

RPG Abbreviations & Terms Handout

CCG/TCG = Collectible/Tradeable Card Game
CRPG = Computer-based RPG
CYOA = Choose Your Own Adventure
DM = Dungeon Master (D&D only)
GM = Game Master (all non-D&D RPGs)
LARP = Live-Action Role-Playing
PvP = Player vs. Player
PC = Player Character
NPC = Non-Player Character
RPG = Role-Playing Game (noun)
RPGs = Role-Playing Games (noun)
RPGer = Role-Playing Gamer (noun)
RPGing = Role-Playing Gaming (verb)
SABM = Solo Adventure Books/Modules
TRPG = Tabletop RPG (original RPG format)
PvP = Player versus Player
GvP = Group versus Player
GvG = Group versus Group
LARP = Live-Action Role-Playing
MMORPG = Massive Multiplayer Online RPG
PBP = Play by Post / Mail / E-mail / Forum

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