



# THE SAGE



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## SAGE

An elezen man watches carefully from just beyond the clearing, scribbling in his notebook as the troll eats. The troll stops for a moment, sniffing the air, turning its gaze in the direction of the man. He curses himself for being careless, before conjuring a barrier with his nouoliths, blocking the beast's attack just in time.

Riding a blast of aether from her nouoliths, a viera woman dashes away from a group of kobolds, narrowly dodging projectiles thrown her way. After finally putting distance between her and her foes, she turns, unleashing a flurry of destructive spells and devastating the kobold forces.

A roegadyn man stands amidst his fallen allies, bloody, bruised and exhausted. Drawing on the last vestiges of his strength, he blasts the garlean forces with a beam of pure energy. With practiced precision, he draws the excess magic from the spell and infuses healing magics into his allies, who begin to stand and turn the fight in their favour.

Sages are elite, highly skilled mages that wield an array of nouoliths to gain an advantage on the battlefield. Incredibly versatile, they can heal their allies, protect themselves, or destroy their enemies with ease using their vast knowledge and powerful magic.

### MASTERS OF SOMANOUTICS

Sages are masters of an altruistic art that draws upon the wisdom of several distinct fields, creating something entirely new: the art of somanoutics. By combining aspects of aetherology, sorcery and medicine, the learned of Sharlayan created a unique art that aims to heal and protect allies, while invoking devastation on enemies. To accomplish this, sages make use of a unique array of arcane foci called nouoliths. Sages wield these nouoliths as an extension of their own mind, directing them through the air to weave arcane symbols and unleash their potent magic. Impeccably difficult to wield, even the most proficient students require years of training to become true masters of their nouoliths.



## THE SAGE

Level	Proficiency Bonus	Features	Cantrips Known	Spells Known	— Spell Slots Per Spell Level —								
					1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
1st	+2	Spellcasting, Studied	3	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2nd	+2	Sage Study	3	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3rd	+2	—	3	6	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th	+2	Ability Score Improvement, <i>Sagely Versatility (Optional)</i>	4	7	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5th	+3	—	4	8	4	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
6th	+3	Sage Study Feature	4	9	4	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
7th	+3	—	4	10	4	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—
8th	+3	Ability Score Improvement, <i>Sagely Versatility (Optional)</i>	4	11	4	3	3	2	—	—	—	—	—
9th	+4	—	4	12	4	3	2	3	1	—	—	—	—
10th	+4	Sage Study Feature	5	13	4	3	2	3	2	—	—	—	—
11th	+4	—	5	14	4	3	3	3	2	1	—	—	—
12th	+4	Ability Score Improvement, <i>Sagely Versatility (Optional)</i>	5	14	4	3	3	2	2	1	—	—	—
13th	+5	—	5	15	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	—	—
14th	+5	Sage Study Feature	5	15	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	—	—
15th	+5	—	5	16	4	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	—
16th	+5	Ability Score Improvement, <i>Sagely Versatility (Optional)</i>	5	16	4	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	—
17th	+6	—	5	17	4	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	1
18th	+6	Eukrasia Mastery	5	17	4	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	1
19th	+6	Ability Score Improvement, <i>Sagely Versatility (Optional)</i>	5	17	4	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	1
20th	+6	Enlightened	5	17	4	3	3	3	3	2	1	1	1

## SHARLAYAN ACADEMICS

Sages hail from the Studium of Sharlayan, the most prestigious academy of the nation. Here, prospective pupils can learn anything from aetherial studies to astromancy, and the school encourages the study of both the arcane and the occult. Among all these disciplines, however, none are as unique as the study of somanautics, and the sages that this study creates. Most sages are taught in the halls of the studium, learning additional skills alongside their training. On top of this, many sages specialise in a specific field of research, gaining unique and valuable skills. Once a sage emerges on the other side of their training, they are fully-fledged masters of their chosen field and exceptionally skilled spellcasters.

## CREATING A SAGE

Many sages find their start in academics, most commonly the Studium at Sharlayan. When creating a sage character, the first thing to consider is how they gained entry to this world of academia and education. Did you have a mentor, perhaps a rogue that left Sharlayan? Did you join the Studium after years of hard work? Or perhaps you are a relative of a member of the Forum, Sharlayan's system of government?

Next, think about what drove you to leave the comforts of your education, and pursue a life of adventure instead? Perhaps you are a roaming healer? Or were you banished

for pursuing dark forbidden knowledge? Or maybe, you are just eager to put your knowledge to the test.

