## text will change, It's just a draft until I can fix the balancing issues

# **Psionics**

Psionicists are extraordinary individuals who develop powers through extensive training

## **Psionics powers**

As opposed to commonly thought, psionics is not another kind of magic but in reality it is not. His abilities are more skills than magic and thus they do not work automatically. Every attempt at using one of his power requires a check

## **CREATING A PSIONIC**

The psionic can contribute to the party in many different ways, but it is not a wizard nor a cleric. The Psionic has some abilities much like a monk has some abilities but instead of using muscles it uses it's highly trained brain.

All powers of the psionics are using the same pool of power. Psionics normally venture less into the chaotic alignments.

# **QUICK BUILD**

You can make a psionic quickly by following these suggestions. First, Wisdom should be your highest ability score followed by Intelligence or Constitution.

#### **CLASS FEATURES**

As a psionic you gain the following class features.

#### **HIT POINTS**

Hit dice: 1d6 per psionic level

Hit points at 1<sup>st</sup> level: 6 + constitution modifier

Hit points at higher levels: 1d6 (or 4) + your constitution modifier per spell warrior level after 1st

## **PROFICIENCIES**

**Armor**: light armor, Medium armor.

**Weapons**: Daggers, Slings, Quarterstaffs. Short swords, long swords, short bow, long bow.

Tools: none

Saving throws: Wisdom, Intelligence

Skills: Choose two from: Arcane, Deception, Insight, Perception, History, Stealth.

#### **EQUIPMENT**

You start with the following equipment. In addition to the equipment granted by your background:

- (a) quarterstaff (b) any simple weapon
- (a) healing kit (b) engineering kit
- (a) dungeoneer's pack (b) explorer's pack
- A basic training book of the brain

#### Psionic

At 1<sup>st</sup> level, you come in grasp of your powers as a psionic, you gain a pool of points to spend on abilities. Psionics begin with 3 PSPs (Psionics points) and gains another 1 per level of the psionic. Each ability uses number of points for each attempt to use a psionic ability.

All psionics powers need to roll a concentration saving throw in case the psionic is frightened, abilities stop automatically if the psionic is rendered unconcious.

## **FOCUSING LENS (0 PSP)**

At 1<sup>nd</sup> level, you gain the ability to spend 10 minutes in deep meditation tapping into your subconscious to recover your PSP by 50% rounded up. Can be used once per long rest.

Requires at least 1 PSP...

## **FOCUS ATTACKS (2 PSP)**

At 1<sup>st</sup> level, you can use this ability as a bonus action to grant yourself advantage on hit rolls for the following 1 minute, all attacks made during this time have a bonus damage of your wisdom modifier. Cannot stack

Cannot be activated at the same time as focus defense.

## **FOCUS DEFENSE (1 PSP)**

At  $1^{st}$  level, you can use this ability to grant yourself resistance to any 1 type of damage you choose between bludgeoning, slashing and piercing for 1 minute.

Cannot stack

Cannot be activated at the same time as focus attacks

## Mind flail (0 PSP)

At 2<sup>nd</sup> level, as an action, you gain the ability to attack a target within up to 15 feet of you using your mind causing 1d8 psychic damage. Target rolls a wisdom saving throw for half damage.

#### **HYPNOSIS (2 PSP)(target Conc.)**

At 3<sup>rd</sup> level, you gain the ability to do one of the following effects on a willing target:

- Grant advantage to history and arcana checks for the next 1 minute.
- Grant advantage on all constitution checks and saves for the next 1 minute.
- Grant advantage on saving throws against non magical effects for the next 1 minute
- Give a character your wisdom modifier as a bonus to their deception rolls for the next 10 minutes

This power requires 1 minute of preparation.

Only one type of hypnosis can affect a creature and requires for the target's concentration for the duration. (The effect stops on a failed concentration saving throw)

## TELEPATHIC ATTACK (2 PSP) (Conc.)

At 5<sup>th</sup> level, you gain the ability as an action to create a mind link to attack a target within 120 feet of you using a psychic link.

As long as concentration is maintained the psionic can in the following rounds as a bonus action attack the target for 3d8 psychic damage.

Roll concentration saving throws in case the psionic is hit while connected through a mind link.

Cannot be combined with telepathic defense.

## TELEPATHIC DEFENSE (1 PSP) (Conc.)

At 5<sup>th</sup> level, you can as an action create a mind link with a creature and get advantage on all saving throws against that creature up to 1 minute.

Requires concentration to maintain

Roll concentration saving throws in case the psionic is hit while connected through a mind link.

Cannot be combined with telepathic attack.

#### STRONG MIND

At 7<sup>th</sup> level, as a reaction the psionic can once per long rest choose to roll it's concentration saving throws with advantage.

## **EXPANSIVE MIND (2 PSP)**

At 9<sup>th</sup> level, as an action the psionic's mind becomes so strong it is able to use it's mind to do one of the following:

- Locate a creature within 20 yards per level of the psionic from the psionic, the target must be known to the psionic, The tracking will give the direction to the creature and distance and with concentration can last up to 1 minute. (the distance shall be the most direct straight line to the target) (Conc.)
- Give a +5 bonus to perception ability checks for the next 1 minute. (self only)
- Grant resistance to psychic damage for 1 minute (roll a concentration saving throw if psychic damage is taken). **(Conc.)**

Only one effect of expansive mind can be in effect.

## **MENTAL SHIELD (1 PSP)**

At 12<sup>th</sup> level, as a reaction the psionic can use it's mind to give advantage to one target on a saving throw (including self). Target must be within sight of the psionic.

## **ENHANCE MIND (2 PSP)**

At 15<sup>th</sup> level, as a bonus action, allows the psionic to do the following one of the following: - Self -

- Wisdom modifier added to all ability checks until the psionic's next turn.
- Remove fear (removes the frightened state)
- Transfer health from the psionic to target.
- Telepathic link with up to 3 targets for 1 hour.

# PERFECT FOCUS (2 PSP)

At 18<sup>th</sup> level, the psionic can now have 2 concentration based abilities at once. One concentration saving throw for both the skills still apply.

# THE WORLD IS MY OYSTER (3 PSP)(Conc.)

At 20<sup>th</sup> level, The psionic puts himself in a psychic protective bubble for 1 minute, he gains immunity to all non magical attacks or weapons below a +2 magical modifier, requires concentration.

## MY MIND, MY RULES

At 20<sup>th</sup> level, The psionic can now use all action based abilities as bonus actions or actions without extra cost.