

Planet-Centered Astrology

The broader perspective of planet-centered astrology comes at a time with we need vision about our individual futures and the future of planet Earth. Planet-centered astrology provides a look from each planet's unique perspective, set against the background of its own tropical zodiac. Alice Bailey suggested that we can consider many objects in our solar system, among them the moons of the various planets.

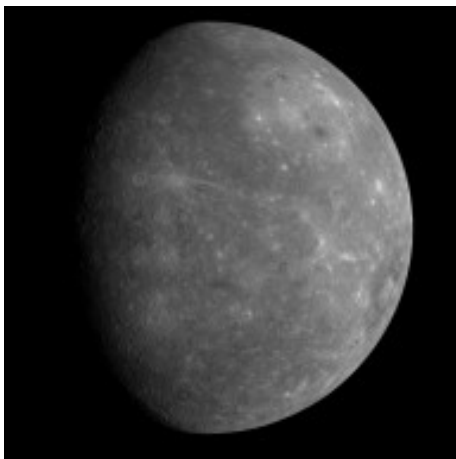
Not limited to the earth-centered perspective, planet-centered astrology utilizes comprehensive astrological charts viewed from each of the eight planets. AND it includes a total of 19 planetary moons and the asteroids Flores and Juno. Planet-centered chart interpretation provides deeper insights into mindfulness, presence, and how specific energies are moving in your life.

You can explore the inner nature of each planet, colored by inclusion of its moons and their relationships to other planets and to the Sun.

When a particular planet causes you difficulty, that planet's own perspective provides vital alternatives to improve your life, resolve problems, and reveal your personal power.

Mercury: Harmony through conflict

How do you think? What are your best methods of communicating? Do you communicate well in groups or are you more successful one-to-one? Do you have greater verbal or written talent? Mercury and Flores reveal your special intellectual attributes and challenges to your thinking style.



Mercury

Communication establishes harmony, and connects you to Unity.

The Mercury-centered chart addresses your personal connection to Unity, as well as your unique understanding of the elements that comprise Unity.

Mercury in his Egyptian form Thoth was the Lord of Words. Communication from Mercury is not always just what we want to hear. However, it generally is just what we need in order to understand the energies of the universe more fully. Carl Jung identified this component of the psyche as the Trickster, one who gets us to shift our attention by throwing out unexpected thoughts and feelings. The esoteric astrologer calls this process 'harmony through conflict'.

Flores, Mercury's Planetary Companion



Flores
*Multiple family
integration;
correspondence;
reporting.*

If Mercury is the Lord of Words, then Flores is the reporter / recorder who tracks his remarks and actions. Flores also acts as an assistant to the Magical Mercury, creating just the right balance of distraction and attraction. Then Flores announces the results in no uncertain terms.

Words, magic and results: that's intelligence from Mercury's perspective. Flores is like a trained observer who captures both cosmic and individual essence of communication. The placement of the asteroid Flores reveals a complex story about your capacity to communicate and to express the knowledge you have gained.

Venus: Concrete Knowledge

We all want to know about love life and relationships. How do you handle relationships—what are you looking for? What are your strengths in dealing with love? Who do you get along with and what should you avoid? Venus and Juno give you a whole new set of choices.

Venus is the planet that is most like earth and at the same time profoundly different. Venus has been called the alter ego of earth, and the Venus-centered chart depicts a new way of perceiving the universe and gathering useful information. The Venus-centered chart provides you with a new perspective concerning relationships of all kinds. The knowledge you gather about the world depends on external relationships and in turn influences them.



Venus
*Individual Integration;
coming Together*

The Venus-centered chart provides a look at your nature based on the concrete knowledge you obtain from relationships with other people.

In Egyptian and Sumerian tradition, Isis and Inanna, goddesses related to Venus mythologically, cleverly gathered together knowledge that was essential to the development of civilization. Thus, while we think of Venus as the goddess of love, her more ancient expression also represents the container for knowledge of how the world works.

