

Kyle the Hook

Level - 12

STATS

ST - 05

PE - 08

EN - 05

CH - 03

IN - 04

AG - 07

LK - 06



Traits – Finesse, One Hander

Perks – Demolition Expert, Tag!

Tag Skills – Deception (90%), Traps (110%), Firearms (105%), Persuasion (70%)

Dialogue Info	
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Dialogue Name	15 Kyle
Creature Name	15Kyle

Example Dialogue Name: 02 Porter

Example Creature Name: 02Porter

Here's probably the most-commonly-used check script: `GetTotalSkill (PCSpeaker(),SKILL)`

You might want to set up an autocorrect option in word so you don't have to type out the whole thing (I have mine set up so if I type **gett** it spits out the above check with an `==1` at the end of it).

Try using "Avellone-style" node numbering. That's where you give the node a "number" that's actually a unique word, such as **TELLABOUTSELF**: for a node where the PC has asked an NPC to tell about himself. Just refer to that word with your Goto statements (like **Goto TELLABOUTSELF**:) and when you're all done with the dialogue you can do a global replace for that word with a real number. Doing this means that you can group nodes by topic in the dialogue file and not have to worry about renumbering if you have to insert another node later.

If you use this method, be sure to make the word something that is unique and won't accidentally be used in other parts of the dialogue; **ASSHOLEINSULT** is a good word, just **ASSHOLE** isn't because if a node has a character actually saying "asshole" the global search would catch that, too. You can also use a colon character at the end of the unique word like I did in the **TELLABOUTSELF**: example, above. Whatever you do, don't use a number all by itself as a placeholder like this ... I learned the hard way that some numbers pop up everywhere and doing a global replace on them totally screws up your dialogue!

For an example of this method, check out the Avellone_Dialogue_Example_Ordor.doc file in Tools/Design/Documents on sourcesafe (the same place you find this dialogue template file).

Journal entry table

Column 1 is the journal entry number (starting with 1 and increasing by 1 each time)

Column 2 is the quest ID (which the Dialogue Editor generates for you when you enter the dialogue name into the stringtable.

Column 3 is the actual text that'll appear in the PC's journal. It should be written in first-person ("I this, I that, they did something to me.")

1		
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Experience Table

Column 1 is the XP entry number (starting with 1 and increasing by 1 each time)

Column 2 is the XP amount for that entry. We haven't defined how we're describing this just yet and I don't know if we're going to use the FR6 system, so for now just put "low", "medium", or "high" and assume it'll be tailored to the PC's level somehow..

Column 3 is the actual text that'll appear in the text window during gameplay. It should be written in second-person ("You gain 500 XP for killing all the humans.")

1		
2		

3

Node 1			
	Comment	Starting Conditions	
	Reply 1		
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Link 1	Goto 9	
	Comment	Third time after warning time	
	Condition	GetGlobal("12_Third_Time")==1	
	Action		
	Link 2	Goto 8	
	Comment	Second time	
	Condition	GetGlobal("15_talked_kyle")==1	
	Action		
	Link 3	Goto 2	
	Comment	First time	
	Condition	GetGlobal("15_talked_kyle")==0	
	Action	SetGlobal("15_talked_kyle",1)	

2) First Time (SC)

Node 2: First Time			
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	NodeText 1	Holy <SHIT>, what brahmin pinched <i>you</i> out its <ASS>? Why you botherin' Kyle the Hook, anyways? Go talk to Sid over there if you wanna trade – I ain't got time to <DICK> around.	

	Comment	If PC is hideously ugly; i.e. <3 CH. And Bear is not dead.		
	Condition	GetPrimaryAttribute (PCSpeaker(), PRIMARYATTRIBUTE_CHARISMA) <3		
	Action	SetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC",1)		
	NodeText 2	Who the <FUCK> are ya and why ya talkin' to Kyle the Hook?		
	Comment	If CH is >=3		
	Condition	GetPrimaryAttribute (PCSpeaker(), PRIMARYATTRIBUTE_CHARISMA) >=3		
	Action			
	Reply 1	Uh, yeah... So, Sid told me you're the leader of the Rusty Hooks. I've some questions about you and your gang.		
	Comment	A non-dumb response for being an ugly sucker		
	Condition	ISSmartPC() && GetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC")==1 && GetGlobal("15_Rusty_Hooks")>0		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 3		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	Me never be in Brahmin butt . Sid said you leader, you know stuff.		
	Comment	Dumb response for being an ugly sucker		
	Condition	ISDumbPC() && GetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC")==1 && GetGlobal("15_Rusty_Hooks")>0		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 4		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 3	Me <CHARNAME>. Me ask questions.		
	Comment	A dumb response		

	Condition	ISDumbPC() && GetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC") < 1		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 6		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 4	I'm <CHARNAME>. I'd like to ask you some questions.		
	Comment	A non-dumb response		
	Condition	ISSmartPC()		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 7		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 5	Kyle the Hook? I've a bounty on your head I intend to collect.		
	Comment	A non-dumb response for being an ugly sucker		
	Condition	ISSmartPC() && GetGlobal("12_kyle_Bounty")==2		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 3		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 6	You Kyle the Hook? You me bounty, make <CHARNAME> money with Kyle's head.		
	Comment	Dumb response for being an ugly sucker		
	Condition	ISDumbPC() && GetGlobal("12_kyle_Bounty")==2		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 10		
	Comment			