### QUICK BUILD

You can make a Sage quickly by following these suggestions. First make Intelligence your highest ability score, followed by Constitution. Next, take the sage background. Finally, take the *dosis*, *mage hand* and *prestidigitation* cantrips, as well as the first-level spells *magic armour*, *magic missile* and *cure wounds*.

### MULTICLASSING AND THE SAGE

If your group uses the optional rule on multiclassing in the *Player's Handbook*, here's what you need to know if you choose sage as one of your classes.

**Ability Score Minimum:** As a multiclass character, you must have at least an Intelligence score of 13 to take a level in this class, or to take a level in another class if you are already a sage.

**Proficiencies Gained:** If sage isn't your initial class, here are the proficiencies you gain when you take your first level as a sage: one type of artisan's tool of your choice, one skill from the class's skill list.

**Spell Slots:** Add your level in the sage class to the appropriate levels from other classes to determine your available spell slots.

# CLASS FEATURES

As a sage, you gain the following class features

## HIT POINTS

**Hit Dice:** 1d6 per sage level

**Hit Points at 1st Level:** 6 + your Constitution modifier

**Hit Points at Higher Levels:** 1d6 (or 5) + your Constitution modifier per sage level after 1st

## PROFICIENCIES

**Armor:** None

**Weapons:** Daggers, darts, slings, quarterstaffs, light crossbows

**Tools:** One type of artisan's tools of your choice

**Saving Throws:** Wisdom, Intelligence

**Skills:** Choose three from Arcana, History, Insight, Investigation, Medicine, Nature or Persuasion

## EQUIPMENT

You start with the following equipment, in addition to the equipment granted by your background:

- (a) a dagger or (b) a simple weapon
- (a) A diplomat's pack or (b) an scholar's pack
- A set of artisan's tools of your choice
- An array of nouliths

## SPELLCASTING

After your extensive education, you have knowledge of several spells, and can cast them with practiced efficiency using nouliths.

## CANTRIPS

At 1st level, you know three cantrips of your choice from the sage spell list. You learn additional sage cantrips of your choice at higher levels, as shown in the Cantrips Known column of the Sage table.

## SPELL SLOTS

The Sage table shows how many spell slots you have to cast your sage spells of 1st level and higher. To cast one of these sage spells, you must expend a slot of the spell's level or higher. You regain all expended spell slots when you finish a long rest.

For example, if you know the 1st-level spell *healing word* and have a 1st-level and a 2nd-level spell slot available, you can cast *healing word* using either slot.

## SPELLS KNOWN OF 1ST LEVEL AND HIGHER

You know two 1st-level spells of your choice from the sage spell list.

The Spells Known column of the Sage table shows when you learn more sage spells of your choice. Each of these spells must be of a level for which you have spell slots. For instance, when you reach 3rd level in this class, you can learn one new spell of 1st or 2nd level.

Additionally, when you gain a level in this class, you can choose one of the sage spells you know and replace it

with another spell from the sage spell list, which also must be of a level for which you have spell slots.

## SPELLCASTING ABILITY

Intelligence is your spellcasting ability for your sage spells, since you learn your spells through dedicated study and memorization. You use your Intelligence whenever a spell refers to your spellcasting ability. In addition, you use your Intelligence modifier when setting the saving throw DC for a sage spell you cast and when making an attack roll with one.

**Spell save DC** = 8 + your proficiency bonus + your Intelligence modifier

**Spell attack modifier** = your proficiency bonus + your Intelligence modifier

## SPELLCASTING FOCUS

You can use an array of nouliths as a spellcasting focus for your sage spells.

## NOULITHS

At 1st level, you have a flying array of foci called nouliths. You control your nouliths as an extension of your mind, using only hand gestures and thoughts to send them darting through the air to cast spells. When wielding nouliths, they levitate beside you, leaving your hands empty. You can draw and stow your nouliths without needing a free hand. When you cast a spell through your nouliths, you need a free hand to direct them with, though it can be the same hand that you use to perform somatic components.

When you cast a spell that doesn't have a range of Self through your nouliths, you can move your nouliths to another space up to 15 feet away, and cast the spell as if you were standing in that space. Your nouliths can share a space with another creature, and return to you immediately after casting the spell.

If your nouliths enter an area of antimagic, such as that caused by an *antimagic field* spell, they become inert and drop to the ground. They become fully functional again after being removed from the area.

## STUDIED

At 1st level, you have learned a great deal from your extensive education. Choose one of your skill proficiencies. Your proficiency bonus is doubled for any ability check you make using the chosen skill.

You can also speak, read, and write 2 additional languages of your choice.

