

# TEAM EDWARD

I RUN WITH VAMPIRES...

Edward Cullen (born Edward Anthony Masen, Jr., on June 20, 1901 in Chicago, Illinois) is a vampire and a member of the Olympic Coven. He is the husband of Bella Swan and the father of Renesmee Cullen. Edward is the adoptive son of Carlisle and Esme Cullen, as well as the son-in-law of Charlie Swan and Renée Dwyer. He is the adoptive brother of Emmett and Alice Cullen, and Rosalie and Jasper Hale.

## physical appearance

Edward is noted to be extremely attractive. His facial features are described as perfect and angular - high cheekbones, a strong jawline, a straight nose and full lips. His hair, which is always messy, retains the unusual bronze shade that he inherited from his biological mother, Elizabeth Masen. His eyes, once green, are now described as topaz or liquid gold. His appearance changes if he goes long without feeding: his eyes darken, becoming black, and purple bruise-like shadows appear beneath his eyes. Edward stands at 6'2", and has a slender but muscular body, remaining frozen physically at seventeen years old, though he is technically over a hundred.

## personality and traits

Edward is usually described as brooding and stubborn, but also very kind and compassionate. Bella also describes him as charming, polite, and determined. He easily dazzles human females with his beauty, scent and body, and persuades them to do his bidding. He always puts Bella's safety, humanity and welfare before anything else, and goes to great lengths to protect her from what he sees as danger. Edward is also romantic at heart. He often over analyzes situations and has a tendency to overreact, especially in situations where Bella's safety is potentially at risk.

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## powers and abilities

Edward is the fastest vampire in the Cullen family. He and Jasper are the best fighters in their coven, though they are not the strongest. As a vampire, he has sharp senses, superhuman strength, speed, endurance, healing factor, and agility. He describes himself as the most dangerous predator in the world whereas his appearance, scent and voice are enormously attractive to his prey. Edward explains that vampires do not need to breathe. He cannot digest human food and compares it to humans eating dirt. He also compares his family's vegetarian diet to a human only eating tofu. It gives them the same strength as the blood of humans but never fully satisfies them enough.



# TEAM JACOB

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Jacob Black is a La Push shape-shifter or “werewolf”, former Beta of the Uley pack, and Alpha of his own. He is a Quileute Native American. In *Twilight* he is fifteen years old, and in *New Moon* he phases into a wolf for the first time at the age of sixteen. In *Breaking Dawn*, he imprints on the hybrid baby named Renesmee Cullen, the daughter of Edward Cullen and Bella Swan.

## physical appearance

Growing from 5'10 to 6'7 within one year, Jacob is the tallest character in the series, towering over Alice by nearly three feet and describing her as about the size of one of his arms. He is of Native American descent and in *Twilight* had a lanky build and wore his long hair in a ponytail. Though he looked too tall for his age, he had a hint of childish roundedness to his chin. Around the time when he started to phase, his body grew tremendously thick, toned and muscular, similar to that of a serious bodybuilder, though balanced by his tremendous height so he doesn't look out of proportion. In *New Moon*, upon discovering his shape-shifter powers and joining the Quileute pack, he crops his long black hair short. Jacob is also said to be extremely handsome, with dark good looks, raven-black hair, russet skin and deep-set twinkling dark brown eyes.

## personality and traits

Generally, Jacob is very friendly, playful, carefree and caring to the people around him. He would go to any extent to protect those he loves most, most obvious in *Breaking Dawn* when he disbands from his pack and sacrifices everything to protect Bella. He is to be somewhat sarcastic, and has a bad temper. He was also very hostile toward Edward, even before he phased, but they eventually come to terms with each other. His cheerful attitude is what attracts Bella.



## powers and abilities

Jacob can phase in and out of wolf form. With practice and skill, one can morph faster and with more efficiency, with Jacob being the one exception, being able to phase in mid-jump. Werewolves have the ability to imprint, which is falling in love with someone. When a werewolf imprints, it seems as if time stops and gravity doesn't hold them to Earth. They are instead held by the person they have imprinted on. A werewolf is unable to control the outcome of imprinting.

