

**ACTIVITY GUIDE**

# SCALES & TALES



**A Beginner's Guide to Fantasy  
Role-Playing Games**



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# What to know about SCALES & TALES: A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO FANTASY ROLE-PLAYING

- It's a perfect base for starting RPG (a storytelling game for all ages)
- It's both a set of rules for beginning players and a sample campaign
- It's a distilled version everyone can enjoy
- Everything needed to start is in the book (except the dice)
- It's written for the Game Master (GM) to learn the rules and show the other players
- It can be played free-form or on a grid
- Blank game forms available to download


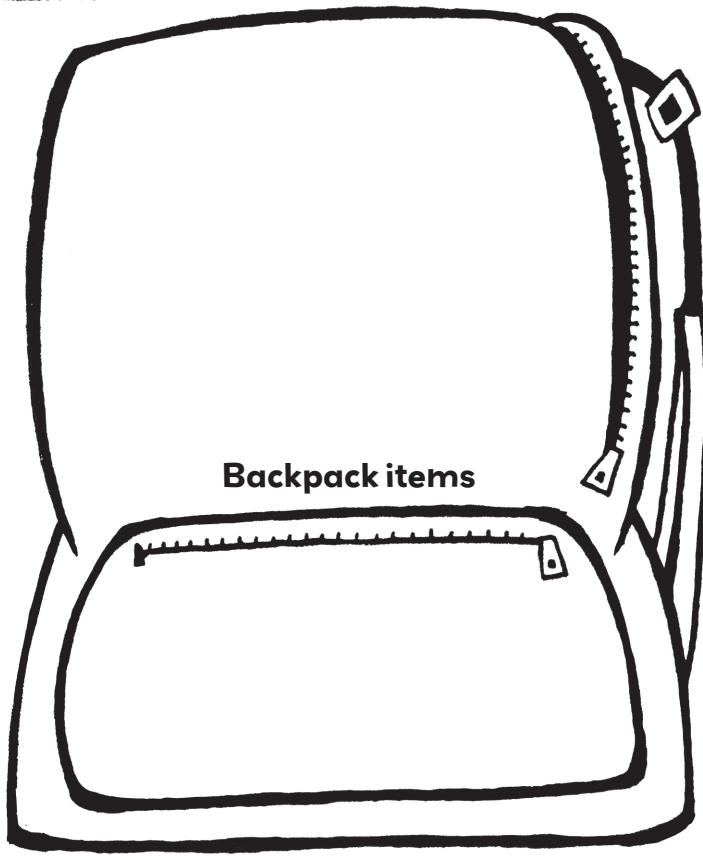
## Included in this activity guide:

- Character Sheet—use to create the HEROES for your game
- Personality Generator—helps you learn more about the CHARACTERS in the game
- Gaming Grid—use to draw what the HEROES will see
- Game Elements—use to add visual appeal to the game
- Blank Tables—use to create new lists of Hobbies & Interests, Backstory Generators, and more



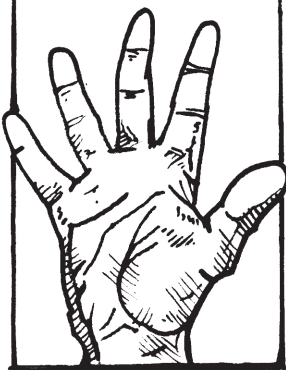
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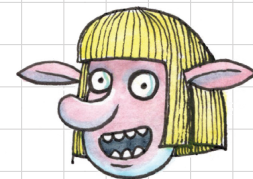
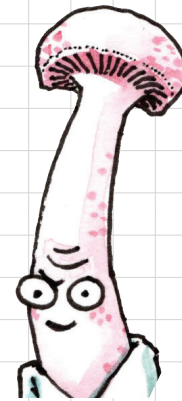
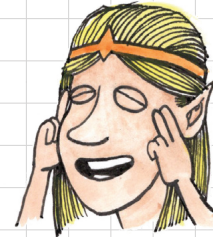
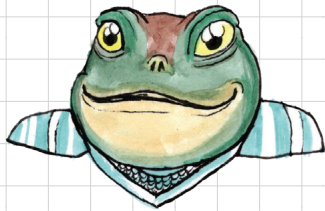
**Backpack items**

**Right hand  
Defense dice**



# Personality Generator

Now that you know what Character Type and Hero Type your character is, it's time to develop your character's personality. Knowing a little bit more about your character's disposition and temperament will help you when role-playing. Work some of these traits and hobbies into the story during your quest. Roll twice if you want!