Juno: Venus's Planetary Companion



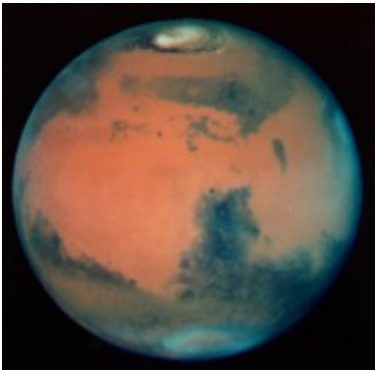
Juno
*Multiple
individual
integrations;
relationships*

Juno is an asteroid so closely associated with Venus that she is Venus's companion. If Venus's sword cuts through ignorance, Juno's implement is more likely a ring that symbolizes unity while showing the diversity of potential. Juno shows you how to gain in stature through serious relationships of various kinds. You learn how to use physical and mental expression to improve relationships.

In the Venus-centered chart, Juno shows how to achieve meaningful relationships without becoming completely dependent on your partner. Because relationships are so essential to your life, Juno's placement in the chart provides a wonderful map of how to engage with others more successfully.

Mars: Planet of Energy and Devotion

Mars is the planet of energy and action. Together with Deimos and Phobos, Mars describes your approach to sports and physical action. How do you apply your energies? How do you avoid scattering your energy? How can you best focus your energies on the things that matter most? Deimos and Phobos enrich the Mars-centered perspective.



Mars
*Individual separation;
energy*

Since the Greeks established their pantheon of gods on Mount Olympus, Ares / Mars has symbolized everything that is energetically out of control. This undisciplined god allowed his anger to rule his life, creating havoc by instilling fear and terror into human beings and disrupting life for the gods too.

Astrologically Mars is energetic, often indicating anger or at least energy used in a reckless manner. Yet there is another side to this planet, one that is revealed in the Mars-centered chart through the placement of Phobos and Deimos. The most direct path to understanding of the full energy of Mars is to consider Aphrodite, the mother of Phobos and Deimos. Mars' two moons reveal the energy of love as well as anger, of calm as well as active energy.

Including the earth and other planets, the Mars-centered chart informs you about the place of energy in your life in general, and the role of thought and action in particular.

Deimos & Phobos: Mars' Moons



Phobos
*Transformational
separation*

Phobos and Deimos, Ares' sons, were seen as his attendants, assisting him in upsetting the flow of battle and accompanying him onto the field. They were memorialized on the shield of Atreides, along with Medusa.

Phobos, the faster moving satellite of Mars, indicates the active energy of Mars, while Deimos indicates the contemplative side. Integrating passion and compassion, Mars-centered charts define your unique capacity for demonstrating devotion, both actively and in thought. Phobos shows the active energy of creativity; it reveals passion in action. At the extreme, Phobos shows the compulsive behavior that agitates the personality.

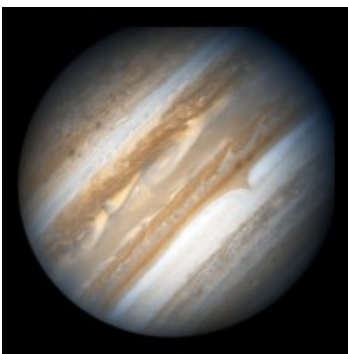


Deimos
*Multiple
separation of
individuals*

Deimos, the more thoughtful of Mars' two moons, indicates the obsessive thought associated with exaggerated emotions. The creative process of Deimos lies in thought; passion resides in the emotions rather than in action. Deimos can reveal, through its placement in the chart, your natural avenues for the expression of compassion. The fascination in a relationship is connected to Deimos. This moon indicates the nature of devoted mind for you as an individual.

In addition, the relationship between Phobos and Deimos in the Mars-centered chart reveals the easiest approach to the use of energy in your life. Together they show you choices for the use of active energy.

Jupiter: Planet of Love and Wisdom



Jupiter
*Family Separation;
Expansion*

Jupiter is the king of the planets. How do *you* act in a grand fashion? LeHow can you take advantage of the easier times in life? And how do you handle being “pushed” out into new areas? The Jupiter-centered chart addresses expansion in every area. Jupiter is the ruler of function and of all that is dynamic and changing. Processes include physical function, emotional activity, intelligent thought and spiritual development, all part of your larger reality.

The Jupiter-centered perspective also reflects the nature of soul and philosophical beliefs.

