

Drake

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Description of my own HTF, Drake the dragon. I am working on a story including him, so consider this an introduction.

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Description

Drake is a red dragon. Like most Happy Tree Friends, he has buckteeth and a heart-shaped nose. However, the teeth are pointed, not rectangular. He has a pointed tail and wings, which are usually folded up on his back. For some reason, he has a scar shaped like the classical symbol for fire (a triangle pointing upwards) on his forehead. Drake is somewhat more durable than other Happy Tree Friends, due to his hard scales, transparent but tough eye-covering membrane, sturdy internal organs, and heat resistance.

Personality

He is kind and smart, but somewhat introverted, although he is good friends with Flaky, Giggles, and Sniffles. In his spare time he plays video games, studies things he's interested in, or just sits on a chair, lost in thought. Like many dragons, he seeks treasure, although he isn't greedy about it.

There is, however, another side of Drake. If he is in danger, or if his friends are in trouble or dead, Drake changes. He grows claws on his hands and feet, his scales harden even more, his wings unfurl (if they're folded), his scar glows as if it were made of fire, and his eyes narrow. This form is called "Draco". As Draco, he acts to help himself and/or his friends (or, if it's too late, avenge them). While aggressive, he is not a raging psycho like Evil Flippy; he is focused on his goal. Draco has super speed and super-hot fire breath. His hide and eye membrane are more or less invincible in this form. His internal organs are tougher, as well, although they could be crushed by sufficient force (like slamming into a cliff at Mach Two). He may have other, stranger powers.

With all these powers, you would think Drake would stay as Draco all the time. However, Draco's powers require a lot of exertion. If Drake stays as Draco for a long time, or transforms many times in a short period of time, he gets exhausted. If he really overdoes it, he may pass out or even die.