



# CACTUS KID

## HOW TO CREATE A CHARACTER WITH EMMANUEL GUERRERO



- 1) Figure out your character's goals. Cactus Kid dreams of becoming the best wizard in the world. What does yours want?
- 2) What does your character wear and why? Does it make sense for where they live?
- 3) What makes your character sad? What makes them happy?
- 4) How does your character fit into their society? Do they have a job? I find figuring this out creates opportunities for new stories and for creating other characters.
- 5) Music is always helpful for rounding out your characters and understanding their points of view. What songs would your character like? Are they rebellious? If so, they might be really into punk music. Are they a cowboy? Maybe country music is on repeat. Try making a playlist.



We hope you enjoyed creating your own character! If you did, make sure you check out the Cactus Kid series!