Io, Europa, Ganymede & Callisto: Jupiter's Moons



Io
Deductive reasoning

Io reflects the fullness of potential in your life. Her position in the Jupiter-centered chart shows where you have mighty ideas and the wisdom to carry them through to completion. The sign Io occupies suggests an area of experience where you have the power of discrimination - you can identify the positives and negatives of situations.

Io also indicates a potent source of inspiration in your life. When you are feeling low, this is the place you go to regain enthusiasm and optimism. Io lights a little fire in your heart to show you the way.



Europa
Optimism / luck

Europa indicates an area of life where your intellect becomes your most powerful weapon. Here you can cut through confusion and gain wisdom. When engaged in activities in this area of your life, you often perceive karmic connections from your past.

Europa shows where you can achieve great accomplishments as well. Your competitive spirit comes alive and you develop greater skill in activities that allow you to engage your mind as well as your body. Remember, though, that where you take action, you also create karmic connections.



Ganymede
Urge to expand

Ganymede reflects the possibility of transcendent wisdom. As you integrate knowledge with emotions, you develop good judgment. You overcome anger and replace it with curiosity about the very things that previously evoked anger.

Ganymede reflects the expansive power of Jupiter. Ganymede shows you how to dissolve rigid beliefs within yourself and sustain transcendent levels of thought and feeling. Through Ganymede you learn about our emotional makeup and how to manage both ideas and feelings more effectively.



Callisto
Mysticism

Callisto represents both the practical side of Jupiter and the power of this planet. Perception is the mental function of Callisto. Its sign placement indicates the style of intelligence you use most often.

Mysticism in your life shows up where Callisto is found. You may find that your intuition and psychic powers work better when your feet are literally on the ground, and you may experience intense awakenings through mystical practices.

Saturn: Planet of Intelligent Activity

Saturn is involved with structures in your life, responsibility and authority, intelligent action, and the role of Karma. Should you be in a position of authority? Is it better to leave that to others? How can you constructively rebel against authority when restrictions hold you down? Saturn and his moons provide a handy set of management tools for all these situations.



Saturn
*Family integration;
alignment*

Saturn also indicates the direction your intelligent activity may take. It rules karma and dharma – results and action that causes results.

While you may often feel that structure limits you and restricts your movement, the fact is that without its framework you could do nothing. You need form on every other level of consciousness as well.

The Saturn-centered chart represents a map of the creative possibilities immediately available to you, and reminds you of practical skills that you sometimes forget in the pressure-filled moments of your life.

Tethys, Dione, Rhea, Titan & Iapetus, Saturn's Moons



Tethys
Logical thought

Tethys reflects the feminine and also the spacious quality of the universe. Where Tethys is found, you have the ability to bring the spaciousness of intuition down to concrete physical reality, creating synthesis from diversity. You can reveal theoretical truths within the confines of practical limitations.

Tethys teaches the transcendent significance of open-minded expectation within the learning process. When your psychic senses identify powerful potential, the sign of Tethys shows how you can open your heart to new inspiration, thereby gaining through all your senses.



Dione
*Integrating
creativity into
family*

Dione exemplifies the ability to engage in creative activities, bringing inspiration to project. Yet you cannot depend on intuition alone and must share with others, as Dione shares her orbit. It helps you to have a list to organize the steps in any process, and the sign placement of Dione in your Saturn-centered chart indicates how you tend to get organized. It also reveals how you can build practical skills.

Your psychic sensitivity develops when you meditate.



Rhea
*Emotional tension
or conflict*

Your creative activities draw upon past experience through orderly thought processes. You also are able to communicate your thoughts well to others when you cultivate an orderly mind. Rhea's sign in your Saturn-centered chart reveals the specific way you learn from experience. When you explore this method, you find that every experience offers insight if you pay attention to both intuition and practical data.

Rhea indicates how your mind remains open to theoretical possibilities. Here you identify your potential as a teacher.



Titan
Mother Duck

Titan indicates how the multiple voices of your inner nature will express themselves in the material world. You approach the world and integrate your feelings about practical matters by using a particular conversational style indicated by Titan's sign and aspects.