## SAGE STUDY

At 2nd level, you direct your efforts into the study of a particular topic, honing your abilities further. Choose from the Aetherology, Illicitology, Vivology, Gravitology or Dracology studies, each of which is presented at the end of this document. The study you choose grants you features at 2nd level, and again at 6th, 10th and 14th level.

## EUKRASIA

Your study allows you to learn and augment specific spells. Each Eukrasia option provided by your study explains which spell you learn and how to augment it. The spells you learn don't count against the number of spells you know. If you learn a eukrasia spell that you already know, you instead learn one spell of your choice from the sage spell list. If you gain a eukrasia spell that doesn't appear on the sage spell list, it is nonetheless a sage spell for you.

As you gain levels in this class, you gain additional Eukrasia options at 3rd level and again at 5th level, as specified in the study's eukrasia description.

You can augment your spells using Eukrasia twice, and regain all expended uses after finishing a short or long rest.

Some Eukrasia effects require saving throws. When you use such an effect, the DC equals your sage spell save DC.

## ABILITY SCORE IMPROVEMENT

When you reach 4th level, and again at 8th, 12th, 16th, and 19th level, you can increase one ability score of your choice by 2, or you can increase two ability scores of your choice by 1. As normal, you can't increase an ability score above 20 using this feature.

## SAGELY VERSATILITY (OPTIONAL)

Whenever you reach a level in this class that grants the Ability Score Improvement feature, you can do one of the following, representing a change in focus as you use your skills and magic:

- Replace the skill you chose for the Studied feature with one of your other skill proficiencies that isn't benefiting from Studied.
- Replace one cantrip you learned from this class's Spellcasting feature with another cantrip from the sage spell list.

## EUKRASIA MASTERY

When you reach 18th level, you have mastered the flow of energy that fuels your spells. You can augment your spells using Eukrasia three times between rests, rather than only twice.

## ENLIGHTENED

When you reach 20th level, your mastery over magic allows you to subtly empower each of your spells. You gain a +2 bonus to your spell save DC and spell attack modifier. When you augment a spell using Eukrasia that requires an attack roll or saving throw, the bonus increases to +3 for that casting.

## SAGE STUDIES

As a part of their education, sages choose a topic to focus their efforts on. Each study is a different field, with its

own unique challenges and hurdles to overcome. By conquering these challenges, a sage emerges as a master of their discipline, with the unique knowledge and skills needed to prove it.

## AETHEROLOGY STUDY

Aetherology is the study of magic, in all its forms. Sages of this discipline focus not on specific types of spells, but rather, the improvement of their spellcasting as a whole. By mastering the fundamentals of magic, they are able to empower their own magic, as well as defend themselves and their allies from spells.

### ARCANE EUKRASIA

In your studies of the arcane, you have mastered simple yet powerful spells, and have learned how to augment them. When you choose this study at 2nd level, you gain the following two Eukrasia options.

**Eukrasian Ankylosis.** You learn the *magic missile* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, combining each of the darts into a single bolt of force and directing it at a creature you can see within range. The target takes  $1d6 + 1$  damage for each dart that the spell would have created.

**Eukrasian Osteosis.** You learn the *mage armour* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it by reinforcing the armour. The duration of the spell changes to 1 minute. For the duration, the target has resistance to your choice of bludgeoning, piercing or slashing damage.

When you reach 3rd level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Whoosis.** You learn the *misty step* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, and fade from the immediate memories of those around you. You become invisible until the start of your next turn, or until you attack or cast a spell.

When you reach 5th level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Osmosis.** You learn the *dispel magic* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it to capture and redirect some of the dispelled energy. One creature you can see regains 1d6 hit points for each level of the dispelled spell.

### CANTRIP SAVANT

Also at 2nd level, you have learned and mastered some simple cantrips. When you gain this feature, choose one of the following cantrips: *dosis*, *mage hand*, or *resistance*. You learn that cantrip if you don't already know it, and it doesn't count against the number of sage cantrips you know. If you already know your chosen cantrip, you learn one additional cantrip from the sage spell list.

When you cast your chosen cantrip, you can do so with the modification listed below.

**Dosis.** When you cast the spell, you can choose to target multiple creatures, instead of just one. Make an attack roll against a number of creatures up to your proficiency bonus. On a hit, each creature takes 1d6 force damage.

**Mage Hand.** When you cast the spell, you can do so as a bonus action. Additionally, you can control the hand using a bonus action, rather than an action.

**Resistance.** When you cast the spell, you can do so as a bonus action. When you do so, the spell can only target you, and doesn't require concentration.

### SPELL WARD

Starting at 6th level, you have resistance to damage from spells. Moreover, when a creature you can see within 15 feet takes damage from a spell, you can use your reaction extend this benefit to them, granting the creature resistance to damage from spells (including the triggering spell) until the start of your next turn.

