

horoscope1. ['hɒrəskəʊp] *n*

гороскоп

to cast a horoscope - составлять гороскоп

the horoscope of nations - *книжн.* будущее народов2. ['hɒrəskəʊp] *v*составлять гороскоп; предсказывать (*чью-л.*) судьбу по звёздам**horoscope**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

horoscope [horoscope horoscopes] *BrE* ['hɒrəskəʊp] ^m *NAmE* ['hɒrəskoʊp]^m *NAmE* ['hɒrəskoʊp] ^m *noun*

a description of what is going to happen to sb in the future, based on the position of the stars and the planets when the person was born

Word Origin:Old English: via Latin from Greek *hōroskopos*, from *hōra* 'time' + *skopos* 'observer'.Example Bank:

- Do you believe in horoscopes?
- To cast someone's horoscope, you need to know their date and exact time of birth.
- What does your horoscope say?

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

horoscope /'hɒrəskəʊp \$ 'hɒrəskoʊp, 'hɒrəskoʊp- *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *noun* [countable][**Date:** 1000-1100; **Language:** French; **Origin:** Greek *horoskopos*, from *hora* 'hour' + *skopein* 'to look at']a description of your character and the things that will happen to you, based on the position of the stars and ↑**planets** at the time of your birth ⇒ **zodiac**

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- **astrology** the study of the positions and movements of the stars and how they might influence people and events: Do you believe in astrology? | The science of astrology has existed for thousands of years.
- **horoscope** a description of people's characters and the things that will happen to them, based on the position of the stars and planets at the time of their birth – especially a description that is printed in a newspaper or magazine: I sometimes read my horoscope in the daily paper. | My horoscope says that I should be careful about investing money.
- **the signs of the zodiac** the twelve signs that you can belong to according to your birth date and the position of the stars then, which some people believe influence our characters and our lives: The carving shows the twelve signs of the zodiac.
- **star sign/sign** one of the 12 signs of the ↑**zodiac**: What sign are you? | My favourite star sign is Aquarius.
- **Aries** the first sign of the zodiac, which is represented by a ↑**ram**. People born between March 21 and April 20 belong to this sign.
- **Taurus** the second sign of the zodiac, represented by a ↑**bull**. People born between April 21 and May 21 belong to this sign.
- **Gemini** the third sign of the zodiac, represented by **TWINS**. People born between May 22 and June 21 belong to this sign.
- **Cancer** the fourth sign of the zodiac, represented by a ↑**crab**. People born between June 22 and July 23 belong to this sign.
- **Leo** the fifth sign of the zodiac, represented by a lion. People born between July 24 and August 23 belong to this sign.
- **Virgo** the sixth sign of the zodiac, represented by a young woman. People born between August 24 and September 23 belong to this sign.
- **Libra** the seventh sign of the zodiac, represented by a pair of ↑**Scales**. People born between September 24 and October 23 belong to this sign.
- **Scorpio** the eighth sign of the zodiac, represented by a ↑**scorpion**. People born between October 24 and November 22 belong to this sign.
- **Sagittarius** the ninth sign of the zodiac, represented by an animal that is half horse and half human, carrying a bow and arrow. People born between November 23 and December 21 belong to this sign.
- **Capricorn** the tenth sign of the zodiac, represented by a ↑**goat**. People born between December 22 and January 20 belong to this sign.
- **Aquarius** the 11th sign of the zodiac, represented by a man carrying water. People born between January 21 and February 19 belong to this sign.
- **Pisces** the 12th sign of the zodiac, represented by a pair of fish. People born between February 20 and March 20 belong to this sign.

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