CresthavenRPG.com - Combat Reference Summary

Combat Round

- 1. Declare Actions (some modify initiative)
- 2. Roll Initiative (d20, highest goes first)
- 3. Take one action (Move, Spell, Attack, etc.)
- 4. Resolve Damage (if necessary)
- 5. Check Morale (fight, flee, surrender)
- 6. Repeat steps 1-5

Action Points:

Each character starts with 5 per round (some characters have more).

Spend 1 point for **Free Actions**: Drop an item, Speak

Spend 2 points for **Move Actions**: Crawl, Move (up to players movement), Stand, Go Prone

Spend 3 points for **Standard Actions:** Cast Spell, Melee Attack, Ranged Attack, Equip Item.

Spend 5 points for **Full Round Actions**: Delay, Full Attack, Run (double players movement).

Gain +3 points for spending a **Heroic Point**.

Casting Spells

Roll d20 + Casting Modifier vs DC 10 + Spell Cost/Level.

Spell Fail = spell fails, mana used.

Caster injured before turn to cast = spell interrupted, spell fails, mana used.

Attacking

Melee: Roll d20 + Strength + Weapon Bonus vs AC.

Ranged: Roll d20 + Dexterity + Ranged Bonus vs AC.

Range Penalties: -2 per additional short distance.

Critical Hit (20): Automatic hit, double damage or special effect.

Critical Fail (1): Fun effect (see critical fumble chart).

Resolving Damage:

Roll weapon damage dice + bonuses.

Double damage on Critical Hit (natural 20).

No Strength/Dexterity bonus for ranged damage.

Morale Check (DC 20 vs Wisdom/Morale):

Monster below 50% HP or 1/2 of monsters killed = make check or become **Broken** (Flee or Surrender)

Terrain and Obstacle Modifiers:

Elevated Terrain: Advantage for ranged attackers.

Light:

Darkness: Advantage for attackers with darkvision, disadvantage for others.

Bright Light: Disadvantage for hiding/sneaking.

Weather: Rain/Fog/Snow: -2 to attack rolls, visibility issues.

Cover: +2 to AC for 0-50% coverage, +4 for 50-99%.

Special Action Reference:

Charge (Full Action): One attack, Double movement, +2 attack, -2 AC next round.

Disarm (Standard Action): Opposed Strength checks, disarm on win.

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Grapple (Standard Action): Opposed Strength

checks, grapple on win.

Backstab (Thief/Halfling): Advantage + increased damage from behind and surprise. Must be hidden. Applies to first attack only.

Dropping Prone: +4 AC vs. ranged attacks (but vulnerable to melee).

Remember: This is a summary, scan the QR code to consult the full rules for more details:

