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## **Story**



As demons from every dimension threatened to consume the land, Seven Heroes rose to banish the evils to whence they came.

Yet they vanished without a trace before they could revel in their victory.

## Prelude to an Epic SaGa

Peace is but a distant tale in history.

Regimes lost control, and monsters run
rampant in Varennes and in other lands.

As the world spirals into chaos, the Seven Heroes
grace the lips of man.

An epic story that will span generations is about to begin.

## Once upon a time...





The bard sings his tale...

The grand story of Romancing SaGa 2 begins from days long past.
Emperors rose and fell, but each ruler in Varennes shared a common goal-to make history.



## Hardware and Controls





#### 1. Directional Buttons/Left Stick Move/Select



Moves the on-screen character or vehicle and select commands or items. Left/Right also switch between selection windows and pages in battle.

#### 2. Action Buttons

#### O button: Confirm/Talk

Confirms a command on the Menu Screen. Also used to speak to people in the castle or towns and to investigate items.

### × button: Cancel/Dash/Jump

Cancels a command, or hold while moving to dash (or walk depending on settings). Dashing will allow you to jump over gaps in some areas.

### $\Delta$ button: Show/Hide Menu Screen

Brings up or hids the Menu Screen (see P8 for details). This button is also used to close menus.

#### ☐ button: Show Area/World Map

Press once to bring up the area map and twice for the world map.

Press inside a building to warp to the entrance.

#### 3. L/R button: Change Page

Changes menu on multiple pages. Press R to go to next page, and L to go back. Use in battle to switch between weapons, recovery items, and spells. Jumps to the [Defend/Flee] page if the L/R buttons are pressed simultaneously.



#### 4. OPTIONS button: Pause

Use to pause the game.

## Starting a Game

levels carried over.



Press the OPTIONS button during the opening sequence to skip to the Title Screen. Start a game by performing the following steps.

#### NEW GAME

When playing for the first time, select NEW GAME, then press the  $\odot$  button. Select "No" when asked about Previous Data and confirm with the  $\odot$  button.



NEW GAME+ with Previous Data
If you have progress from a previously saved file,
you can start from the beginning with some of the items,
skills from the Skill Dolo and alimmers, gold, and spell



Next, select the Game Mode. Select whther or not you would like to play with additional content and confirm with the  $\odot$  button.

#### What is Additional Content?

Additional content refers to downloadable events that were in-app purchases on the featurephone version. The content is free for this title, so we recommended selecting "With additional content." Note: This setting CANNOT be changed after starting.



## Select Gender and Enter Name

Next, configure your character. Use the directional keys/left stick to select a gender and confirm with the  $\bigcirc$  button. In the next step, enter the name of your choosing (see below for instructions). The prologue commences once you have entered a name.

#### Entering Your Name Select letters with the directional keys/left stick. Confirm with O; cancel with ×. Press OPTIONS to confirm.

## Q. Why isn't this character the name that I entered?

A. You start the game as Emperor Leon. The name entered when starting a new game will be used for a character in the latter half of the game one of the many things you have to look forward to as you progress!



## **CONTINUE**





### CONTINUE

If you wish to continue a game, select CONTINUE and press the  $\bigcirc$  button to go to the File Select Screen. See details (party/location) when selecting a file using the directional keys/left stick. Select the data you wish to continue playing and confirm with the  $\bigcirc$  button.



Select File

#### Auto-Save Feature

An auto save file will be created when you quit the game. This file cannot be overwritten in the Data Menu, but will automatically save your progress each time you quit. Use a normal data slot for data you wish to save manually.

#### cross-save.

This game supports cross-saving.

You can upload & download save data to play on another PlayStation®4 or PlayStation®Vita system.

\*You must own the game on each platform to play.



## Using the Menu Screen



# Check various data and settings from the Menu Screen brought up with the $\triangle$ button.



#### 1. Year

As you progress through the game, time (years) will pass. The number shown here is the current year.

#### 2. Party

Members of your current party.

### 3. Character HP/LP/MP/SP

Shows the HP, LP, MP, and SP of each character. Use the L/R buttons to swap between stats. Numbers in black indicate it is full, blue indicates low, and red indicates critical condition.

#### 4. Character Name

Names of the emperor and his/her party.

#### 5. Command Window

A window of various commands. The following pages provide details on each individual command.

#### 6. Battle Formation

Current battle formation.

#### 7. Current Location

Current location of the party.

#### 8. Coffer

Amount of crowns possessed.



