

Path of Primordials

Barbarian Subclass





Path of Ancient Forces

At 3rd level, you adopt the Path of Primordials, choose one primordial element: Fire, Water, Earth, or Air. Your choice grants you features at 3rd, 6th, 10th, and 14th level. Each time you gain a new barbarian subclass feature, you can choose to shift your connection and embrace a different elemental force from your original selection.

Elemental Rage

At 3rd level, when you enter a rage, you can manifest the power of your chosen primordial element:

- Fire. Flames erupt around you. Any creature that ends its turn within 5 feet of you takes fire damage equal to half your barbarian level.
- Water. You gain a swim speed equal to your walking speed, and you can breathe underwater.
- Earth. While raging, any bludgeoning, piercing, and slashing damage you take from nonmagical attacks is reduced by 2.
- Air. Protective gusts of wind encircle you. Ranged weapon attacks targeting you have disadvantage.

Elemental Surge

At 6th level, once during each of your turns while raging, when you hit a creature with a melee weapon attack, you can cause the attack to deal extra damage of your chosen element type. The extra damage is equal to your proficiency bonus.

- Fire. The attack deals extra fire damage.
- Water. The attack deals extra cold damage.
- Earth. The attack deals extra bludgeoning damage.
- Air. The attack deals extra lightning damage.

Primordial Presence

At 10th level, Your connection to the primordial elements allows you to manifest their powers even outside of your rage:

- Fire. You gain resistance to fire damage.
- Water. You can cast the water walk spell without expending a spell slot.
- Earth. You gain a burrow speed equal to half your walking speed.
- Air. You can cast the levitate spell on yourself without expending a spell slot.



Primordial Fury

At 14th level, when you rage, the elemental force within you erupts in overwhelming power:

- Fire. Your Elemental Rage fire damage increases to your barbarian level.
- Water. While raging, any creature that hits you with a melee attack takes cold damage equal to your Constitution modifier.
- Earth. When a creature hits you with a melee attack, the ground around you can erupt. The attacker must succeed on a Strength saving throw (DC = 8 + your proficiency bonus + your Constitution modifier) or be knocked prone.
- Air. Your reflexes and agility are heightened, allowing you to attack three times, instead of twice, whenever you take the Attack action on your turn.