there, independent to Tarumel only in sentiment as they live under the thumb of the elves.





• Tabaxi

[Uncommon Knowledge]

- o Origin god: Säləmac
- Age: Tabaxi reach adulthood around their late teens and live less than a century.
- o Tabaxi are found rarely across the E⊠ērēəm. Their inquisitive nature draws them in all directions, rarely found in concentration or at rest.
- On Kəshän: Tabaxi are native to the Belhondäri Confederation beyond the Desert of the Damned. While many were established in the north by the time of The Rending, most were lost in the first days of the undead rising, before the undead turned north. Hence they are rare today, and curious creatures to the uneducated.





• Tieflings [Common Knowledge]

- Origin god: Crēelä
- Age: Tieflings mature at the same rate as their origin species, but can live around 120 years.
- Tieflings are found rarely across the ENereəm. They only occur where Crēelä has completed her lifecycle in the same world as another Origin God, and even then irregularly. This was Mördét's own folly; Crēelä was their first mimicry of Düməzid's children, and Mördét did not yet know the things full nature.



 On Kəshän: Tieflings are rare in this world. They were largely accepted by 'civilized' society until The Rending, after which they became scapegoats for the event. Hence they were feared more than accepted.



• Tritons [Uncommon Knowledge]

- Origin god: *Alzálxəbän*
- o Age: Tritons reach adulthood around age 15 and can live up to 200 years.
- Triton are found commonly wherever water is found commonly across the EÑērēəm. This does not include many worlds, but in the places they dwell are wondrous imperiums of the deep like few other humanoids could fathom.



On Kəshän: Tritons were uncommon on land before the Rending, yet an open trade of knowledge and goods was exchanged between the surface world and the Triton's deep dwellings. Hence, the Tritons shrunk back into deep unknowns of the White Death, rarely visiting the immature new iterance of surface life.



• Yuan-ti [Rare Knowledge]

- Origin god: Năsi\/
- Age: Yuan-ti reach adulthood in their late teens and live less than a century.
- Yuan-ti are found very rarely in the E\(\textit{\textit{e}}\)er\(\textit{e}\)om, \(N\)asi\(\textit{o}'\)s cunning has kept her intact for longer than most Origin Gods. Where they are found they are not trusted, and often feared.



On Kəshän: Yuan-ti were a rare species native to the Belhondäri Confederation of The World's Heart, beyond the Desert of the Damned. They held much influence in those regions, despite their low numbers, until The Rending destroyed it all. So few have been seen hence that such claims are more often dismissed as legend than heeded as history.



