THE GREAT TOWN NAME GENERATOR

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HOW TO USE THIS DOCUMENT

This document is for making and coming up with names for various places scattered around your world. Most of the combinations will work just fine, but there can be the occasional mess-up. If you do not like a specific name or it doesn't quite make sense, keep rolling until you find one that you like. There are thousands of combinations, so there is bound to be something you'll like. Some examples could be Redcove, Thistlevale, King's Eye, Hawthorn Hold, or Summercut.

HOW DO I START

The way you use this document is simple. Each place name consists of a *prefix* and a *suffix*. These can be rolled for randomly, or be picked to suit a specific part of your world. For instance, if you need a place name for a township near a forest, you could choose a tree prefix or a woodland suffix to convey the theme of the area.

You start out by rolling on the PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES table, and then you simply follow the tables you are directed to until you have a place name. You can choose to roll for two prefixes and one suffix, but this may generate some odd results at times. However, using this method you can get place names such as Black Boarford or Lucky Lady Run.

POSSESSIVE NOUNS

If you are dealing with a category such as animals or professions you are dealing with nouns and you can choose to make these possessive if you wish. This can change how a location is perceived or how pleasing it is to say. Examples could be Queen Grove and Queen's Grove, or Harpy Rest and Harpy's Rest. It is up to you whether or not to add the possessive 's' when making a place name.

PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES

This is where you start. First, you roll or choose a prefix for your place name, and after that you roll or choose a suffix for your place name.

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PREFIXES

ADJECTIVES This includes:

d3	Adjectives
1	Colors, basic
2	Colors, complex
3	Simple Adjectives

Colors, basic

d8	Colors, basic	
1	Black	
2	Blue	
3	Green	
4	Orange	
5	Purple	
6	Red	
7	White	
8	Yellow	

Colors, complex

d12	Colors, complex
1	Blonde
2	Brown
3	Burgundy
4	Cerulean
5	Gray
6	Indigo
7	Magenta
8	Pink
9	Teal
10	Veridian
11	Vermilion
12	Violet

Simple Adjectives

d20	Simple Adjectives
1	Calm
2	Dark
3	Dashing
4	Feeble

5	First	
6	Gifted	
7	Last	
8	Light	
9	Little	
10	Lost	
11	Lucky	
12	Old	
13	Short	
14	Sleepy	
15	Smiling	
16	Strong	
17	Tall	
18	Vast	
19	Weak	
20	Young	

FAUNA

This includes:

d5	Fauna
1	Birds
2	Predator
3	Water Creatures
4	Other Animals
5	Monsters

Birds

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d6	Birds	
1	Axe Beak	
2	Eagle	
3	Hawk	
4	Owl	
5	Raven	
6	Vulture	

P	Predator				
	d10	Predator	· . :		
	1	Bear			
	2	Cat			

3	Crocodile	
4	Dire Wolf	
5	Hyena	
6	Jackal	
7	Lion	
8	Panther	
9	Tiger	
10	Wolf	3.

Water Creatures

d6	Water Creatures	
1	Crab	
2	Dolphin	
3	Killer Whale	
4	Quipper	
5	Shark	
6	Whale	

Other Animals

d20	Other Animals
1	Аре
2	Auroch
3	Baboon
4	Badger
5	Bat
6	Boar
7	Deer
. 8	Elk
9	Frog
10	Goat
11	Horse
12	Lizard
13	Mastiff
14	Mule
15	Ox
16	Rat
17	Scorpion
18	Snake
19	Wasp
20	Weasel

Monsters

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d20	Monsters	
1	Angel	
2	Basilisk	
3	Cockatrice	
4	Demon	
5	Devil	
6	Dragon	
7	Faerie	
8	Fey	
9	Fiend	
10	Ghost	
11	Goblin	
12	Griffin	
13	Hag	
14	Harpy	
15	Hippogriff	
16	Kobold	
17	Minotaur	
18	Orc	
19	Peryton	
20	Pixie	