### CANTRIP MASTER

At 10th level, you can choose a second option from the Cantrip Savant feature. Additionally, you can add your Intelligence modifier to the damage you deal with any sage cantrip.

### SWIFTCAST

When you reach 14th level, you learn how to swiftly cast certain spells. When you augment a spell using Eukrasia that has a casting time of 1 action, you can change the casting time to 1 bonus action for that casting.



## ILLICITOLOGY STUDY

Among sages, there are some who are not sated by the education they receive, some who are not satisfied with the power they wield. These sages delve deep into the forbidden mysteries of the world, gathering dark and sinister knowledge deemed illicit by the Forum.

### FORBIDDEN EUKRASIA

In your studies of forbidden magic, you have learned dark spells, and the means of twisting them to suit you. When you choose this study at 2nd level, you gain the following two Eukrasia options.

**Eukrasian Abiosis.** You learn the *arms of hadar* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, causing the tendrils to wrap around your foes. Creatures that fail the spell's saving throw become restrained until

the start of your next turn. Creatures that succeed the saving throw instead have their movement speed reduced by 15 feet.

**Eukrasian Hallucinosis.** You learn the *cause fear* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it. Instead of becoming frightened of you, the target becomes frightened of another creature of your choice that is within range of the spell.

When you reach 3rd level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Morphosis.** You learn the *alter self* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, further twisting your form. You gain the benefit of two of the spell's options, rather than only one.



**Eukrasian Toxicosis.** You learn the *toxicon* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, changing the magic into something toxic. Creatures that fail the saving throw against the spell become poisoned until the end of your next turn.

### DARK AUGMENTATION

Also at 2nd level, your extensive studies of the forbidden arts has unearthed a sinister ritual designed to empower a creature's body, at the expense of its mind. As an action, you touch a willing creature and empower it for 1 minute. An empowered creature gains the following benefits:

- The creature's speed increases by 15 feet
- The creature gains a climbing and swimming speed equal to its walking speed.
- The creature has resistance to one damage type of your choice.
- At the start of each of the creature's turns, it gains temporary hit points equal to your proficiency bonus.

Once you use this feature, you can't use it again until you finish a short or long rest. Repeated exposure to this magic can cause a creature to go mad. If a creature is empowered by this feature twice before taking a long rest, it must make a Charisma saving throw when the effect ends. On a failed save, the creature is afflicted with long-term madness.

### SAP MAGIC

Starting at 6th level, when you reduce a creature to 0 hit points using a spell of 2nd level or higher, you regain one expended spell slot. The slot you regain must be of a level

lower than the spell you cast and can't be higher than 5th level.

### IMPROVED AUGMENTATION

When you reach 10th level, you find ways of improving the dark ritual you have unearthed. A creature empowered by your Dark Augmentation gains the following additional benefits:

- The creature's spells and weapon attacks deal an additional 1d8 force damage.
- The creature is immune to two of the following conditions of your choice: blinded, charmed, deafened, frightened or poisoned.

### SUSPENDED CYCLE

At 14th level, you learn how to break the natural cycle of death for just a moment. When you or a creature you can see within 60 feet is reduced to 0 hit points, you can use your reaction to delay that creature's death until the end of the creature's next turn. During this time, having 0 hit points doesn't knock the creature unconscious, and the creature doesn't make death saving throws. If the creature kills another creature before the end of their next turn, they immediately regain 1 hit point, and their death is prevented. If the creature ends its turn without having killed another creature, then it immediately falls unconscious and makes death saving throws as normal.

Once you use this feature, you can't use it again until you finish a long rest, unless you expend a spell slot of 6th level or higher to use it again.

## VIVOLOGY STUDY

Sages that study vivology study the mysteries of life, and how to best preserve it. Vivology students delve deeper into the healing arts, and learn valuable magical techniques they apply alongside their training. These techniques allow them to efficiently heal others, but additionally, they can be used to proactively defend and protect others against harm.

### MEDICINAL EUKRSASIA

In your studies of healing, you have learned powerful healing spells to keep yourself and your allies alive. When you choose this study at 2nd level, you gain the following two Eukrasia options.

**Eukrasian Diagnosis.** You learn the *cure wounds* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, transmuting the healing magic into defensive shielding. Instead of being healed, the target gains a number of temporary hit points equal to twice the amount it would have regained normally.

**Eukrasian Leukosis.** You learn the *healing word* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, infusing life magic into the target. For 1 minute, the target's maximum hit points increases by an amount equal to the number of hit points healed by the spell.