# Viewing and Using Command Windows

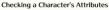


Command windows allow you to execute commands and see valuable information essential to the story. The below explains each screen.



#### Attributes





Select Attributes and press the O button to go to the Character Selection screen. Select the character you would like to view with the directional keys/left stick. You can also see their Weapon/Spell Level (see P15) on this screen.



### Viewing Character Status

On the above screen, select a character and press the ○ button to view that character's status screen. Press the L/R buttons on this screen to switch to another character without returning to the previous screen.

Name: Character's name

STR: Damage from direct attacks DEX: Accuracy of attacks

Class: Character's class (\*1) Gender: Character's gender

MAG: Strength of offensive magic

HP: Current health points (\*2)
LP: Current/Max life points (\*3)

SPD: Order of attack in battle STA: Recovery speed of HP/ailments

MP: Current/Max magic points SP: Current/Max skill points DEF: Defense with equipped gear Defensive Traits: Resistances (P15)

- \*1 Emperor for the above image. See P23 for details.
- \*2 Current HP. Always shows max HP outside of battle.
  \*3 Lose points when HP reaches 0 in battle. Character dies at 0 LP.





#### Inventory

### Using and Checking Items

Select "Inventory" and press the O button to go to the Inventory Selection screen. The selected item data will be shown at the bottom of the screen



Note: Use the L/R buttons or press left/right with the directional keys /left stick to switch between inventory list pages.

#### Using or Equipping Items

Select the item you wish to use and press the O button once to select a character on the right. Use the directional keys/left stick to select whom to use the item on and confirm with the O button. Use the same steps to equip a character with an equippable item. Not that items cannot be equipped if the chosen character's inventory slots are full.



#### Sorting Items

To reorder items for ease of access, press the D button. As seen to the right, a different colored cursor will appear. Select the item slot you wish to swap the item with and confirm with the O button.



#### Discarding Items

Your inventory can only hold 32 types of items, and up to 99 of each type. In order to acquire new items, you must discard unnecessary ones. Select an item followed by the trash can icon and press the O button to discard the item.



Note: Discarded items are not thrown away. but stored in the warehouse within Castle Avalon. You can pick them up when needed.





#### Equipment



### Equipping Weapons/Armor/Potions

Select "Equipment" and press the O button to go to the Character Select screen. Select a character with the directional keys/left stick and press the O button.



#### Equipping Weapons/Potions

Select an open slot and press the 
O button as shown on the left. Equip a weapon or potion by selecting it and confirming with the O button.



If there is a weapon or potion you wish to unequip, select it and press the  $\bigcirc$  button twice. If you want to swap it with another item, press the  $\bigcirc$  button once and select the item to equip in its place and confirm with the  $\bigcirc$  button.



#### Armor

Controls are generally the same as for weapons, but armor shown in red is unique to that character and cannot be removed.



## Armor DEF and overall DEF -is shown at the top when gear is selected.

Note: Weapons will show damage values.



#### Spells



#### Checking Spells

Select "Spells" and press the ○ button to go to the Character Selection screen. Select a character and press the ○ button again to check a list of learned spells.



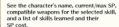
See the character's name, current/max MP, element of selected spell, and a list of spells learned and their MP cost.

#### Skills



### Checking Skills

Select "Skills" and press the ○ button to go to the Character Selection screen in the same manner as with Spells. Select a character and press the ○ button again to see a list of learned skills.



#### Forgetting Skills

Characters may only have up to 8 skills in total. A character must have at least one open skill slot to learn a new move through glimmers or a ward move from an enemy. A currently known skill may be forgotten to free up a slot.

On the skills list, select a skill and press the O button to forget it. Select Yes and confirm with the O button.

Forgotten skills can be reacquired at the Skill Dojo. However, only skills picked up in battles are available at the Skill Dojo. Some characters have default skills that have not been acquired in battle, so be careful when forgetting skills.

Note: Spells can also be forgotten, but only at the Incantations Lab. Talk to a mage and select a spell to forget. (This will only occur when you attempt to learn more than 8 spells.

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#### **Battle Formation**



## Choose Formation

Select Formation and press the O button to go to the Battle Formation screen. Consider the following when selecting a formation.





Select a formation from the list and see the party in formation to the right. Details about the selected formation are shown at the bottom of the screen. Select your desired formation and confirm with the O button.





After selecting the battle formation, you can choose where characters are placed. You can swap characters in the same way you swap items. Consider the attributes of the formation and characters when deciding on placement.



