

The Master Skill Book Concept

The 'Master Skill Book' is a virtual book in which the owner can write down certain skills he or she encountered in battle, using a magical ink which allows the owners to use the skill themselves. Once bound to a book, it will never leave your side again and thus follows you where-ever you go (might be nice for an animation, a book following your character).

Step 01:

- Every character can buy (only) one (non-tradable, non-dropable, non-stackable and non-storable) 'Master Skill Book' with 10 empty pages.
- In addition to the book can a player also buy or make a 'Writing Feather', 'magical ink' and 'ink remover'.

Step 02:

- Some bosses in-game possess a unique 'master' skill based upon their race, element, etc. .
- A player can, only upon defeating an enemy boss doing more than 30% of the total damage done upon it and if it carries a Writing Feather and the necessary 'magical inks' which this unique 'master' skill requires, use the 'Use Master Skill Book' skill, which copies the unique skill to an empty page of its Master Skill Book.
- The skills obtainable this way are ONLY obtainable this way.
- Using the 'Use Master Skill Book' skill consumes the inks necessary for the Master Skill

Step 03:

- The Master Skills added to the 'Master Skill Book' are accessible from the Skill Window and can thus be used from there or be dragged to the shortcut bar.
- The 'Use Master Skill Book' skill is only usable when there is at least one empty page left in the book. If the book is full you can remove skills by using the 'Ink remover' upon a page of choice.

Extra info

- You can, if you want, make more powerful skills take up multiple pages.
- The inks needed are defined by the skill you want to copy.
- The limit on the damage as described in step 02 is to prevent low levels from gaining all skills by leeching from parties.
- A timer is needed in which the player can successfully use the 'Use Master Skill Book' skill after the boss died.
- You can make ink be mixable (see Hal's Chemistry Concept)
- There are multiple colours of ink which may vary in price and rarity
- The 30% damage done in step 02 might be replaced by a limit in levels between the player and its party/team and the player and the boss monster.

Player Example

Player 'Chelsea' logs onto her level 49 character 'ShellC' and buys a 'Master Skill Book'

This enables 'ShellC' to use the 'Use Master Skill Book'-skill.

'ShellC' also buys 1 'Writing Feather', 1 'Yellow Magic Ink', 3 'Black Magic Ink' and 2 'Ruby Ink'

'ShellC' checks her schedule for the day and sees she has a fight-date with 5 Boss Monsters.

Name	Property	Description	Level	Obtainable Skill	Requirements
Herbus	Human - Normal	A greedy robber	40	Greed	3 Black Mink
Rogforth	Cheese - Smell	A smelly cheese from Thranse	80	Smell Cannon	1 Yellow Mink, 1 Ruby Mink
Rockella	Rock - Brute	An all-crushing rock on the lose	55	none	
Lightblub	Lightning - Water	An electric charged Blub	30	Discharge	2 Yellow Ink
Lucifare	Fire - Demon	The devil's embodiment on earth	50	Hellfire	1 Black Mink, 2 Ruby Mink

1. ShellC meets up with her friends FredDoh (lvl 45), Kukulura (lvl 71) and lianna (lvl 50) and hunts Herbus down (in party/team).
After 'Herbus' falls she uses the 'Use Master Skill Book'-skill before the 10 sec timer expires, but because she is out of the level range of Kukulura, a message, "You are out of the party's level-range", appears.
2. Kukulura leaves the party and together with an party-uninvited healer, Meeson, they manage to kill 'Rogforth'. Again before the times runs out she uses the 'Use Master Skill Book'-skill. But because she is out of range with Rogforth's level, a message, "You are out of the monster's level-range", appears.
3. ShellC, FredDoh and lianna climb their way up to Rockella, the raging boulder. Once they have crumbled Rockella ShellC uses the skill once again, but because Rockella has no obtainable skill a message, "No available skills", appears.
4. Once back down the mountain ShellC and her friends pay a visit to Lightblub. After Lightblub's battery died, ShellC uses the skill once again. This time she doesn't have the items required for the obtainable skill on her and a message, "Not the right materials for writing down the skill", appears.
5. Far from being discouraged, ShellC decides to finish her list and visits Lucifare. After Lucifare is vanquished she uses the skill once more before the timer runs out. A selection window pops up containing the available obtainable skill's names. She selects the name and confirms the skill. The skill is now in her book at the first available empty page.

ShellC can now use the skill from the skill windows as well as drag it to the shortcut bar.

When all pages are full and she tries to write another skill down a message, "Pages are full", appears.

And ShellC has to clear a page by using the useable item 'Ink remover' and selecting the page she wants to clear.