FLORA

This includes:

d8	Flora
1	Shrubs
2	Weeds
3	Trees
4	Flowers
5	Herbs
6	Fruits and Berries
7	Nuts
8	Plants

Shrubs

d10	Shrubs
1	Blackthorn
2	Burr
3	Cotton
4	Hemp
5	Holly

6	Laurel
7	Lilac
8	Mistletoe
9	Teasel
10	Thistle

Weeds

d12	Weeds	
1	Beggar Tick	
2	Bindweed	
3	Chickweed	
4	Devil's Thorn	
5	Horsetail	
6	Knotweed	
7	Mallow	
8	Milkweed	
9	Pigweed	
10	Tumbleweed	
11	Wiregrass	
12	Witchgrass	

Trees

·	d50	Trees	
	1	Acacia	
	2	Alder	
	3	Aloe	
	4	Ash	
	5	Balsa	
	6	Basswood	
	7	Beech	
	8	Birch	
	9	Cedar	
	10	Cottonwood	
	11	Cypress	
	12	Dogwood	
	13	Elm	
	14	Fir	
	15	Hackberry	
	16	Hawthorn	
	17	Hickory	
	18	Holly	
	19	Juniper	1.440

20	Larch
21	Linden
22	Magnolia
23	Mahogany
24	Maple
25	Mesquite
26	Mulberry
27	Oak
28	Orchid
29	Palm
30	Peppertree
31	Persimmon
32	Pine
33	Pinyon
34	Pistache
35	Poplar
36	Purpleheart
37	Redwood
38	Saltree
39	Sequoia
40	Spruce
41	Sumac
42	Sycamore
43	Tamarind
44	Teak
45	Tupelo
46	Walnut
47	Wattle
48	Willow
49	Yew
50	Zebrawood

Flowers		
d20	Flowers	
1	Angelica	
2	Buttercup	
3	Carnation	
4	Daffodil	
5	Dahlia	
6	Daisy	i i i
7	Gardenia	
8	Heather	
9	Hyacinth	

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	11	Lavender
	12	Lily
	13	Nettle
	14	Orchid
	15	Peony
	16	Рорру
	17	Primrose
	18	Rose
	19	Sunflower
	20	Tulip

Herbs

d50	Herbs
1	Basil
2	Bay leaf
3	Belladonna
4	Bloodroot
5	Borage
6	Bugleweed
7	Caraway
8	Caraway
9	Catnip
10	Chervil
11	Chives
12	Cilantro
13	Coriander
14	Cress
15	Cumin
16	Daffodil
17	Dandelion
18	Dill
19	Eglantine
20	Elderflower
21	Fennel
22	Fingerroot
23	Flax
24	Forget-me-not
25	Foxglove
26	Garlic
27	lvy
28	Jasmine
29	Juniper
30	Laurel

31	Lavender
32	Lemon grass
33	Licorice
34	Lovage
35	Mandrake
36	Mint
37	Nightshade
38	Parsley
39	Pepper
40	Perilla
41	Рорру
42	Primrose
43	Rosemary
44	Sage
45	Sumac
46	Thyme
47	Vanilla
48	Wintergreen
49	Wolfsbane
50	Yarrow

Fruits and Berries

d12	Fruits and Berries
1	Apple
2	Apricot
3	Blueberry
4	Cherry
5	Cranberry
6	Durian
7	Elderberry
8	Gooseberry
9	Lemon
10	Mulberry
11	Raspberry
12	Strawberry

N	Nuts		
	d6	Nuts	STR. STR.
	1	Almond	
	2	Chestnut	
	3	Hazel	
	4	Peanut	
	5	Pecan	
	6	Walnut	