	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 7	Goodbye.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 8	Me no brahmin poo. Me pull your lungs through nose. Me think more fun.		
	Comment	A dumb response & fight!		
	Condition	ISDumbPC() && GetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC")==1		
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty() AddEntry(0, TaskDescriptionID)		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 9	Callin' me Brahmin <SHIT>? How about I just punch your nose into the back of your skull, instead?		
	Comment	A non-dumb response & fight!		
	Condition	ISSmartPC() && GetGlobal("15_Fugly_PC")==1		
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty() AddEntry(0, TaskDescriptionID)		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			

	Action		
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3) Non-dumb questions (02)

Node 3: Non-dumb questions			
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	NodeText 1	Sid said that, did he? I'll have to have a talk with that slop talkin' hag <SHIT>. Look, I ain't got time for your. Go bother Bear or big-mouth Sid with <SHIT> like that.	
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Reply 2	I think you might want to answer my questions – I know about Bear's heart bomb.	
	Comment		
	Condition	GetGlobal("15_sid_confess") > 0	
	Action		
	Link 1	Goto 5	
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Reply 2	Goodbye.	
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Link 1		
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Reply 3	You know what? I don't like your attitude. I think you require a permanent adjustment.	

	Comment	Attack!		
	Condition			
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

4) dumb questions (02)

Node 4: dumb questions				
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	Sid said that, did he? Yeah, I know <i>stuff</i> , but I sure as <SHIT> ain't tellin' you. Now get the hell away from me before I up your intelligence with a bullet in your brain.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 1	Goodbye.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	You got nasty poo-poo mouth. Me clean your poo-poo mouth!		
	Comment	Attack!		

	Condition			
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

5) >140 Persuade (03)

Node 5: > 140 Persuade				
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	WHAT?! Did Sid tell you? I'll kill that old waste-billy! Now, I suggest ya leave this place faster than ya got here before me and the Hooks use ya for target practice!		
	Comment	Start cut scene having Kyle go over and shoot Sid in the face.		
	Condition			
	Action	SetGlobal("15_kyle_kill_sid",1)		
	Reply 1	Goodbye.		
	Comment	Start cut scene where Kyle walks up to Sid and shoots him in the face.		
	Condition			
	Action			
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	Kinda tough to hit a target that hits back. Time to die!		
	Comment	Attack!		

	Condition			
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

6) dumb questions not ugly (02)

Node 4: dumb questions not ugly				
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	<CHARNAME>, is it? Dumb name for a dumb <FUCK>. Look, Kyle the Hook ain't got time to answer questions from a <SHIT> brain like you. Now <i>git</i> before I get nasty.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 1	Goodbye.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	You got nasty poo-poo mouth. Me clean your poo-poo mouth!		
	Comment	Attack!		
	Condition			

	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

7) Non-dumb questions & not ugly (02)

Node 7: Non-dumb questions & not ugly				
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	And I'd like to bash you in the skull with a bag of brahmin nuts. Look, Kyle the Hook's too busy to answer <DIPSHIT> questions from a wanderin' waste-billy. Go waste Bear or Sid's time. Now git!		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	I think you might want to answer my questions – I know about Bear's heart bomb, Kyle.		
	Comment			
	Condition	GetGlobal("15_sid_confess") < 2		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 5		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	Goodbye.		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

	Link 1		
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	Reply 3	You know what? I don't like your attitude. I think you require a permanent adjustment.	
	Comment	Attack!	
	Condition		
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()	
	Link 1		
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		

8) Second Time (SC)

Node 8: Second Time			
	Comment		
	Condition		
	Action		
	NodeText 1	You again? What part of <FUCK OFF> don't ya get? I got an itchy trigger finger and your head looks like a prime target. Now get the <FUCK> away from me before I lose it! This is your last warnin'.	
	Comment	Not dummy	
	Condition	ISSmartPC()	
	Action	SetGlobal("12_Third_Time",1)	
	NodeText 2	Not you again. What is it, you not understandin' the phrase, <FUCK OFF>? I'm through bein' nice, ya slow sack of slug <SHIT>. Now git before me and the gang start shootin'! And I ain't telling ya again.	

	Comment	dummy		
	Condition	ISDumbPC()		
	Action	SetGlobal("12_Third_Time",1)		
	Reply 1	But wait, I...		
	Comment	Not dummy		
	Condition	ISSmartPC()		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 9		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 2	Me want...		
	Comment	dummy		
	Condition	ISDumbPC()		
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 9		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 3	Good bye		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Link 1	Goto 9		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 4	That's it, you're dead.		
	Comment	Attack!		
	Condition			

	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

9) But I... & Me want... (8)

Node 9: But I... & Me want...				
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	SHUT IT! I warned you about talkin' to Kyle the Hook, now you're gonna pay for your idiocy. Hooks, kill this piece of <SHIT>!		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 4	Uh-oh...		
	Comment	Attack!		
	Condition			
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			

10) Bounty hunt (2)

Node 9: But I... & Me want...				
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	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	NodeText 1	Hey Hooks, we got another bounty hunter gunnin' for yours truly. How about we welcome him with a burst or two of bullets?		
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			
	Reply 4	Uh-oh...		
	Comment	Attack!		
	Condition			
	Action	SetMyTeamEnemyToParty()		
	Link 1			
	Comment			
	Condition			
	Action			