

## Shale Artesian Luos

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### 1. Introduction



**Story Role:** Main Character

**Bio:** Shale is a duplicitous and cunning young bounty hunter who, unbeknownst to his peers, just happens to be one of the worlds most wanted thieves. Wielding a morphing tree-sword and a mysterious black blade, Shale is on journey to hunt down and steal the spirit energies—known as élangs—from the most powerful, super-thieves on Seda.

Shale appears confident and heroic on the surface, but is actually very insecure of his abilities. His general anxiety and need to be perfect hint at a deeper inner struggle that stems from his turbulent past.

## 2. Profile

**Full Name:** Shale Artesian Luos

**Age:** 21

**Birthdate:** Evanasmay 9<sup>th</sup>, 1908 [D.A.W.N.]

**Eye Color:** Teal

**Hair:** White and Cadet-Blue

**Height:** 5' 8"

**Weight:** 150 lbs

**Race:** Hybrid: Human Nus + Kersp Mage

**Blood Type:** A

**Origin:** Northeastern Navian City by the Gaia Sea

**Élan Archetype:** Jogadi

**Primary Élan:** Neo Bonsai

**Secondary Élan:** The Bonded Élan Kosmos

**Alchemic Level:** Lv.57

**Dialect:** Evasive and vague in normal interactions; Self-Sure, aversive, and to the point during activities tied to his goals, wants, or needs.

**Education Level:** Post-Secondary Specialty Schooling at Navian Élan Academy.

**Job/Duties:** B-Class Élan Hunter.

**Income:** 250N (N = Notes) weekly base pay that covers food, travel, and lodging. Additional income is earned by capturing élan thieves and earning their bounties, which can range from 500N to 10,000N in the B-Class.

**Story Motive:** Track down and defeat powerful élan thieves in order to steal their élan and merge them with his own.

**Hobby:** Growing and maintaining special bonsai trees and using them to create various potions, tonics, and elixirs;

### 3. Backstory

#### **Synopsis:**

Born and raised on the Navian Shores, Shale's early life was pleasant. However, at the age of 4 when his mother suddenly ran away from their family, Shale felt the impact and pain of loss for the first time. At age 11, Shale set out to find her on his own and discovered the dark secret she held—her possession of an illegal spirit energy known as the Kosmos élan—which drove her to leave them so long ago. Vowing to help her break free from the illegal élan, Shale joined his mother and traveled to Tanu where they could hunt élan thieves and obtain the power they needed....

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*Note that this is just a sample of the story and full details concerning the plot and all characters will be revealed when the manga is released.*