1	Prankster
2	Goth
3	Jock
4	Nerdy
5	Sneaky
6	Proud
7	Scheming
8	Hungry
9	Psychic
10	Artistic
11	Snazzy
12	Brave
13	Jumpy
14	Funny
15	Sarcastic
16	Gossipy
17	Loud
18	Sleepy
19	Lazy
20	Genius

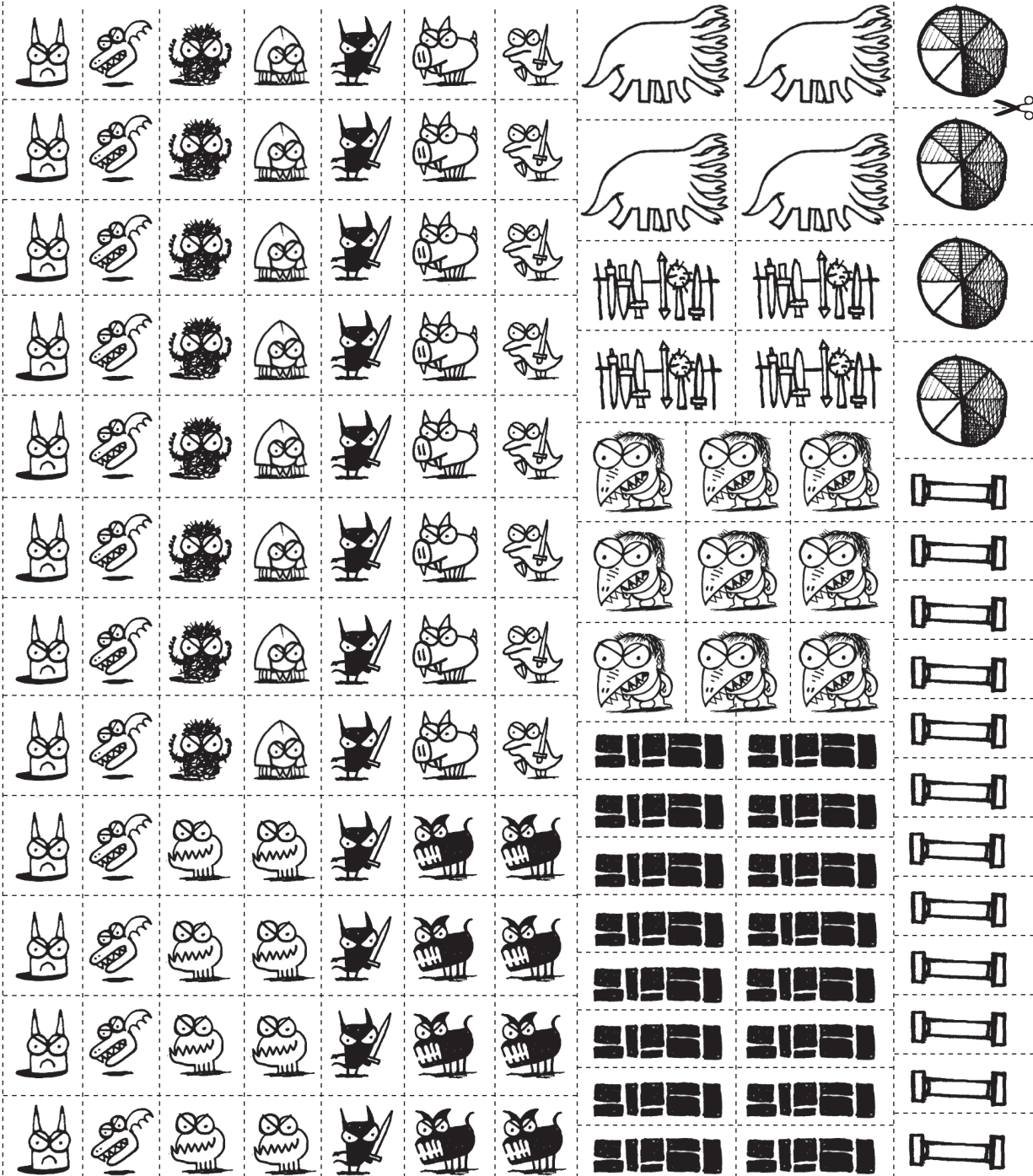
# Gaming Grid





# Game Elements

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