Plants

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d20	Plants
1	Algae
2	Bluegrass
3	Clover
4	Creepvine
5	Eelgrass
6	Fern
7	Grass
8	Gulfweed
9	Honeysuckle
10	Нор
11	Mushroom
12	Puffball
13	Rockweed
14	Rust
15	Seamoss
16	Seaweed
17	Stonewart
18	Toadstool
19	Truffle
20	Yucca

MATERIALS

This includes:

d3	Materials
1	Metals
2	Stone
3	Gems

Metals

d12	Metals
1	Adamantium
2	Brass
3	Bronze
4	Copper
5	Gold
6	Iron
7	Lead
8	Mithril
9	Nickel
10	Platinum

11	Silver	
12	Steel	

Stone

d12	Stone	
1	Chalk	
2	Clay	
3	Coal	
4	Flint	• •
5	Granite	
6	Limestone	
7	Marble	
8	Obsidian	
9	Sandstone	
10	Shale	
11	Slate	
12	Soapstone	

Gems

d20	Plants	
1	Agate	
2	Amber	
3	Amethyst	
4	Bloodstone	
5	Carnelian	
6	Citrine	
7	Diamond	
8	Emerald	
9	Garnet	
10	Jade	
11	Jasper	
12	Jet	
13	Moonstone	
14	Onyx	
15	Opal	
16	Pearl	
17	Peridot	
18	Ruby	
19	Sapphire	
20	Topaz	

NATURAL EVENTS

This includes:

d3	Natural Events
1	Seasons
2	Elements
3	Natural Occurences

Seasons

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d4	Seasons	
1	Autumn	
2	Spring	
3	Summer	
4	Winter	

Elements

d4	Seasons	
1	Air	
2	Earth	
3	Fire	
4	Water	

Natural Occurences

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	d12	Natural Occurences
	1	Avalanche
	2	Earthquake
	3	Flood
	4	Hail
	5	Hurricane
	6	Rainy
	7	Snowy
	8	Storm
	9	Sunny
	10	Thunder
	11	Wildfire
	12	Wind

PROFESSION

This includes:

d3	Profession	
1	Nobility	
2	Military	
3	Occupation	

Nobility

d20	Nobility
1	Archduchess
2	Archduke
3	Baron
4	Baroness
5	Count
6	Countess
7	Duchess
8	Duke
9	Emperor
10	Empress
11	King
12	Lady
13	Lord
14	Marquis
15	Marquise
16	Prince
17	Princess
18	Queen
19	Viscount
20	Viscountess

Military

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d12	Military	1.1.1
1	Captain	
2	Commander	
3	General	
4	Governor	
5	Knight	
6	Lieutenant	
7	Major	
8	Officer	
9	Page	
10	Sergeant	

11	Soldier	
12	Squire	

Occupation

d100	Occupation	
1	Abbot	
2	Acrobat	
3	Apprentice	
4	Archer	
5	Armorer	
6	Bailiff	
7	Baker	
8	Barber	
9	Bard	
10	Barker	
11	Bishop	
12	Boatman	
13	Boatwright	
14	Bowyer	
15	Brewer	
16	Butcher	
17	Butler	
18	Cardinal	
19	Carpenter	
20	Carter	
21	Carver	
22	Castellan	
23	Chamberlain	
24	Chancellor	
25	Chaplin	
26	Cleric	
27	Coachman	
28	Constable	
29	Contortionist	
30	Cook	
31	Cooper	
32	Counselor	
33	Dancer	
34	Deacon	
35	Elder	
36	Falconer	
37	Farrier	
38	Fireeater	

39	Fisher
40	Fletcher
41	Flowers
.42	Fool
43	Footman
44	Forester
45	Fortune teller
46	Fowler
47	Freak
48	Friar
49	Gardener
50	Glasser
51	Glover
52	Groom
53	Groundsman
54	Guardsman
55	Herald
56	Hornblower
57	Host
58	Hunter
59	Jester
60	Judge
61	Juggler
62	Keeper
63	Mage
64	Maid
65	Marshal
66	Mason
67	Mercer
68	Merchant
69	Miller
70	Miner
71	Minstrel
72	Minter
73	Musician
74	Painter
75	Parker
76	Planter
77	Poet
78	Porter
79	Potter
80	Ranger
81	Reeve
82	Rider