When you reach 3rd level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Prognosis.** You learn the *prayer of healing* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, accelerating its casting time. The casting time of the spell changes to 1 action.

When you reach 5th level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Apotheosis** You learn the *revivify* spell. When you cast this spell, you can choose to augment the spell by empowering the target. When the creature returns to life, it regains an additional 4d6 hit points, and has resistance to all damage until the start of its next turn.

### KARDIA

Also at 2nd level, you learn how to channel destructive magic into gradual healing. As a bonus action, you can forge an aetheric link between yourself and a creature you can see within 60 feet. For 1 minute, any time you cast a spell of 1st level or higher that restores hit points or deals damage, you can cause the linked creature to regain hit points equal to your Intelligence modifier.

You can have only one creature linked at a time. The link breaks if you drop to 0 hit points or if you and the target become separated by more than 60 feet. It also ends if you form a link with another creature. You can also end the link as a bonus action.

### ESUNA

By 6th level, you've learned how to magically cure simple diseases with ease. As an action, you can touch a creature and end one non-magical disease currently afflicting it.

Additionally, you also learn how to magically cure complex conditions. As an action, you can touch a creature and end one condition or negative effect caused by a spell of 3rd level or lower afflicting it. The condition can be blinded, charmed, deafened, frightened, paralyzed or poisoned.

### IMPROVED KARDIA

Starting at 10th level, when you restore hit points to a creature using your Kardia feature, the creature regains additional hit points equal to the level of the spell that was cast.



## TECHNE MAKRE

At 14th level, you unearth an powerful technique passed down by ancient healers. As an action, you manifest the visage of a towering, ethereal tree in an unoccupied space you can see. The tree is a large object with AC equal to your Spell Save DC and 50 hit points. The tree manifests for 1 minute, or until you are incapacitated or you choose to dismiss it as a bonus action.

When you summon the tree, a ripple of healing energy emanates from it, causing each creature of your choice within 120 feet of the tree to regain 4d6 hit points. At the start of each of your turns while the tree is manifested, the ripple of healing energy repeats, restoring 2d6 hit points to creatures of your choice within 120 feet of the tree.

Once you use this feature, you can't use it again until you finish a long rest, unless you expend a spell slot of 7th level or higher to use it again.

## GRAVITOLOGY STUDY

Gravity is an ever-present, fundamental aspect of the universe. Some Sages choose to dedicate themselves to understanding the mysteries and powers surrounding this primeval force of nature, thereby becoming students of Gravitology. In their quest for knowledge, they uncover secrets that allow them to harness this power, and ascend beyond the chains that bind themself and others to the earth.

### GRAVITY EUKRASIA

In your studies of gravity, you have learned of spells to manipulate the natural forces, and how to modify them. When you choose this study at 2nd level, you gain the following two Eukrasia options.

**Eukrasian Mitosis.** You learn the *magnify gravity* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it. You split the magic in two, creating two 10-foot radii, rather than only one. When you do so, each radius deals only half as much damage.

**Eukrasian Proptosis.** You learn the *feather fall* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, allowing the targets to displace their own movement. Each creature affected by the spell can immediately move up to their speed.

When you reach 3rd level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Zoonosis.** You learn the *kinetic jaunt* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, allowing the magic to flow from one creature to another. The range of the spell becomes Touch, and any creature affected by the spell can use their action to touch another creature, transferring the effect to them instead.

When you reach 5th level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Cyclosis.** You learn the *pulse wave* spell. When you cast the spell, you can augment it, doubling the pull or push distance for the spell.

## ACCRETION DISK

From 3rd level, you can use a bonus action to manifest an accretion disk, a whirling ring of magic, gravity and rubble that flows around you in a 10-foot radius sphere. The disk lasts for 1 minute, or until you are knocked unconscious or dismiss it as a bonus action. While the disk is active, you gain the following benefits.

- When a creature starts its turn in the radius of the disk, it takes 1d6 force damage.
- Each time you cast a spell, the radius of the disk increases by 5 feet, to a maximum of 30 feet.
- You can use your action to condense the disk and launch it at a creature within 60 feet. The creature must make a Dexterity saving throw. The creature takes 1d6 force damage on a failed save, or half as much on a successful one. The damage increases to 2d6 if the radius of the disk is at least 15 feet, or to 4d6 if the radius is at least 30 feet. When you take this action, your accretion disk ends.

## ICARUS

Beginning at 6th level, you can use your bonus action to touch a creature and grant them a flying speed of 30 feet and the ability to hover for 1 minute, or until you use this feature again.

You can use this bonus action a number of times equal to your proficiency bonus, and you regain all expended uses when you finish a long rest.

