

## Ethium Language Primer

The Ethium language is ancient, flowing, and musical. Words are formed from soft consonants and layered vowel sounds. Magic is triggered not by force, but by correct arrangement and intent.

### Core Activation Words

Aethra Lumis — Creates light from a stone Vaelum Thrae — Activates healing pool Vaelum Thrae  
Ethium — Full healing effect Kaelith Vorn — Binds an item to a stone

### Core Word Meanings

Aethra — energy, light Vaelum — life, restoration Kaelith — binding, linking Lumis — illumination  
Thrae — flow, release Vorn — connection, channel Ethium — the source magic

### Additional Words (for expansion)

Draeth — power, surge Selum — protection Orin — focus Thael — transformation Velis — sensing, awareness Morra — corruption Elyn — calm, balance

### Simple Language Rules

1. Words are usually spoken in pairs 2. The first word defines intent (light, life, binding) 3. The second word defines action (release, connect, flow) 4. Adding 'Ethium' strengthens or completes the effect 5. Incorrect combinations may cause unstable or partial effects

### Examples of New Combinations

Aethra Vorn — Light that follows or binds to an object Vaelum Selum — Protective healing aura  
Kaelith Orin — Strengthens focus between item and wielder Draeth Lumis — Bright flash or burst of energy  
Velis Aethra — Detect nearby Ethium energy

### DM Guidance

Encourage players to experiment with combinations. If they invent a new phrase, reward creativity with a small or unstable magical effect. Garnel can provide hints or partial translations. Keep effects simple and fun rather than complex.