

# Uruk Ushtar: Orc Boot Camp

Embrace Your Inner Orc!

Welcome to Uruk Ushtar, an exhilarating orc boot camp where you will learn the ways of the orc: how to dress, walk, talk, think, fight, and live with the ferocity and honor of your kind!

What You Need to Prepare:

## 1. Base Layers

Attire: Arrive in a tunic, pants, and hood, preferably in dark colors. This foundational layer is essential for embodying the orc spirit.

## 2. Trinkets for Trade

- Bring about 20 tokens to trade and gift during the event. Consider including:
  - Shiny stones
  - Animal bones
  - Natural charms and pendants
  - Skulls

These tokens will enhance your interactions and enrich the orc culture.

## 3. Leather for Warkilt and More

- Gather a selection of **hard and soft leather pieces** to craft your warkilt and other accessories. Unique textures and colors will elevate your orc attire!

## 4. Armor for the Armor Potluck

- Contribute to our armor pile by bringing pieces of armor you're willing to trade. Aim for mismatched pieces to create a striking, asymmetrical look that captures the essence of orcish warriors.

## 5. A Full-Face Orc Mask

- A vital part of your transformation! Check out **Epic Armory** for affordable options. If you need assistance finding the right fit, feel free to reach out for help.

## 6. Crude Ork Weapons

- Equip yourself with **crude ork weapons** to showcase your strength in battle. Whether it's an axe, sword, or spear, ensure it reflects your fierce orcish nature.

## 7. Full Kit Orders

- If you'd like me to order anything for you, please message me before February. I can help assemble a complete kit tailored to your needs!

**Additional Resources:**

For more information, tips, and answers to your questions, check out our official guide:  
[Orc Boot Camp Guide]  
[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1A8PKKkd7paMcL3TmoPi5\\_9Wzrjmmdj96tzl6uUF9Wm0/edit](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1A8PKKkd7paMcL3TmoPi5_9Wzrjmmdj96tzl6uUF9Wm0/edit)

**\*\*Get ready for an unforgettable adventure where you'll forge new bonds and fully immerse yourself in the orc way of life!\*\***

### **Ork Skin Color Guidelines**

Orks are known for their diverse skin tones, which typically range from a vibrant ochre yellow to deep shades of grey, with many appearing in various shades of green. To foster an inclusive and comfortable gaming environment, we will avoid using brown or black skin tones for orks, unless it reflects a player's natural skin tone. Our goal is to ensure that everyone feels welcome and represented while playing orks with us.

### **Combat Overview for Uruk Ushtar**

In Uruk Ushtar, all combat will be **\*\*theatrical and immersive\*\***, designed to elevate the narrative and create a captivating atmosphere. Here's how the combat system will function:

#### **Theatrical Combat**

**Dynamic Engagement:** Combat is not merely a physical confrontation; it is a performance. Participants are encouraged to engage in exaggerated movements and dramatic expressions, bringing the intensity of battle to life. Every strike, parry, and maneuver should contribute to the storytelling experience.

**Scene Elevation:** The goal of combat is to lift the scene, creating moments of tension and excitement that resonate with both participants and spectators. Warriors should strive to embody their characters fully, making each encounter a memorable spectacle.

#### **Armor as a Symbol of Survival**

**Worn Armor:** The armor you wear will serve as a powerful symbol of your character's resilience and strength. Armor represents the line between life and death in the heat of battle. Each piece of armor tells a story and enhances your presence on the battlefield.

#### **Armor Protection Overview for Uruk Ushtar**

In Uruk Ushtar, the type of armor you choose will significantly impact your character's resilience in battle. Here's how different armor types function:

##### **Light Armor (Leather)**

-Grazing Protection: Light armor, such as leather, is designed to offer protection against grazing shots and minor strikes. While it may not withstand heavy blows, it provides a level of defense that allows you to absorb lighter attacks without serious harm.

-Single Solid Strike: Light armor can also endure a single, solid strike. This means that while you should remain aware of your vulnerabilities, you can confidently engage in skirmishes knowing you have some protection.

### **Heavy Armor (metal)**

Full Protection Against One-Handed Weapons: Metal armor offers superior protection, completely safeguarding you against attacks from one-handed weapons. This robust defense allows you to stand firm against your opponents, giving you the confidence to engage in combat without fear of injury from lighter arms.

### Choose Wisely

- Select your armor based on your character's role and combat style. Whether you prefer the agility of light armor or the formidable protection of metal, each choice will shape your experience on the battlefield.

Prepare for battle with the knowledge that your armor will play a crucial role in your survival and success!

## **Mystical Connection**

The healers will channel the energies of the orc spirits, bridging the gap between life and death. Their abilities will not only mend physical wounds but also rejuvenate the spirits of fallen warriors, reinforcing the idea that true strength comes from both body and spirit.

### **Embrace the Experience**

- As you prepare for battle, remember that your performance in combat will shape the overall experience for everyone involved. Embrace your character's journey, engage passionately with your fellow participants, and let the spirits guide you through this epic adventure.

*Get ready for a thrilling experience where every moment counts, and the stakes are as high as the spirit of the orc!*

Schedule up!

Thursday Night

6:00 PM - **\*\*Distressing Clothing Class\*\***

Learn techniques to create a rugged, battle-ready look!

8:00 PM - **Orc Weapon Making Part 1**

Craft your very own Man Cleaver! Focus on shaping and gluing your latex weapon.  
(Materials free with early preregistration)

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Friday

10:00 AM - **Warkilt Building Workshop**

Dive into leather sewing and riveting to create your own unique warkilt.

12:00 PM - **Orc Weapon Making Part 2**

Bring your weapon to life! Painting and sealing your latex creation.

2:00 PM - **Leather Helmet Making**

Design and create a helmet that fits your orc persona.

(Materials free with early preregistration)

4:00 PM - **Armor Potluck**

Participate in a fun armor exchange! Draw numbers to pick mismatched pieces from the pile, giving everyone a unique scavenged look.

5:00 PM - **Rigging Armor Workshop**

Learn the art of rigging for maximum mobility and style. Metal plates cut and shaped provided.

8:00 PM - **Orc Inspection**

Prepare for war! Orkish drill instructors will ensure you're battle-ready.

10:00 PM - **Orkish Champions Fight**

Witness epic battles in the Circle of Fire! Compete to become blooded.

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Saturday

10:00 AM - **Orkish Inspection**

In character, inspect weapons and gear to ensure readiness.

11:00 AM - **Declaration of the Dark Lords**

Choose your allegiance to the Lord of the Lash or the Iron Crown. Split off for specialized workshops.

12:00 PM - **Orcish Battles Begin**

Engage in fierce battles, capturing and ransoming each other for trinkets and glory.

4:00 PM - **\*\*Orkish Archery Competition\*\***

Test your skills in a thrilling archery contest!

4:30 PM - **\*\*Dark Lord of the Orks Ceremony\*\***

The chosen Dark Lord unites all orks under their banner. Celebrate with roasted meat and orkish beer in our village!

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Sunday

10:00 AM - **\*\*Kit Repair / Add-On Workshop\*\***

Perfect your gear with repairs and enhancements.

11:00 AM - **\*\*Battle of Stingbite Swamp\*\***

Face off against humans in a series of challenging battles to hone your war skills.