## WHIRLING DEFENCE

When you reach 10th level, your accretion disk allows you to redirect and absorb attacks. When an attack misses you while your accretion disk is active, you can use your reaction to redirect the attack. If the attack was a ranged attack, you can choose a creature within 60 feet of you. If the attack was a melee attack, choose a creature within 5 feet of you. The chosen creature becomes the new target of the attack.

Alternatively, you can use your reaction to absorb the attack, increasing the radius of your accretion disk by 5 feet, up to a maximum of 30 feet.

## GRAVITIC FLUX

At 14th level, you are able to unleash the full force of gravity on your enemies. As an action, you create an area of unstable gravity in a 15-foot radius, centered on a point you can see within 60 feet. Creatures in that area are immediately flung 30 feet into the air, and are suspended there until the end of your next turn. While suspended, a creature can only move if it has a flying speed.

While the creatures are suspended, you can use your action to slam the creatures into the ground, forcing each creature to make a Strength saving throw. On a failed save, a creature takes 8d6 bludgeoning damage and is knocked prone. On a successful save, a creature takes half as much damage, but is still knocked prone.

Once you use this feature, you can't use it again until you finish a long rest, unless you expend a 6th level spell slot to use it again.

## DRACOLOGY STUDY

Dragons are great, terrible and mighty creatures. Towering beasts of scale and claw, possessed of fiery breaths and the power of flight. Indeed, these creatures inspire awe, and occasionally fealty, in those that witness them. Likewise, their power and mystique drive some to learn everything about them that they can. Whether they intend to use this information to destroy them, protect others from them, or to use their power for other gains, Sages that follow this discipline seek understanding so as to use the power of dragons for themselves.

### DRACONIC EUKRASIA

In your studies of dragons, you have learned of spells to mimic the powers of dragons, and the means to modify them. When you choose this study at 2nd level, you gain the following two Eukrasia options.

**Eukrasian Chromatosis.** You learn the *absorb elements* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it by funneling the captured energy into your defences. The duration of the spell becomes 1 minute, and instead of the first weapon melee attack on your next turn dealing additional damage, you gain 1d6 temporary hit points, plus 1d6 additional temporary hit points for each level of the spell above 1st.

**Eukrasian Apoptosis.** You learn the *chromatic orb* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, making the orb unstable. After you make the spell attack, regardless of if it hits or misses, the target and each creature within 15 feet of it must make a Dexterity saving throw, taking the spell's damage on a failed save, or half as much on a successful one.

When you reach 3rd level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Halitosis.** You learn the *dragon's breath* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it. When you do so, you don't need to concentrate on the spell, and the spell lasts for its full duration. Additionally, the damage type can be any type other than bludgeoning, piercing or slashing.

When you reach 5th level, you gain the following Eukrasia option.

**Eukrasian Diarthrosis.** You learn the *ashardalon's stride* spell. When you cast the spell, you can expend a use of Eukrasia to augment it, causing the billowing flames to manifest into wings. Rather than increasing your speed, you gain a flying speed equal to your walking speed.

### ARTIFICIAL EYE

At 2nd level, having deciphered that a dragon's power stems from its eyes, you have created an artificial replica to mimic draconic powers. Your artificial eye is a wellspring of magical power, with a number of uses equal to your Intelligence modifier (minimum of one). You can give the eye to another creature, but it can't use it unless you gave it willingly. A creature holding your artificial eye can use it in the following ways:

- Once per turn, when the creature deals damage to another creature or object, it can expend a use to deal additional damage equal to 1d6 + half your sage level. The damage type is its choice of acid, cold, fire, lightning, or thunder.
- When the creature makes a Strength, Dexterity or Constitution check, it can expend a use to add a d6 to the roll.

Your artificial eye regains all expended uses when you finish a long rest. You can also use a bonus action while holding the eye and expend a spell slot of 1st level or higher to recharge the eye, restoring a number of uses equal to the level of the expended spell slot, up to its maximum.

If you lose your artificial eye, you can perform work over the course of 1 hour to develop a new one. This work can be performed during a short or long rest, and it destroys the previous eye. The eye is also destroyed when you die.

### DRACONIC DEFENCE

At 6th level, you are able to call upon your artificial eye to improve your defences. When you finish a long rest, choose one of the following damage types: acid, cold, fire, lightning, or thunder. A creature holding your artificial eye has resistance to the chosen type. Additionally, when the creature is targeted by an attack roll or Dexterity saving throw, it can expend a use as a reaction to sprout draconic scales that ward off the attack. The creature has half cover until the start of its next turn.