Note: While swapping, the impact of each position will be shown at the bottom of the screen, Ex.) Easily targeted, boosts attack, etc...

After deciding on placement, press the × button to return to the menu. You have now successfully set a battle formation.

#### Learn Battle Formations

You start off with only two formations, but you will learn more as you progress through the game, See P19 for details,





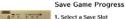


#### Saving Game



## Saving and Checking Saved Data

Select "Save" and press the O button to go to the Save File screen with the year and Emperor name. You can have up to four save files.





Select the slot you want to use on the Save File screen. If there is previously saved data, the play time. Emperor status, and location will shown.



#### 2. Save progress

Press the O button to see party and year (see left).

If you are sure you want to overwrite the file, select yes and press the O button. When the saving process is complete, you will automatically return to the Menu Screen.

Note: You can save anywhere except during a battle, event, or while on the map screen.

#### Settings

#### Configuring Settings

Select "Settings" and press the ○ button to change the default movement speed and battle log display time. You can also use the "Return to Title" option

to return to the Title Screen.



### Note When Defaulting to Dash

If you enter a battle while dashing, your formation will be broken! This can also happen if your Default Movement Speed is set to Dash. Take stock of your surrounding when deciding to dash.

## **Indicators**





#### Meaning of Icons

Icons used in various areas within the Menu show a character's magic or skill level, attributes, and defensive traits. The following shows what each icon means.

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### Magic & Skill Level and Attribute Icons

1	Sword/oreat Sword Level		Attributes
	Axe/Mace Level	٥	Hydrology Level and Attributes
200		-	

Pyrology Level and Spear/Short Sword Level Attributes

Aerology Level and Bow Level Attributes

Cosmology Level and Martial Arts Skill Level Attributes

#### Defensive Trait Icons



Defense against slashing attacks from swords, great swords, and claws.



Defense against heat-based attacks such as fire.



from axes, maces, punches, and kicks. Defense against piercing attacks from spears, short swords, horns,



Defense against cold-based attacks such as Ice.



and beaks. Defense against projectile attacks such as bows, needles,



attacks such as lightning. Defense against status ailments such as sleep, poison,



Strong defense against a certain type of attack. For example, if your entire party is hit with a fire spell, those with the defensive trait against heat attacks will take much less damage. Enemies also have defensive traits. If an attack doesn't work, try using a different type of attack.



Accessories and headgear often have defensive traits.



#### Imperial Log



## A book recording the history of the Empire.

At the home Menu Screen, press the 
button to go to the Imperial Log screen. Use it to keep track of events.





### 1. Select a Region

Once you see the region list of the Imperial Log, use the Directional Buttons/ Left stick to choose the region you wish to check and press the O button. The screen will then show a title list.



#### 2. Select a Title

Select the item you wish to read from the title list and press the  $\bigcirc$  button to bring up the story log.



#### 3. Turning Pages

If there are multiple pages in the log, use the L/R buttons to turn the pages. Press the  $\times$  button to return to the Title Screen, and the  $\triangle$  button to exit each menu.

Note: Question marks (???) in the list signify a region you have not visited yet or an event that has yet to happen.



## Collecting Info and Supplies



It is important to talk to the townspeople and villagers, as well as investigate odd places to make progress in the story. See the following for details regarding controls.



## Talk

If you wish to speak to someone, stand in front of them and press the O button. A message window will appear and the person you are speaking to may provide you with information.



Investigate Stand in front of chests, notice boards, or other objects and press the O button to investigate. Chests usually provide gold and items, but occasionally with something a little different...



#### Move

Use the directional buttons/left stick to move your character. They can also be used for moving within the map and sailing ships. See P21 for details.

### Freeform Scenario System

Your dialogue choices and order in which you travel/take action affects the story. With endless possibilities, the story is yours to write.





monsters haunting your back door. What do you do?





You'll make your move after securing the rear. First priority goes to defeating the monsters! Attacking Somon comes first!

A brood of third-rate monsters can wait.

Alter Events and the Story

## **Shops**



The following are the main types of shops that can be found in towns and villages. This list is not comprehensive, and it's up to you to discover some things for yourself!



#### Inns

Accommodations that can be used for free. Stay the night to fully restore MP and SP used in battle.



#### Taverns

Places to relax and have a cold one. Get various intel from customers. Have the barkeep make you a drink and you might hear something useful.



### Store

You can buy weapons and armor here. Items available differ by store, so check them out when you go to a new area.