Practical leadership skills grow out of the integration of intuition, intellect, judgment and keen perception. Other people anticipate your ability to facilitate cooperative efforts in specific ways. The sign Titan occupies shows how you manifest your skills in practical ways.



Iapetus
Endurance

Iapetus was the father of Prometheus (known for his cleverness), Epimetheus (capable only of hindsight), Atlas (who shouldered the heavens to separate them from earth), and Menoetius (who was fabulously arrogant).

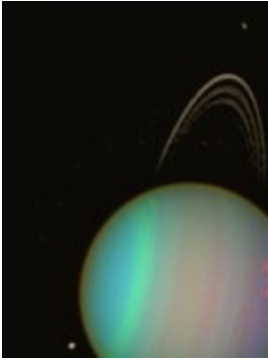
Iapetus brings together intelligent activities to provide insight into work, play and social interactions, based on its position and aspects. Iapetus also indicates an area of life where you can keep going after everyone else has given up and gone home.

Beyond the Visible Planets

The outer planets offer a wild psychic ride if you are willing to come on board! Uranus, Neptune and Pluto bring you more conscious awareness of intuition, psychic perceptions, and dynamic abilities to manipulate your world through ESP and dozens of other psychic talents. ...***Here there be dragons!***

Uranus: Planet of Ritual and Balance

Luck has to be earned -- so how do you earn it? Uranus and his moons indicate sudden changes in the rhythm of life and awareness. They also reveal how your intuition can help you to both “roll with the punches” also go for an unexpected opportunity.



Uranus
*Community
integration;
quantum change*

When people describe the intuitive life, they refer to a Uranian process. Feelings and even visions provide information that at first may not fit with your view of reality. Then you suddenly “get it.”

The chain of intuitions becomes more rhythmic over time. As you cultivate your inner source, you become more skilled in listening. Your feelings become more meaningful as you observe and work with them. Your dreams present clearer pictures of the inner Self and its message, matching your intuition about the outer world. You also develop ways to test intuitive information.

Miranda, Ariel, Umbriel, Titania & Oberon: Uranus’s Moons



Miranda
*Integration of
multiple
communities*

By sign and element placement, Miranda indicates the void - the space in which equilibrium resides perpetually. Miranda’s sign shows your first impulse to establish rhythm and develop intuition.

The paradox of Uranus is that it reflects both equilibrium and sudden change. Miranda shows how you shift from sudden change back toward balance. This moon reveals the fundamental quality of your intelligence that guides you through life.

Intuition is the heart of Uranus' expression in your life, and Miranda shows one way for you to become comfortable with your won intuition.



Ariel
*Igniting
romantic love*

Ariel shows your inspiration to change and points out your creative promise. The fire of inspiration is evident in Ariel's placement and aspects. Creativity is a core capacity reflected in Ariel's placement.

More than personal creativity, though, Ariel indicates your consciousness of love and romance in your life. How quick is your plummet when you fall in love? Ariel shows you through lightning fast inspiration. When you seek change in any area of your life, but particularly where romance is concerned, Ariel is there to light the way and heat up the situation.



Umbriel
Insight

In contrast to Ariel's intuitive speed, Umbriel's insight allows you repent at leisure. Inspiration almost always enters your consciousness more quickly, while insight often dawns over a period of time. Umbriel's position often shows where and how you tend to dwell on a subject.

Nonetheless, intellectual insight is part of Uranus' purview. Umbriel shows what you can do with the insights you gain and how you can apply them to your everyday life. It therefore reveals how you can balance intuition with intellect more skillfully.



Titania
**Extraordinary
effort**

Titania represents the extraordinary, even reckless effort you sometimes make in life. This type of effort is usually driven by emotions, and Titania reflects the role of emotion as part of the sudden action and reactions in your life.

Ultimately your wild, wide-ranging dreams fueled by emotional zeal must come down to earth once more. You face choices about whether to follow intense desire or to give up some dreams so you can pursue more balanced reality. Titania shows you how and where you can work to understand your feelings in the midst of outrageous imbalance in your thoughts and perceptions.



