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# WELCOME GUIDE



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PROLOGUE:  
WELCOME TO YOUR COMPANION!

I'm Rengin, and I've been creating characters for as long as I can remember - and about 15 years professionally. Along the way, I've learned a lot about creating interesting characters through not only reading books and watching movies, but also character design classes and workshops. And now I'd like to pass on this knowledge to you, dear character creator!

In the following pages, you'll find an overview of everything you can find in the Essential Character Creator's Companion. It's a growing collection of resources that will help you not only create your character's in-depth backstory, but also the art that will show off their looks! Feel free to look through and get a feel where you want to start your creation journey.

Happy character creating!

-Rengin

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- ◇ A tarot deck - your own or an [online one](#).
- ◇ An explanation of what the Tarot cards mean. You can either use the booklet that came with your tarot deck or you can use [this website](#) for example.
- ◇ The basic idea of a character (e.g. a male Dwarf Cleric)

YOUR RESOURCES

› **How does Tarot work**

This will give you a short overview of what tarot is used for in general and how to pull the cards.

› **Free-form character creation (3-card spread)**

A simple spread that will give you some interesting keywords to create your character with.

› **Motivation and Conflict spread (3-card spread)**

A more structured spread that will assign a card to a specific theme.

› **D&D Dress Up walkthrough**

Art to add to your character's backstory! Did you know I have art packs that will let you create character art with a few clicks? This walkthrough will show you how the pack works and direct you to the free versions to try them out.



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THANK YOU FOR READING!

If you found this helpful, you can find more character creation assets on the **D&D Dress Up Patreon**.

Members get access to:

- ◇ The newest, full D&D Dress Up pack
- ◇ PSD files of the packs to create your own add-ons
- ◇ A new NPC portrait pack every month
- ◇ A community of like-minded character creation enthusiasts

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