#### **Buying Items**

Select "Buy" and press the ○ button. Select the item you want and press the ○ button again. Use the directional keys/left stick to select the amount.



Select 'Sell' and press the O button. Select the item to sell and use the directional keys/left stick to choose the amount. Press the O button to complete the transaction.



#### Free Items at Territorial Stores!

Items at stores in your territory are absolutely free.
Funds are required to keep a country affoat. Save as much as you can.

### Currency System

Currency is held in your coffer and the Imperial Treasury.
The emperor can hold up to

10,000 Crowns in his or her coffer, and any other Crowns gained from territories and chests go straight into the Treasury. If your coffer is not full, it will be filled.

Note that if you sell items and your wallet is full, the excess money does not go into the Treasury.



## **Avalon Building Guide**



These are the facilities located in the imperial capital of Avalon.





Take a rest to fully restore MP and SP. Some events may even occur during your slumber.



The magnificent throne of the emperor.

Sitting on the throne may trigger a flash of inspiration.

When in Avalon, he sure to have a seat.



### 3. Treasury

This is where imperial funds are managed. You can check how much revenue you have as well as your reserves. You can also refill your wallet by talking to the treasurer.



Store or retrieve items here, including discarded items, equipment from the previous emperor, and potions.





## 5. Intel Room Officials here gather information regarding nearby regions.

Get hints for your next adventure or check how many battles you've fought.

### 6. Skill Dojo

This area is not present in the early stages of the game. Skills unlocked through glimmers in battle can be learned by other characters.





#### 7. Formation Training Room

A room where battle formations are studied. When a new emperor ascends, the talk to the captain for ideas about new formations.

#### 8. Soldier Corridor

Rooms full of soldiers that serve the Emperor.

Other members in the world can also join your party, so be on
the lookout for new recruits.









Castle (Exterior)

#### 9. Forge



This is where new weapons and armour are developed. Development requires time and money, so think about a smith's proposal carefully before responding.

#### 10. Incantations Lab

A facility that can be built in the castle town that does not exist in the early stages of the game. You can learn and develop spells for each attribute. However, you must have an understanding of how spells work before beginning R&D.





## 11. Avalon University

Built once requirements are met. Gather talented scholars and they will surely be assets to the Empire.



When you start the game with additional content enabled, this facility will become available as you play through the game. It can greatly increase your revenue, so check up on it every now and then.



Note: There are also other facilities.

Play through the game to discover and build them.



## Movement



It's time to explore the world. Let's go over how to move between locations.

#### Moving on the Regional Map

Regional and world maps are used for movement. Exiting a town or dungeon puts you on a regional map. Use the directional keys/left stick to select a point and see the location name.







ent location (Default) Select another point to mo

Press the ○ button to move to a location. More points will appear on the various regional maps as you make progress, talk to people and gain information, or travel by boat.

#### Moving on the World Map

Press the □ button on a regional map to zoom out to the world map. Move with the directional buttons/ left stick to select other sections. To move to the selected blinking region, press the ○ button.



The first region is North Varennes (in Avalon), and all other regions are grayed out and unselectable. Regions that become a part of the Empire will be colored in.

Note: When going to a region that is not a part of the Empire, there will be a point that says "To [area]".

#### Other Methods of Movement



## You can also walk and sail.

Towalk, use the directional buttons/left stick. To sail, go to a pier, talk to the

boatman and tell him where you wish to go.

These two methods can also

These two methods can al lead you to other areas.

## Dungeons Move in towns and dungeons

by walking (or dashing to move faster.)

monsters while dashing, your battle formation will be broken.

\* Press the 

button to leave a location that belongs to the Empire.

## **Character System**



In this game, the player takes on the role of a series of emperors and engraves a legacy in the annals of time. The following explains the succession system.

#### Conditions for Succession

If any of the following three conditions occur, the current emperor will be succeeded. Heirs will also change depending on how the reigning emperor came to leave the throne.



#### Succession Procedures

If succession is required due to one of the above conditions, use the following steps to select a new emperor. Selecting an heir is an extremely important process in the game.





### 1. View Candidates

When succession is required, a candidate list will appear as shown on the left. Use the directional keys/left stick to select a character. Confirm with the  $\bigcirc$  button to go to the next screen.



#### 2. Check Candidates

The status window of the selected character will appear, so look over the details and decide whether the heir is fit for the throne or not. Use the L/R buttons to switch between candidates.



