ASTROS
Consultoría Astrológica



BASIC VOCABULARY

Basic astrology guide

Planets · signs · houses · aspects

THE SKY BEHIND EVERY STORY

01 / GETTING STARTED

What is a birth chart?

A birth chart (or natal chart) is a picture of the sky at the exact moment you were born, viewed from your birthplace. It is like a symbolic map of your soul, showing your potential, talents, challenges and the path toward fulfillment.

FOUR BUILDING BLOCKS FOR READING YOUR CHART

01
Planets
Psychological functions and energies at work within you.

02
Signs
The style through which the planets express themselves.

03
Houses
The areas of life where these energies unfold.

04
Aspects
The way the planets interact with one another.

Astrology is about awareness, not a fixed destiny. Your chart is a guide, not a verdict.

The planets

Each planet symbolizes a function of your personality. Think of them as actors in a play, each with a distinct style and role.

☉	**Sun** Your essence and vitality	Purpose, identity, will
☾	**Moon** Your emotional world	Security, intuition, the past
☿	**Mercury** Your mind and communication	Thought, language, learning
♀	**Venus** Your values and affections	Love, beauty, pleasure, relationships
♂	**Mars** Your energy and action	Desire, drive, self-assertion, struggle

The planets · continued

♃ **Jupiter**
Your growth and sense of meaning
Beliefs, abundance, philosophy

♄ **Saturn**
Your structure and responsibility
Boundaries, maturity, commitment

♅ **Uranus**
Your originality and rebelliousness
Change, innovation, awakening

♆ **Neptune**
Your sensitivity and inspiration
Dreams, art, spirituality, escapism

♇ **Pluto**
Your inner power and transformation
Crisis, symbolic death, rebirth

03 / THE SIGNS

The 12 zodiac signs

The signs are archetypes that express different ways of being. Each planet manifests through the sign it occupies, as though putting on its own costume.

♈	**Aries** Fire · Cardinal	Impulsive, courageous, direct
♉	**Taurus** Earth · Fixed	Steady, sensual, persevering
♊	**Gemini** Air · Mutable	Curious, versatile, communicative
♋	**Cancer** Water · Cardinal	Emotional, protective, sensitive
♌	**Leo** Fire · Fixed	Creative, generous, expressive
♍	**Virgo** Earth · Mutable	Analytical, helpful, perfectionistic

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The signs · continued

♎	**Libra** Air · Cardinal	Harmonious, diplomatic, aesthetic
♏	**Scorpio** Water · Fixed	Intense, profound, transformative
♐	**Sagittarius** Fire · Mutable	Adventurous, wise, optimistic
♑	**Capricorn** Earth · Cardinal	Ambitious, responsible, strategic
♒	**Aquarius** Air · Fixed	Rebellious, innovative, humanitarian
♓	**Pisces** Water · Mutable	Dreamy, compassionate, spiritual

04 / THE HOUSES

The 12 astrological houses

If the planets are the who and the signs are the how, the houses answer the where in your chart. They represent specific areas of life.

01	Identity, appearance, social persona
02	Resources, values, money, self-worth
03	Communication, siblings, immediate surroundings
04	Home, family, roots, inner life
05	Creativity, children, romance, expression
06	Daily work, health, service

