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WARHAMMER WELCOME TO BATTLE HONOURS

Battle Honours is designed to help newcomers get started in the Warhammer hobby.

In this booklet, you'll find activities covering the five keys to the Warhammer hobby:



Warhammer store, you'll set hobby goals to increase your Warhammer knowledge and skills, and use this booklet to track your progress.

Each set of activities will teach you more about the worlds of Warhammer, hone your skills, and get your miniatures ready. They're also all great fun! HOW TO USE THIS BOOKLET REWARDS WARHAMMER 40,000 WARHAMMER AGE OF SIGMAR **COLLECT ACTIVITIES BUILD ACTIVITIES** 12 **PAINT ACTIVITIES** 16 **PLAY ACTIVITIES** 20 **READ ACTIVITIES** 24 SHORT STORY EXCERPTS 28 **BRING A FRIEND** 35 WARHAMMER ALLIANCE

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THE DATE I STARTED:

MY WARHAMMER STORE:

<u>HOW TO USE THIS BOOKLET</u>

Using this booklet, alongside help and advice from the staff in your local Warhammer store, you'll learn about Warhammer 40,000 and Warhammer Age of Sigmar, setting goals and completing activities as you explore the Warhammer universes.

WALK YOUR OWN PATH

Battle Honours is designed to give you a well-rounded experience of the Warhammer hobby, and allows you to tailor your own journey as you explore it.

This booklet features lots of activities, split across Collect, Build, Paint, Play, and Read - the keys to the Warhammer hobby. Each section in the booklet has ten activities. Each activity earns you a stamp to mark your achievement. You can complete the activities and sections in whatever order you like. Complete any section to earn a reward.

When you have 30 stamps, you've reached your ultimate goal and completed Battle Honours!

GETTING STARTED

At the top of this page write your name, the date, and your local Warhammer store.

Remember to ask the store staff to stamp this and your other activities!

You can keep doing activities and collecting stamps after the first 30 to earn more rewards – and have more fun!



REWARDS

Every achievement should be celebrated, whether it's learning about the Warhammer universes, painting a miniature, or playing an exciting game with friends.

Show your accomplishments off with these exclusive rewards!

🔊 COLLECT

Collecting is fun – and every Warhammer collection is unique and special, whether you're collecting individual models for display or an army to use in games.

Complete the Collect activities to receive a pair of pin badges.



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🕉 BUILD

Warhammer boasts the finest miniatures ever made. Turn them from grey plastic parts on a frame into a glorious, complete models, ready to display, paint, and play with.

Complete the Build activities to receive a bits box to store your spare parts for later use.

🧭 PAINT

For many Warhammer fans, painting is one of their favourite parts of the hobby, whether your aim is to display your miniatures, use them in your games, or just as a creative and relaxing pastime in its own right.

Complete the Paint activities to receive a brush wallet to help keep your brushes in pristine condition.



All of your miniatures can be used to play exciting Warhammer games. Whether you're enjoying a small battle at home with friends or playing games against people from across the world at a large gaming event, there's a lifetime of fun to be had.

Complete the Play activities to receive a set of four Warhammer-themed dice.

) READ

Every miniature and every battle has a story behind it!

Whether reading about your latest miniatures in their codexes and battletomes, or delving into a new Black Library novel or audiobook, Warhammer is packed with epic stories.

Complete the Read activities to receive a bookmark to keep the place in your latest book.

COMPLETION

Finish 30 activities to complete the first step in your journey, and receive a certificate, plus a figure case to keep your Warhammer collection secure!



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You can keep doing activities and collecting stamps to earn the rest of the rewards. Your Warhammer journey will never be over – there are always new miniatures to collect, build, and paint, games to play, stories to read and friends to make!

DATE COMPLETED:

WARHAMMER 40,000

Prepare to plunge headlong into the grim darkness of the far future! This is your gateway to a vast and apocalyptic galaxy in which Humanity's Imperium fights for its very survival against myriad foes.

THE IMPERIUM

On more than a million worlds, Humanity is united in worship of the God-Emperor, who sits eternally upon His Golden Throne. Yet the Imperium's hold on the galaxy is tenuous, for in every star system, the fires of war burn. Alien warlords lead rampaging hordes determined to wipe out humanity. Traitor champions call upon the power of the Dark Gods of Chaos. Great storms sunder reality itself, monstrous Daemons emerging from them to feast on the souls of the unwary.

Standing against the darkness are the armies of the Imperium – the massed ranks and mighty war machines of the Astra Militarum, the technological marvels of the Adeptus Mechanicus, the fanatical Sisters of Battle, and foremost among them, the Space Marines.

SPACE MARINES

The elite Space Marines are the Imperium's first line of defence against all the galaxy's horrors. Each Space Marine is genetically enhanced to be stronger, faster, and braver than ordinary humans. Armed and armoured with the best weapons and equipment the Imperium can muster, there is no foe that the Space Marines cannot overcome.