#### 3. After Choosing

After selecting an heir, the inheritance ceremony will take place in the throne room. The new emperor will not have allies, so party members must be recruited.



#### Heir's Parameters, Skills, & Spells



Previous Emperor



New Emperor

The HP, MP, and SP of the new emperor will be inherited from the previous emperor if the value is higher. In other words, if the previous emperor had higher stats, the new emperor will inherit them, but if the heir has higher stats. then those values will be used.

Other stats (LP, STR, SPD, etc.) will use the beir's values.

The previous emperor's equipment can be found in the castle's storeroom.

## When succession occurs, spells and skills are inherited. However, magic compatibility may conflict with the heir, in which case the

#### Heir's Class

carefully.

A class is a character's job. The heir's class can greatly boost their HP or inspire them to think of new battle formations. Be sure to consider your potential heirs

previous emperor's magic attributes will be prioritized.



### Recruiting Allies



When the LP of an emperor's ally is reduced to 0, you can recruit another ally to your party. Find allies in the soldiers' corridor in Avalon Castle and around the world in various locations You can recruit allies as long as your party does not have five members.

#### Recruiting Procedures

If your party does not have five members, talk to a potential recruit, select "Add to Party" and press the O button to have them join you.

#### LP (Life Points)

#### LP represents your life force.

If a character's HP is reduced to 0 in battle, they lose an LP.



## **Battle Guide**



If you encounter a monster in a dungeon or in an outdoor field, a battle will ensue. The following explains how to battle.

#### 1. Collide with a Monster

Collide with a monster to enter a battle. However, if the monster catches you from behind, your battle formation will be broken. Be careful which direction you face when entering a battle.





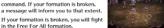


## 2. Join the Fray

Various information is shown on the screen while in combat. The monster's name is shown under its sprite, while the numbers over allies are their HP (top) and LP (bottom,)

Press the O button to select a battle command. If your formation is broken, a message will inform you to that extent.

in the Free For All formation.



### 3. Choose Party Members' Actions

Select battle commands. The following can be accessed with the L/R buttons. Change a selected an action by using the × button to cancel. Press the □ button while selecting commands to see the names of enemies and HP/LP of allies.



Weapons and Skills Commands that use a weapon or a weapon skill, Skills consume SP. Costs are to the right of the skill name.



Punch (Martial Skill) Attack with a martial skill Select the enemy to confirm.



Spell Use a spell. Select the target (enemy or ally) to confirm.



Defend/Flee Defend in battle, "Flee" is only available to the emperor.



Select on whom to use the item.

4. Commencing the Assault After commands are selected for all members. the battle starts. Monsters will also have the chance to attack. If a targeted monster is taken out before an attack is unleashed, another monster will be automatically selected.



#### 5. Post-Battle

The battle ends when all monsters are defeated. Rewards include technical points, which are distributed towards weapon and spell types used in that battle to level them up. Victory can also lead to status boosts such as HP increases.

## Status Ailments in Battle



You may be inflicted with a status ailment if hit by a monster. Battling with an ailment is dangerous, so try to cure it ASAP.

#### Status Ailment and Cures

Death	When LP becomes 0	Not curable
Petrify	Immobilized by petrification. HP & LP does not decrease	Cannot be cured in battle
ко	Knocked out at 0 HP. Further hits reduce LP	Medicine, Spells & Skills that heal HP
Paralyze	Immobilized by paralysis	Physic Water, Time
Sleep	Immobilized by sleep	Physic Water, Time, Being Hit
Stun	Pass turn without taking action	Not curable for one turn
Berserk	Cannot use spells or skills. ATK boost	Physic Water
Charm	Perform action as an enemy	Physic Water
Confuse	May fail to perform action. Sometimes disables commands.	Physic Water
Poison	Take damage at theend of turn from poison	Medicine, Physic Water
Dark	Eyes are clouded. Halves accuracy	Physic Water



## Weapon Types & Acquiring Skills





The weapons in this game are categorized.

The following explains weapon types and the skills that can be learned by using them in battle.

## Weapons and Characteristics

#### Sword/Great Sword



Sword A one-handed blade that is long and sharp, Lightweight and easy to handle, swords can typically lash out multiple quick attacks.



Great Sword Generally a large two-handed blade. The sheer size of these swords allows for skills that can dish out massive damage.



#### Axe/Mace



A one-handed weapon with low accuracy. Provides long-ranged and anti-plant type attacks.