### SIGHT OF THE FIRST BROOD

At 10th level, the power of your artificial eye grows, granting any creature holding it truesight out to 15 feet. As a bonus action, the creature can expend a use of your artificial eye to increase the distance to 60 feet for 1 minute, or until they are no longer holding the eye.

### TWIN GAZE

At 14th level, your pool of aether has swelled in size, allowing you to construct and maintain a second artificial eye. Each of your artificial eyes has its own separate pool of uses.

# SAGE SPELL LIST

## CANTRIPS (0 LEVEL)

Blade Ward  
Dancing Lights  
**Dosis\***  
Encode Thoughts  
Light  
Mage Hand  
Mending  
Message  
Mind Sliver  
Minor Illusion  
Prestidigitation  
Ray of Frost  
Resistance  
Spare the Dying  
Thunderclap  
True Strike

## 1ST LEVEL

Absorb Elements  
Alarm  
Chromatic Orb  
Command  
Comprehend Languages  
Cure Wounds  
Detect Magic  
Dissonant Whispers  
Expeditious Retreat  
Faerie Fire  
Feather Fall  
Fog Cloud  
Healing Word  
Identify  
Illusory Script  
Inflict Wounds  
Jump  
Mage Armor  
Magic Missile  
Magnify Gravity  
Purify Food and Drink

## Rescue\*

Sanctuary  
Shield  
Silent Image  
Silvery Barbs  
Sleep  
Thunderwave

## 2ND LEVEL

Aid  
Arcane Lock  
Borrowed Knowledge  
Calm Emotions  
Darkvision  
Detect Thoughts  
Earthbind  
Enlarge/Reduce  
Gentle Repose  
Hold Person  
Immovable Object  
Invisibility  
Lesser Restoration  
Levitate  
Locate Object  
Magic Mouth  
Mind Spike  
Mirror Image  
Nystul's Magic Aura  
Ray of Enfeeblement  
Scorching Ray  
See Invisibility  
Shatter  
Suggestion  
Tasha's Mind Whip  
**Zoe\***  
Zone of Truth

## 3RD LEVEL

Counterspell  
Dispel Magic  
Elemental Weapon

## Fly

Glyph of Warding  
Haste  
Hypnotic Pattern  
Intellect Fortress  
Leomund's Tiny Hut  
Lightning Bolt  
Magic Circle  
Major Image  
Mass Healing Word  
Protection from Energy  
Pulse Wave  
Revivify  
Sending  
Slow  
Tiny Servant  
**Toxicon\***

## 4TH LEVEL

Arcane Eye  
Death Ward  
Gravity Sinkhole  
Greater Invisibility  
**Holos\***  
Locate Creature  
Polymorph  
Raulothim's Psychic Lance  
Stoneskin  
Storm Sphere

## 5TH LEVEL

Circle of Power  
Greater Restoration  
Hold Monster  
Mass Cure Wounds  
Passwall  
**Pneuma\***  
Scrying  
Skill Empowerment  
Synaptic Static  
Telekinesis

## Teleportation Circle

Wall of Force  
Wall of Light

## 6TH LEVEL

Chain Lightning  
Disintegrate  
Globe of Invulnerability  
Gravity Fissure  
Guards and Wards  
**Haima\***  
Harm  
Heal  
Mental Prison  
True Seeing

## 7TH LEVEL

Forcecage  
**Mesotes\***  
Prismatic Spray  
Project Image  
Regenerate  
Resurrection  
Reverse Gravity  
Symbol  
Teleport

## 8TH LEVEL

Antimagic Field  
Antipathy/Sympathy  
Feeblemind  
Power Word Stun  
Telepathy

## 9TH LEVEL

Invulnerability  
Mass Heal  
Psychic Scream  
Time Stop

# NEW SPELLS

Some spells presented in the sage spell list have been created specifically for this class. As such, they are not intended to appear on any other spell list. The spells are presented in alphabetical order.

## DOSIS

*Evocation cantrip*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** 90 feet

**Components:** V, S

**Duration:** Instantaneous

You fire concentrated beams of energy at a creature or object within range. Make a ranged spell attack against the target. On a hit, the target takes 2d4 force damage.

This spell's damage increases by 2d4 when you reach 5th level (4d4), 11th level (6d4), and 17th level (8d4).

## HAIMA

*6th-level abjuration*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** Touch

**Components:** M, S, V (The discarded shell of an insect)

**Duration:** Concentration, up 1 minute

You touch a creature and erect a barrier of force around it. The creature gains 30 temporary hit points. While the creature has these hit points, it has half cover. If the creature would lose all its temporary hit points from this spell as a result of taking damage during the spell's duration, you can use your bonus action on a subsequent turn to rebuild the barrier, again granting the creature temporary hit points. Each time you rebuild the barrier, the number of temporary hit points the creature gains is reduced by 5, to a minimum of 5 temporary hit points. When the spell ends, the target loses any remaining temporary hit points from this spell.

