

Executioners

“And we shall know no fear!”

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What are the Space Marines? The Space Marines are the Emperor’s Angels of Death. They are genetically, biologically, and mechanically augmented to be the most elite warriors capable of delivering the Emperor’s wrath to the enemies of mankind. They are few in number compared to the untold trillions that make up the Imperium, but their legends are known by all. Space Marines go to war with heavy power armour and a variety of weapons for to handle any foe.

Army Difficulty 1-5: 1. Space Marines are incredibly durable. They can specialize to focus on one aspect of warfare, or bring versatile units that can handle nearly any situation. The only difficulty is for a new player to decide which units to use out of the enormous quantity added to their roster throughout the many years of 40k!

Strengths: This army is incredibly durable and versatile. Your Firstborn Marines can swap weapons during deployment, allowing for maximum flexibility and most can score any objective, even when outnumbered and surrounded on all sides! The Primaris are more durable, resisting Ld debuffs, being overwhelmed in combat, and can shrug off the worse of injuries thanks to their Transhuman Physiology!

Weaknesses: The army does not have any sacrificial units or cannon fodder to draw the enemy into traps. Using the many specialty units and the overall flexibility of this army will allow you to hold the enemy in position until you are ready to strike, or to pull back and fight on your own terms.

Army Abilities: The Space Marines have a series of special rules that set them apart from the rest of the Codexes in the 40k settings. You will find them listed here to save on repetitive sections. Reference this section when consulting their rules.

Adjusted Tactics – During Deployment, after you have seen the Army Roster your opponent is bringing, this model may swap its current weapon(s) for legal weapon options equal to or less than the current point costs. For example, a Tactical Marine may swap its Plasma Gun for a Flamer because it costs less points.

Bolter Discipline – This model always counts as being in half range when firing Rapid Fire weapons that have Bolter as long as it did not Move or does not count as Moving during your Movement Phase.

Know No Fear - This unit automatically passes Pinning Tests, Rally Tests, and Fear Tests. They still will fall back if they lose Combat Resolution.

Tactical Squads - Each unit with this rule may declare they are forming their own units during your Command Phase. They may split up as low as two models per unit. Units must be placed within Unit Coherency during Deployment.

They may instead merge back into bigger units but may not exceed maximum unit size or merge with units other than their own unit name. If they do so, all suffered Wounds stack onto the most wounded models in the form of Mortal Wounds. If there are more to stack then remaining Wounds on a model, nominate another model to suffer these remaining Mortal Wounds. Independent Characters can never pass on Wounds or take on Wounds for a unit in this fashion.

Transhuman Physiology – This model has a 5+ Feel No Pain.

Chapters

Space Marines form Chapters, each with their own traditions and combat doctrines that dictate how they conduct war in the 40k universe. Each Chapter has specialty rules that make the army more immersive to their lore and specialize their abilities on the battlefield. Your entire army **MUST** be from the same Chapter. Unique models will have the key word for which Chapter they must belong to if any.

Executioners:

- Foe Hunters: All models in your army gain Furious Charge but must declare Charges if they can legally Charge in the Assault Phase. Your units cannot perform Shooting or Advances if it would invalidate declaring a Charge within 12”.
- Unrelenting Ferocity: All models in your army gain Scout.

HQ 1-2 Slots

High Chaplain Thulsa Kane Thulsa	M WS BS S T W I A Ld Sv 6 2+ 2+ 4 4 6 4 5 10 3+	Points: 286 Composition: 1 Chaplain
Wargear Thulsa: Plasma Pistol Crozius Arcanum The Lifetaker Frag Grenades Krak Grenades Grehdalin's Bones Rosarius	Options	Rules Thulsa: Independent Character Infantry Unique Chief Chaplain Executioners Know No Fear Objective Secured Shock Assault Aenigmata Ferrum – 6" Aura, this model and target unit may reroll 1s To Wound. Canticle of Hate – 6" Aura, this model and target unit treat Rapid Fire # weapons as Assault # weapons. Honour of the Chapter – 6" Aura, this model and target unit gain Stubborn. Litany of Intimidation - 6" Aura, target unit takes Ld Tests on 3d6, discarding the lowest die. Zealot – This model may reroll all failed To Hit rolls on the Phase it Charged or was Charged.
Special Wargear: Grehdalin's Bones – Enemy models cannot reroll To Wound this model. Rosarius – 4+ Invulnerability Save	Special Wargear Upgrades:	

Selection	Name	Range	S	AP	Rules
P	Plasma Pistol	12	7	2+	Pistol 1, Gets Hot!
M	Crozius Arcanum	Melee And Flame	+2 And 5	4+ And 4+	Concussion And Assault 1, One Use Only
M	The Life Taker	Melee	+2	2+	Auxiliary, Extra Attack 1

G	Frag Grenades	8	3	-	Grenade 1, 3" Blast
G	Krak Grenades	8	6	4+	Grenade 1, Nonblast