Adventure GM Cheatsheet

Die Rolls

ROLL OUTCOMES			BEST ROLL & WORST ROLL	
D6	Outcome	D20	Best Roll	Higher of two dice
6	Success	17+	Worst Roll	Lower of two dice

Partial Success 9-16 Failure 8-

Specialities grant Best Roll on related skills

SPECIALTIES

Strength Athletics, Intimidation, Feats of Strength Agility Acrobatics, Speed, Stealth, Slight of Hand Wisdom Perceiving, Knowing, Figuring Things Out

TEAMWORK

Group Challenge Everyone rolls, half must succeed

Assist a Teammate Teammate gets Best Roll

Quick Monsters

MONSTER STATS

Easy · 1 HP Monstrous · 4 HP · 2 damage Normal · 2 HP Hard · 3 HP

For horde-based monsters, players can damage multiple monsters with one attack.

COMMON MONSTERS

RatBatSpider	Wolf Bear Treefolk	 Mammoth Pirate Bandit	YetiHydraDragon
ScorpionGoblinOgre	 Carnivorous Plant Giant Toad Snake	 Kobold Gargoyle Basilisk	 Sorcerer Witch Lava Monster
 Troll Slime/Ooze Skeleton	 Fairy/Pixie Giant Eagle Clockwork Golem	CentaurKnightShark	Rock MonsterIce MonsterKraken

Gear & Treasure

TREASURE IDEAS

Gold · Gems & Artifacts · Magical Items · Information · Rare Spells

SPELL IDEAS

Magic Missles · Wave of Thunder · Sleep · Illusion · Heal · Tangle of Vines · Cage Speak to Plants/Animals \cdot Teleport \cdot Fireball \cdot Suggestion \cdot Invisible \cdot Message Animate Objects · Flight · Disguise · Cage · Shapeshift · Control Weather

MAGIC ITEMS (in addition to any spell)

- Unstoppable. Attack automatically succeeds.
- Magical Resistance. Defense automatically succeeds.
- Accuracy. Do 2 HP damage on one attack.
- Dodge. Take Best Roll on any defensive roll.
- Lucky. Re-roll once an encounter.
- Recovery. Recover 1 HP of health.
- Quick Foot. Damage two monsters on one attack.
- Time Warp. Change the result of a die roll.

Combat & Damage

COMBAT SPECIALITIES **HEALING**

Melee/Close Up Rest 1 HP Strength Ranged/Far Away Agility **Healing Potion** 2 HP

Magic Wisdom Total HP cannot exceed max HP

Take Best Roll on related attacks

BALANCING ENCOUNTERS

Start with just a few monsters. Send in more or modify the environment if things are too easy.

On a successful attack, reduce HP by one.

Quick Adventures

COMMON ADVENTURE HOOKS

- Retrieve/rescue an item or person from somewhere
- · Deliver an item or person to somewhere
- · Escape from somewhere/something
- Find out why something in town is no longer working

LOCATIONS

- Cave/Tunnels • Bustling Village • Misty Lake Castle/Mansion • Secluded Cabin Quiet Farm • Dense Forest • Mountain Pass Canyon/Valley · Raging River • Cliff/Drop · Hidden Entry
- **TRAPS** · Darts/Arrows Lightning Stones Gas Collapsing Bridge Darkness/Fog Shifting Walls • Trap Door Magic Inhibitor Ice Crushing Rock • Earth Tremors • Lava Room Floods • Fire Statues Animated Objects • Quick Sand • Illusions Ambush

 $\mathsf{Happy} \cdot \mathsf{Calm} \cdot \mathsf{Sad} \cdot \; \mathsf{Angry} \cdot \mathsf{Sleepy} \cdot \mathsf{Cunning} \cdot \mathsf{Aloof} \cdot \mathsf{Shy} \cdot \mathsf{Confident}$

Events & Ideas

GM ACTIONS

- · Present a monster or challenge
- Reveal new info or foreshadowing
- Use up their resources
- Separate them
- · Give an opportunity to shine
- Put someone in a spot
- · Offer an opportunity
- · Present two choices

LOCATION CHALLENGES

- · Change the environment
- · Point to a looming threat
- · Introduce a new creature
- Make them backtrack
- Present riches... at a price
- · Spring a trap

LEVELING UP

Health Increase · Second Speciality · Jack of All Trades · New Spells Magic Item · Feat