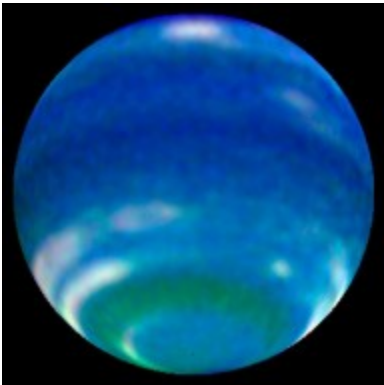
Oberon
Spiritual /
psychic states

Oberon reveals the nature of perception from Uranus' perspective. Here you get a glimpse of the power of magic in your life because the clarity of your senses colors the effectiveness of your actions. Do your perceptions upset the regular course of life? Or do they direct you toward equanimity and balance? Oberon's placement provides key information on this subject.

This moon also reflects your spiritual or psychic state. After all, your ordinary senses are backed by intuitive insight. Oberon shows how you perceive the best next step in any activity. When you tune in to this energy, you often can remain a step ahead of just about everyone.

Neptune: Planet of Devotion

Life has its reversals and confusions. How can you make the most of these difficult moments? How does your creativity express itself? Neptune is known for dissolving of boundaries, revealing psychic potential of all kinds and relaxation of mental boundaries. Triton and Nereid combine with Neptune to provide greater clarity to hidden parts of your life – including creativity you didn't know you had!



Neptune
Community separation;
contrary; creative

Neptune dissolves structures and boundaries. This is the planet that reveals psychic potential of all kinds. For Neptune powers to manifest, rigid mental boundaries must at least become flexible enough to allow openings for insight to enter your awareness. Mind training allows Neptune information through to consciousness without any associated psychological disturbance. Relaxed boundaries then require mental strength to tolerate vagueness and illusion.

Neptune is invisible from earth's perspective. However, the dynamic expression of devotion is visible in your life when you enjoy work, exert yourself in relationships, or pursue your spiritual calling.

The creative qualities in the Neptune-centered chart are revealed through its two contrary moons. The Sun, a focal point in any chart, reveals the precise setting in which imprecise and contradictory energies may converge in your life.

Triton and Nereid: The Moons of Neptune



Triton
*Multiple
separations from
community*

Triton indicates the prophetic style that works best for you, and the area of your experience where psychic information, particularly prophetic insight, is most active and useful to you.

When vagueness or confusion arise, meditation practice can relax your body and mind so you can perceive Triton's promise more clearly. As you quiet your mind, you clear a path for messages to follow. In your meditation, you won't look for anything in particular. Instead, you will gradually become aware of significant themes.



Nereid
Soul union

Nereid indicates the capacity of compassion in your life. Here you discover that you don't need to reserve it for truly deserving individuals. In fact, you don't need to keep it under control at all!

The more you understand the qualities of your compassion, the more you follow your own interior logic.

The sign Nereid occupies provides clues to how your compassionate nature may develop over time to become one of your greatest strengths.

Pluto: Planet of Power and Will

If you have wished for a map of potential transformation, personal power and will, now you have one. Did you ever feel that no one understood you? What genius do you possess and how well do you deal with secrets? Ask Pluto and Charon!



Pluto (with Charon)
*Humanity separating;
unknown*

Pluto, the renegade planet, represents a map of transformation over multiple lifetimes. In fact, Pluto is so different that it suggests how your activities are not merely contrary to the rules, but actually outside the boundaries of traditional social limitations. Pluto reveals the most unpredictable factors in your life.

Pluto reflects very long term goals for you. In fact, some of the goals are so long term that you will pursue them over more than one lifetime!

Charon, Pluto's Moon / Companion



Charon
*Multiple separations
from universe*

Charon reflects the natural direction of positive intention with regard to your power. Charon is either in your face or nearly impossible to pin down, depending on the state of your psychic and spiritual talents.

Charon is not antithetical to Pluto's nature. Instead, he is more of an ally or servant, indicating the most constructive way to use Pluto's power. Charon's sign indicates how you may best use power and will to fulfill your life mission, enhance your secret abilities, and resolve karmic issues.

"It is not always a simple matter to set aside ego and get an objective sense of your life and talents. Planet-centered astrology provides unusual perspectives to help delineate everything from personality to stock market trends. The fast-moving moons provide keys to each planet's energy, and they are only available in the Intrepid astrology program."

—Stephanie Clement