There are hundreds of Space Marine Chapters across the Imperium, each of them with their own heraldry, fighting style, and legacy of honour. Some of these Chapters have been defending Humanity for ten thousand years, while others have been more recently founded to combat the ever-growing threats to the Imperium.

THE GAME

In games of Warhammer 40,000, two or more players each build and paint an army of miniatures and use them in tabletop battles, fighting to outmanoeuvre their foes and complete their mission objectives, for glory and the thrill of victory.

You can play games in a number of different ways to suit your tastes, such as competitive battles that will test your generalship skills to their limit, or forging a story for your army across a series of games with the Crusade system.

A game of Warhammer 40,000 is a spectacular and inspiring sight, with painted armies marching across a modelled battlefield as players roll dice and enjoy the camaraderie of a shared gaming experience.



IN THE GRIM DARKNESS OF THE FAR FUTURE THERE IS ONLY WAR

THE MINIATURES

Warhammer 40,000 armies are a spectacular sight, made up of massed squads of infantry, supported by a wide range of heroes, vehicles, and monsters. You can customise your army to use the miniatures you want – whether you prefer a speedy force of bikes and flyers, a stalwart gunline packed with heavy weapons, or a force heavy in mighty champions, you can create the army of your dreams.

You can paint your army to represent a famous faction from the Warhammer 40,000 universe, or let your imagination run wild and create your own. However you choose to craft your forces, you will find that this is a hobby filled with fun, excitement, and the satisfaction of creating a miniatures collection that you can be proud of for years to come.









FIND OUT MORE To learn more about Warhammer 40,000, the setting and the various factions, visit the website:



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Welcome to the Age of Sigmar, an era of war in which heroes, gods, and monsters clash for domination of the Mortal Realms. Prepare to immerse yourself in these fantastical worlds as you start your journey into the Warhammer hobby.

THE MORTAL REALMS

The Mortal Realms are eight elemental worlds, each filled with deadly monsters, perilous hazards, and long-hidden secrets. For centuries, these lands languished under the dominion of the Chaos Gods, primordial enemies of mortalkind. The Age of Chaos ended when the God-King Sigmar, who had once ruled the realms, sent forth his heavenly hosts on bolts of lightning to liberate mortals and reclaim his ancient empire.

These Stormcast Eternals are the God-King's greatest champions, heroes transformed into celestial immortals. They are the foremost warriors of the forces of Order, pitted against the many horrors that threaten mortalkind. Even death cannot claim them, for should they fall, their souls return to Sigmar's realm, Azyr, to be Reforged and sent back to war.

THE GRAND ALLIANCES

The many peoples and factions of the Mortal Realms are organised into four Grand Alliances, loose affiliations of warriors united by their shared goals.

Those dedicated to **Order** include humans, aelves, duardin, and the Stormcast Eternals, Sigmar's mighty champions. These heroes seek to cleanse the taint of **Chaos** from the Mortal Realms and establish great cities as bulwarks against the darkness.

Ranged against them are the dread warriors of Chaos, followers of dark gods who seek dominance over the realms. No less a threat are the unending legions of **Death**, who follow the will of the Great Necromancer Nagash, or the forces of Destruction.

The hordes of **Destruction** are a primal force of nature, who fight simply because they can.

THE GAME

Warhammer Age of Sigmar allows you to play fantasy battles on your tabletop, ranging from small-scale Vanguard clashes to massive engagements between hundreds of model warriors.

You can choose from dozens of factions across the Grand Alliances, from the lightningforged Stormcast Eternals to marauding hordes of Orruks and Ogors, massed ranks of skeletons commanded by sinister vampires, or hideous Daemons from beyond the bounds of reality itself.

Your games can range from close-matched competitive clashes using balanced forces and specially created missions, to narrative games that will tell a story - or even just putting all your miniatures on the table to enjoy a massive battle!

THIS IS THE TIME OF TURMOIL. THIS IS THE ERA OF WAR. THIS IS THE AGE OF SIGMAR

THE MINIATURES

How you engage with Warhammer Age of Sigmar is up to you, but it all revolves around your collection of miniatures. You might want to collect, build, or paint them, for fun or to take part in competitions. Maybe you'll create an all-conquering army and dominate the battlefields of the Mortal Realms. Perhaps you'll walk the Path to Glory, building your army as you play games and creating a narrative in your own corner of the realms.

Your Warhammer Age of Sigmar experience may be all of these things, or it may be something entirely of your own invention. However you choose to get involved, you will find that this is a hobby filled with fun, excitement, and the satisfaction of creating a miniatures collection that you can be proud of for years to come.







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BEGIN YOUR WARHAMMER JOURNEY

As you advance through this booklet, you'll level up your skills in the five keys to the Warhammer hobby - Collect, Build, Paint, Play, and Read. The Warhammer hobby has something for everyone.

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