## HOLOS

*4th-level evocation*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** Self (60-foot radius)

**Components:** V, S

**Duration:** Instantaneous

You release a wave of healing magic in every direction. Up to six creatures of your choice within range regain 4d6 hit points. The targets also gain half as many temporary hit points, which last for 1 minute.

## MESOTES

*7th-level abjuration*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** 60 feet

**Components:** V, S, M (A transparent glass ball)

**Duration:** Concentration, up to 1 minute

A dome of magical energy forms in a 15-foot radius sphere around a point you can see within range. When

you cast this spell, you can designate any number of creatures within the area of the spell to be affected by it, which can include yourself. While an affected creature is within the radius of the spell, any damage they take is reduced by 5.

## PNEUMA

*5th-level evocation*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** Self (60-foot line)

**Components:** V, S, M (Complex research notes on the nature of the mortal soul)

**Duration:** Instantaneous

You conjure a paradoxical beam of destructive and restorative magic in a line 60 feet long and 5 feet wide in a direction you choose. Each creature in the line must make a Dexterity saving throw, taking 5d10 force damage on a failed save, or half as much on a successful one. When you cast this spell, you can choose a number of creatures in the line to instead regain 2d10 hit points, rather than taking damage.

**At Higher Levels.** When you cast this spell using a spell slot of 6th level or higher, the damage and healing both increase by 1d10 for each slot level above 5th.

## RESCUE

*1st-level conjuration*

**Casting Time:** 1 bonus action

**Range:** 60 feet

**Components:** S

**Duration:** Instantaneous

Using a tether of light, you pull one willing creature within range to an unoccupied space within 5 feet of you. This movement does not provoke opportunity attacks.

## TOXICON

*3rd-level evocation*

**Casting Time:** 1 action

**Range:** 90 feet

**Components:** V, S

**Duration:** Instantaneous

A hail of magical energy descends upon a creature within range. The target and each creature within 10 feet of the target must make a Constitution saving throw, taking 4d10 force damage on a failed save, or half as much on a successful one.

**At Higher Levels.** When you cast this spell using a spell slot of 3rd level or higher, the damage increases by 1d10 for each slot level above 2nd.

## ZOE

*2nd-level transmutation*

**Casting Time:** 1 bonus action

**Range:** Self

**Components:** V, S

**Duration:** Concentration, up to 1 minute

You draw restorative magics from the world around you to empower your next spell. The next time you cast a spell of 1st level or higher that restores hit points to a creature during this spell's duration, you restore an additional 2d4 hit points to one creature affected by the spell, and the spell ends.

**At Higher Levels.** When you cast this spell using a spell slot of 3rd level or higher, the damage increases by 1d4 for every two slot levels above 2nd.

# THE SAGE

## CHANGELOG

### V0.3 - 11/11/2023

- **New:** Subclass: Dracology Study
- **Fixed:** The version number for V0.2 in the changelog.
- **Adjusted:** Sagely Versatility is now an optional feature. Wording was also fixed to refer to Studied, rather than Expertise.
- **Adjusted:** Spells known have now been adjusted to match the scaling of other classes.
- **Adjusted:** The wording of Eukrasia effects has been cleaned up and altered to clarify the expending of a use of Eukrasia.

### V0.2 - 06/04/2023

- **Adjusted:** The wording on Studied has been updated to better resemble similar features.
- **New:** Subclass: Gravitology Study
- **Adjusted:** Kardia now restores hit points equal to your Intelligence modifier.
- **Adjusted:** Kardia now also restores hit points when you cast a healing spell.
- **Adjusted:** Improved Kardia's additional healing is equal to the level of spell cast.
- **Reworked:** Techne Makre now summons a single object that heals in an area, and continues to heal each turn.
- **Adjusted:** The Zoe spell has had multiple changes. It is now a 2nd level spell, it requires a bonus action to cast, and requires concentration. Upcasting is now every 2 levels, like Spiritual Weapon.
- **Adjusted:** Holos now has a limit of 6 creatures, to bring it closer in line to similar spells like Mass Cure Wounds.
- **Adjusted:** Mesotes has had it's wording changed to be clearer.
- **Adjusted:** The temporary hit points of Holos now have a duration.

### V0.1 - 11/08/2022

- First draft of the class. 8 custom spells and 3 subclasses; Aetherology, Viviology and Illicitology Studies.