83	Saddler	
84	Sawyer	
85	Scullion	
86	Secretary	
87	Shepherd	
88	Sheriff	
89	Singer	
90	Skald	
91	Skinner	
92	Smith	3
93	Steward	
94	Storyteller	
95	Tailor	
96	Tanner	
97	Thatcher	
98	Tinker	
99	Weaver	
100	Wheeler	

SUFFIXES ANATOMY

d10	Anatomy	
1	Arm	
2	Chest	
3	Ear	
4	Eye	
5	Foot	
6	Hand	
7	Head	
8	Jaw	
9	Leg	
10	Tooth	

CONSTRUCTION

This includes:

d3	Construction
1	Opening
2	Holding
3	Divider

Opening

d8	Opening	
1	Door	
2	Doorway	
3	Entrance	
4	Exit	
5	Gate	
6	Gateway	
7	Lock	
8	Pass	

Holding

d6	Holding
1	Fort
2	Hearth
3	Hold
4	Home
5	Rest
6	Кеер

Divider

d4	Divider	
1	Barricade	
2	Block	
3	Dam	
4	Wall	

TERRAIN

This includes:

d8	Construction
1	Depression
2	Hills and Mountains
3	Plains
4	Water
5	Waterways
6	Wetland
7	Woodlands
8	Roadways

Depression

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d20	Depression	1.8.1
1	Basin	
2	Canyon	
3	Chasm	
4	Crater	
5	Crevice	
6	Cut	
7	Dale	
8	Dingle	
9	Gap	
10	Glen	
11	Gorge	
12	Gulch	
13	Hole	
14	Hollow	
15	Kettle	
16	Maar	
17	Ravine	
18	Rift	

19	Vale	
20	Valley	

Hills and Mountains

d12	Hills and Mountains
1	Crag
2	Foothill
3	Hill
4	Knoll
5	March
6	Moor
7	Mound
8	Mount
9	Mountain
10	Peak
11	Ridge
12	Rise

Plains

d8	Plains	
1	Brush	
2	Bush	
3	Flat	
4	Plain	
5	Prairie	
6	Scrub	
7	Steppe	
8	Tangle	

Water

d20	Water	
1	Bay	
2	Beach	
3	Cape	
4	Coast	
5	Creek	
6	Dock	
7	Fjord	
8	Gulf	

9	Harbor	
10	Lagoon	
11	Lake	
12	Landing	
13	Loch	
14	Mere	
15	Pier	
16	Pond	
17	Pool	
18	Port	•
19	Puddle	
20	Shore	

Waterways

d20	Waterways
1	Beck
2	Bight
3	Brook
4	Burn
5	Canal
6	Channel
7	Course
8	Creek
9	Current
10	Flow
11	Gully
12	Inlet
13	Lough
14	Rill
15	Rillet
16	River
17	Run
18	Stream
19	Torrent
20	Wash

Wetlands

d10	Waterways
1	Bayou
2	Bog
3	Fen
4	Marsh

5	Mire	
6	Morass	
7	Moss	
8	Slough	
9	Sump	
10	Swamp	

Woodlands

d8	Woodland	s
1	Coppice	
2	Copse	
3	Forest	
4	Grove	
5	Orchard	
6	Stand	
7	Timber	
8	Wood	

Roadways

d12	Roadways
1	Alley
2	Bridge
3	Crossing
4	Lane
5	Path
6	Road
7	Roadway
8	Track
9	Trail
10	Turn
11	Walk
12	Way

PLACE NAME SUFFIX

d10	Place Name Suffix
1	-berg
2	-bury
3	-by
4	-ford
5	-ham
6	-mere
7	-(s)ton
8	-stead
9	-wick
10	-worth

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