#### Mace

A long weapon with a spiky tip. Includes hammers and staves. Has a vast set of special moves with bonus effects.

## Spear/Short Sword



A two-handed polearm with a sharp, bladed tip. Acquirable skills include piercing attacks



Short Sword Thin swords that are lightweight and can perform piercing attacks.

Easy to use with a large skill set.

## Bow

A two-handed weapon that specializes in long-ranged attacks. Difficult to wield, it can target all enemies or affect the mind.

### Martial Skill



Martial Skill Attacks that use bare hands and feet, Various skills can deal massive damage, but their power depends on the user.

#### Distribution of Tech Points

Skills differ by the weapon, but tech points will be distributed to the category of weapons used in battle. For example, if you use an axe, tech points will also boost your mace skill level.



## Learning Skills



Special moves differ for each weapon (sword, great sword, axe, mace, spear, short sword, bow, martial skill).

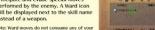
You can use the "Skill" command from the Menu Screen to see current skills learned.



As seen on the left, a weapon icon is displayed next to the skill name corresponding to the weapon type.

#### Ward Moves

There are Ward Moves that allow you to anticipate and evade special moves performed by the enemy. A Ward icon will be displayed next to the skill name instead of a weapon.



Note: Ward moves do not consume any of your combat resources.



### Two Ways of Learning

Skills differ from normal attacks because they have special or powerful effects. However, a character can only

learn up to eight moves. To learn another move when full, go to "Skill" in the menu to forget a skill.

#### Glimmers in Battle

Using the same weapon in a battle allows you to alimmer in battle. A lightbulb will appear before your attack, indicating you learned a new move. A learned skill can be forgotten. or else it stays with the character until death:

## Skill Dojo Training

Skills can also be learned from the Skill Dojo in the Avalon Castle, Talk to a scholar in the Skill Dojo and a list of weapons will appear.

Select the weapon of the skill to learn and confirm with the ○ button. Next, select the skill-to learn and confirm.

for ward moves

Then select a character to teach it to and press the O button to finish.

## Combat Spells



Spells are useful as they can be used to attack monsters or heal an ally. The following covers magic and spells.

#### Magic Compatibilit

There are five attributes of magic: terro, hydro, pyro, aero, and cosmo. Other than cosmology, magic has counterparts, as shown below. You cannot learn spells of one magic and its counter attribute E.G. If you have learned a pyro spell. you cannot learn a hydro spell until the pyro spell is forgotten and vice versa.



#### Attributes and Characteristics



The five magic schools have attributes and characteristics. There are also spells that combine two attributes being studied somewhere. Rumors say a lost log somewhere in the world also has records of ancient magic.



#### Powerful Pyrology

Powerful, offensive magic that uses intense flames. · Fireball · Self-immolation · Flame Whip and more



#### Soothing Hydrology

Magic that heals HP, cures ailments, and boosts defense. · Life Water · Physic Water · Mist Cover and more



#### Augmentive Terrology

Magic that buffs or debuff targets. · Gilden Strength · Entangle · Earth Heal and more



Magic that can cause indirect damage or absorb hits. · Blades of Wind · Air Screen · HP Absorb and more



#### Mysterious Cosmology

Boundless magic that uses the vast heavens. · Lightball · Moonlight · Sunlight and more











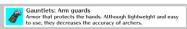
## **Armor Guide**

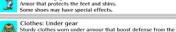


Armor protects you from enemy attacks and reduces damage. There are 11 types of armor, including shields and headgear.

Learn the characteristics of each type and equip your characters with the right gear.

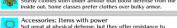
*	Shields: Blocks/Diverts attacks Shields can reduce damage and Guards can help you evade. No effect if using a two-handed weapon.
7	Helmets: Solid headgear Firmly protects the head. Strong against blunt attacks.
7	Hats: Special headgear Weaker against blunt attacks, but strong against magic. Many hats boost the mind or magic power.
***	Light Armor: Lightweight armour Thin armor to protect the chest. Recommended for classes that require nimble movement.
<b>***</b> *********************************	Heavy Armor: Sturdy armour Heavier than light armor, it provides extra defense. Great for heavyweight classes.
- West	Robes: Fabric for mages Light, comfortable, and tough clothes. Perfect gear for magic users.
*	Full Armor: Full body armor Highly defensive armor. Not suitable for non-heavyweight classes.





Greaves: Leg guards

effects or boost other stats.



Note: The icons below correspond to icons in the Menu Screens

