

## drowelf

Known as Oelvei Duistiear in the Eldarin language and Drulajas Rahvas in the Drow's own language of Drosirin, the dark elves are lithe, dark skinned creatures who have adapted to life in the subterranean infrastructure of Al'Akwannon. Creating great cities in the Underdark, the Drow have fashioned a powerful empire beneath the surface of the earth. Dark elves are generally considered a scourge by their surface cousins and are mostly seen as evil embodiments of elvish weakness. They are similar in size to their surface counterparts, however, their skin is usually an inky black and their hair is generally of a limited, virtually colorless spectrum ranging from white, to gray to silver. Their eyes range in color from amber and lavender to more standard colors such as blue and green. During the orcish occupation and enslavement of the elven empire, many elves were forced to work in underground mines (see time line). Though many elves died apart from their natural living conditions, others adapted and created a bond with their new homeland out

of necessity. After generations, their physical appearances changed and those from the surface spurned them

5' 5" Male **Average Height** 5' 2" Female 135lbs Male 100lbs Female **Average Weight Average Physical Maturity** 60 years Male 55 years Female Average Life Expectancy 458 years Male 477 years Female

**Racial Modifiers** – +1 Wisdom: -1 Constitution

Natural Stat Maximums – includes +/- 2 for sub-ability adjustment

Strength (Stamina 18, Muscle 18) Intelligence (Reason 20, Knowledge 20) **Dexterity** (Balance 21, Aim 21) Wisdom (Intuition 22, Willpower 22) Constitution (Health 17, Fitness 19) Charisma (Leadership 20, Appearance 20) (18)

**Perception** (18)Luck

## Racial Abilities/Skills

(70cp to spend on the below abilities, the stock Drow Elf will have the \* abilities at 59cp with 11cp free)

*8cp *8cp 8cp 8cp *5cp 5cp 5cp 5cp 5cp 5cp 2cp 2cp 2cp 2cp 4cp	+1 Balance sub-ability +1 Aim sub-ability +1 Intuition sub-ability +1 Willpower sub-ability Crossbow Bonus (+1 to hit w/crossbows) Sword Bonus (+1 to hit with swords) Knife Bonus (+1 to hit w/daggers/knives) Detect Magic Aura (5%/level) Detect Underground Construction (5%/lvl) Know Approximate Depth (5%/level) Ambidexterity (no off hand penalties) Drow Silent Language (30ft range) Cause Darkness 10ft radius 1/day Modern Language: Sindarin Modern Language: Common Literacy: Drusunge Emakiel Ancient History: Drow Move Silently Proficiency	5cp *10cp 15cp 5cp 10cp *5cp 10cp 5cp 10cp *5cp 4cp 4cp 2cp 4cp 2cp	Nightvision: Lesser (150 feet) Nightvision (300 feet) Nightvision: Greater (full vision range) Infrared Vision (150 feet) Less Sleep (only 4 hrs needed for full rest) Minor Resistance (40% immunity to Charm) Major Resistance (90% immunity to Charm) Detect Secret Doorways (DM) Minor Magic Resistance (+2 sv vs Spells) Keen Hearing (+1/+5%; DM) Awareness (Surprised only 1 in 8) Detect Supernatural (5%/level) Disguise Proficiency Lip Reading Proficiency Detect Magic Proficiency Detect Noise Proficiency Hide In Shadows Proficiency Lore: Faerie: Dark
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4cp 4cp	Move Silently Proficiency Quickness Proficiency	2cp 2cp	Lore: Faerie: Dark Lore: Ancient Runes: Drow
2cp	Blind Fighting Proficiency	*2cp	Lore: Legends/Folklore: Drow

<sup>\*\*</sup> drow are stereotypically thought of as evil or otherwise 'dark' creatures by virtually all races. While this does not preclude individual views, a PC drow can expect to face racism at every turn