

## Level 1 Dwarf Fighter

**AC** 18      **Hit Points** 15  
**Speed** 25 ft.      **Hit Dice** 1d10

**Strength** 16 (+3)  
**Dexterity** 13 (+1)\*  
**Constitution** 16 (+3)  
**Intelligence** 8 (–1)  
**Wisdom** 12 (+1)  
**Charisma** 10 (+0)

\* *Due to your armor, you have disadvantage on any check you make to hide or move silently.*

### Attacks

**Battleaxe** +4; 1d8 + 3 slashing damage

**Handaxe** +4; 1d6 + 3 slashing damage (20 ft/60 ft)

### Skills

**Skills:** Handle an animal, persuade, recall lore (political lore), and ride.

**Stonecunning:** While you are underground, you have advantage on all Wisdom checks to listen and spot, and you roughly know your depth beneath the surface.

You also know the approximate age and origin of worked stone you inspect.

### Race: Hill Dwarf

**Languages:** Common, Dwarvish

**Darkvision:** You treat darkness within 60 feet of you as dim light. When you do so, your vision is in black and white.

**Dwarven Resilience:** You have advantage on saving throws against poison, and you have resistance against poison damage.

**Dwarven Weapon Training:** You are proficient with the battleaxe, handaxe, throwing hammer, and warhammer.

**Dwarven Toughness:** Whenever you roll Hit Dice during a rest, you regain 1 extra hit point for each Hit Die you roll.

### Class: Fighter

**Armor and Weapon Proficiencies:** You are proficient with all armor and shields, and all simple and martial weapons.

**Expertise:** You have two d6s called expertise dice. Expertise dice represent your ability to push yourself mentally and physically, calling upon your training and skill to do something exceptional. When you spend these dice, you are taxing your mind or your body in some way.

Once you use an expertise die, it is expended. You have two ways to regain use of your expended expertise dice: You regain all of them when you complete a short rest or a long rest, and you can use your action to regain a single expertise die, provided you have expended all of your expertise dice.

**Deep Wound:** When you hit with an attack, you can spend one expertise die. Roll it, and add the number rolled to the damage.

**Parry:** When you are wielding a melee weapon and would be hit by a melee attack, you can use your reaction to parry that attack. Spend one expertise die, roll it, and add the number rolled to your AC against that attack.

**Cleave:** Once on each of your turns, when you reduce a creature to 0 hit points or fewer with a melee attack, you can make a single melee attack against another creature within your reach as a part of the same action.

### Background: Knight

**Trait—Knight's Station:** When you are among nobility or some other group that would recognize your station as a knight, you can expect to receive free accommodations and food for yourself and your adventuring companions for the duration of your stay. Certain nobles might decline, but this is a serious breach of etiquette and usually has social consequences.

Spells

### Equipment

Chain mail, shield, battleaxe, 4 handaxes, traveler's clothes, a belt pouch containing 39 gp and 5 sp, and an adventurer's kit consisting of a backpack, a healer's kit, a mess kit, 50 feet of hempen rope, a tinderbox, ten torches, ten days of rations, and a waterskin