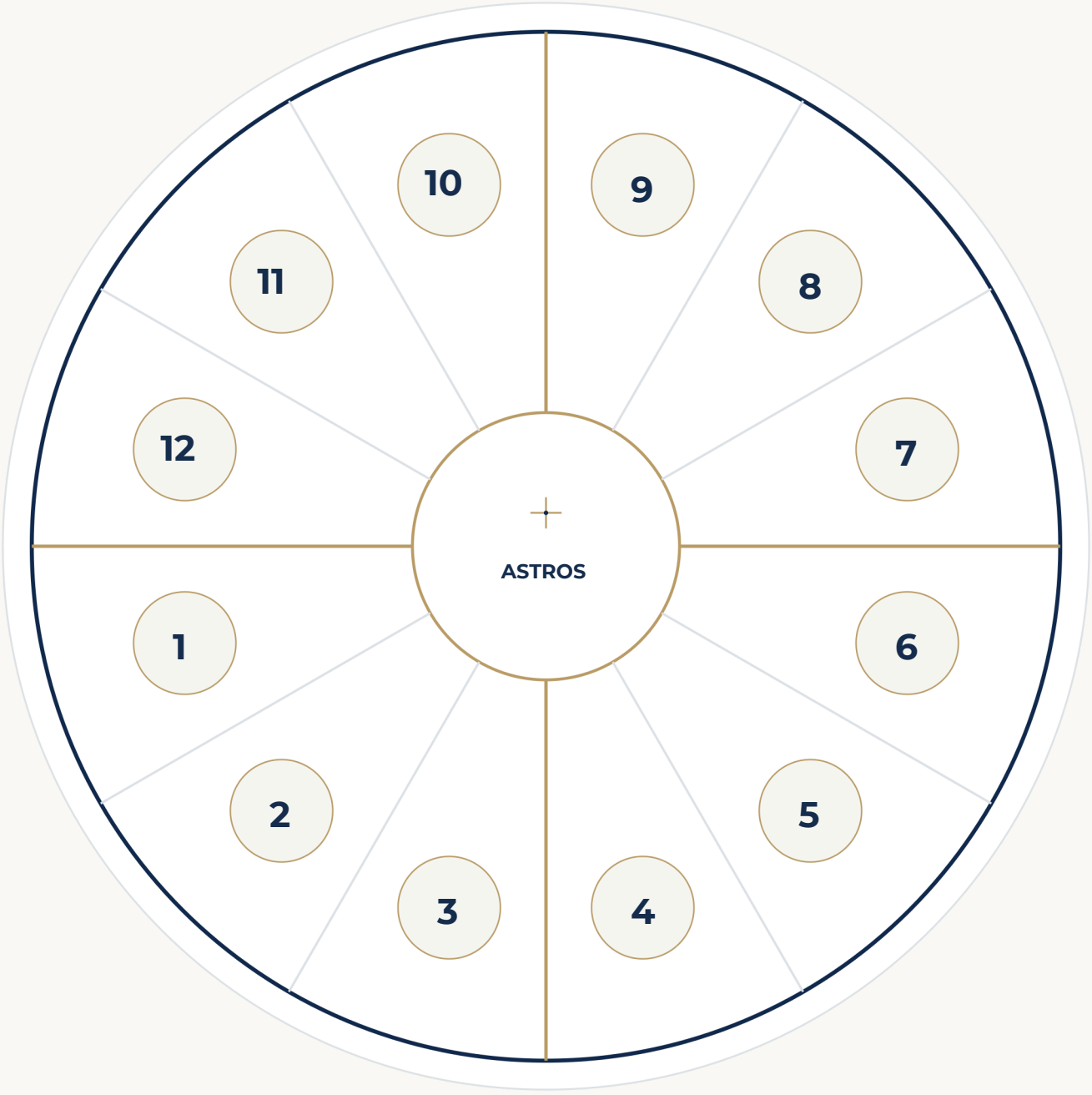
The houses · continued

07	Partnerships, relationships, alliances
08	Sexuality, transformation, inheritances
09	Philosophy, higher education, travel
10	Career, vocation, public image
11	Friendships, shared ideals, networks
12	The unconscious, spirituality, retreat

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The house wheel

A simple visual guide to locating the twelve houses in a birth chart.



House 1 begins on the left, below the horizontal axis. From there, the houses progress downward and around the wheel.

05 / THE ASPECTS

The aspects

Aspects are the angles formed between planets in your chart. They are like inner dialogues: some flow easily, others create tension, but all are essential to your evolution.

☌	0°	**Conjunction** Fusion of energies	Intensity, integration or conflict
△	120°	**Trine** Harmonious flow	Talent, ease, natural gifts
⚹	60°	**Sextile** Opportunity, collaboration	Potential available when you use it
□	90°	**Square** Inner tension	Challenge, conflict that encourages growth
☍	180°	**Opposition** Polarity, mirroring	Relationships, balance between extremes

The aspects · continued

 30°	**Semisextile**	Subtle contact	Mild discomfort, adaptation, everyday friction
 150°	**Quincunx**	Forced adjustment	Deep discomfort, a need to integrate seemingly incompatible energies
 135°	**Sesquisquare**	Indirect tension	Subtle irritation, necessary adjustments, persistent discomfort
Q 72°	**Quintile**	Creative talent	Creative brilliance, unique gifts, artistic or intuitive expression
bQ 144°	**Biquintile**	Heightened creative potential	Hidden brilliance, refined abilities, a unique vision