

OUTER WORLD

User Guide

**Backstory**

Welcome to your new home! If you are reading this, let me be the first to congratulate you on the beginnings of your life as an adventurer and, in addition, welcome you to the world of Outer World. In this game, you play as an apprentice under a high mage. You are highly regarded in your community and you have a great grasp on your magical powers. Unfortunately, today you have found yourself in a bit of a predicament. After a long session of magic practice, you wanted to get a few extra hours of studying in. As the old saying goes, though, you should be careful what you wish for.

Due to your apprenticeship with a high mage, you were allowed access to some of the finest magic libraries in all of the land. Unfortunately, not all of the spells in said libraries were labeled, nor did all of them work properly. You had learned this the hard way many, many times, and today was going to increase your number of incidents by one. Sometime after dinner, you went to one of the libraries and happened to find an ill-labelled teleportation spell which had not yet been completed. With naught but your training staff, tattered robes, and wild curiosity, you cast the spell, opened up a portal to another dimension, and end up getting sucked through.

After a brief portion of unconsciousness, you woke up to find yourself in a small, non-descript shack. Wandering for a little bit, you were able to find the villagers in the town and, thankfully, were able to communicate to them. From them, you learned that you were now on the Outer World, that you would not be able to use magic as freely as you had back in your homeland, and that in order to get back home, you would have to travel the land, harvest the planet's elements, and learn the teleportation spell from the fabled elders of space and time. Armed with little knowledge of what to do, you have set out for your journey. This is where your user guide comes in. With it, your journey will be much easier.

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**Appendix**

*“Within the user guide folder contains an items, spells, and bestiary list.*

**Alternate Endings**

*The player has a choice of a unique ending at the end of the game. You can either chose to go back home after collecting the four key elemental items from each dungeon or you can stay and live in the “OTHERWORLD”... the choice is yours.*