

Beginner's Compatibility in Astrology

We will be looking at the elemental makeup of the Sun, Moon, and Rising signs to explore your basic compatibility with others. You will need the birthdate, birth time (very important for accuracy) and birthplace for yourself and anyone you're checking your compatibility with.

Step one:

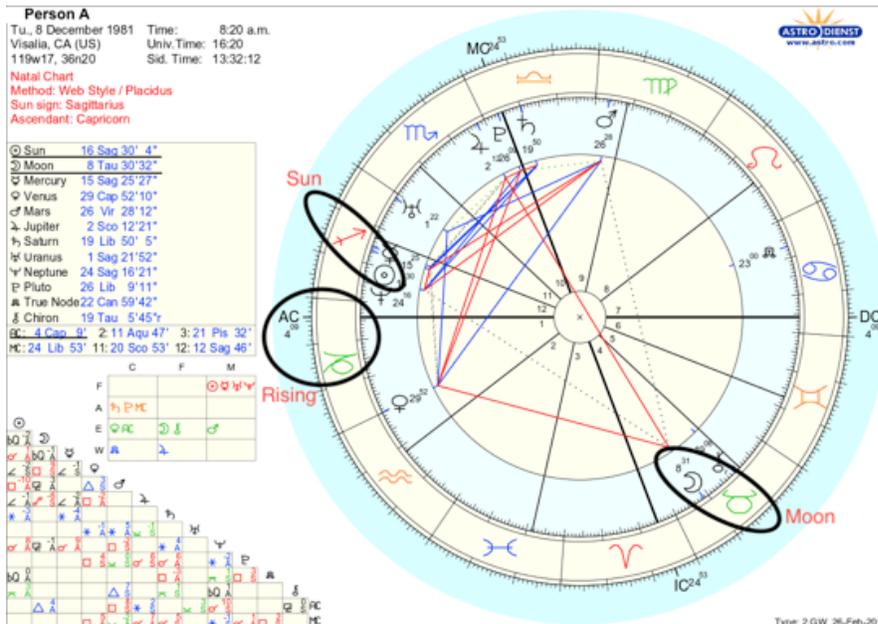
Let's discuss the energies of the planets you'll be comparing. In very simple terms, **the Sun** represents your **ego or personality**; **the Moon** represents your **emotional body**, and **the rising sign** represents your **Soul** and what you are growing (or "rising") into.

Step two:

Use astro.com to pull up your birth chart and the birth chart(s) of the person(s) you'd like to see your basic compatibility. (Step by step instructions for pulling up a birth chart [here](#))

Step three:

Locate the Sun, Moon, and Rising (also known as the Ascendant).



In this example, The Sun is in Sagittarius, the Moon is in Taurus, and the Rising (or Ascendant) is in Capricorn.

Step three:

In the provided work book, fill out the Sun, Moon, and Rising information.



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Work Book

Fire element Signs:

Aries, Leo, & Sagittarius

Air element Signs:

Gemini, Libra, & Aquarius

Earth element Signs:

Taurus, Virgo & Capricorn

Water element Signs:

Cancer, Scorpio & Pisces

Using the table above, determine which element(s) your Sun, Moon, and Rising belong.

My Sun is in the sign of _____ which belongs to the **element** _____

My Moon is in the sign of _____ which belongs to the **element** _____

My Rising sign is _____ which belongs to the **element** _____

Using the example chart from the previous page, we would fill it out like this:

My Sun is in the sign of *Sagittarius* which belongs to the **element** *fire*.

My Moon is in the sign of *Taurus* which belongs to the **element** *earth*.

My Rising sign is *Capricorn* which belongs to the **element** *earth*.

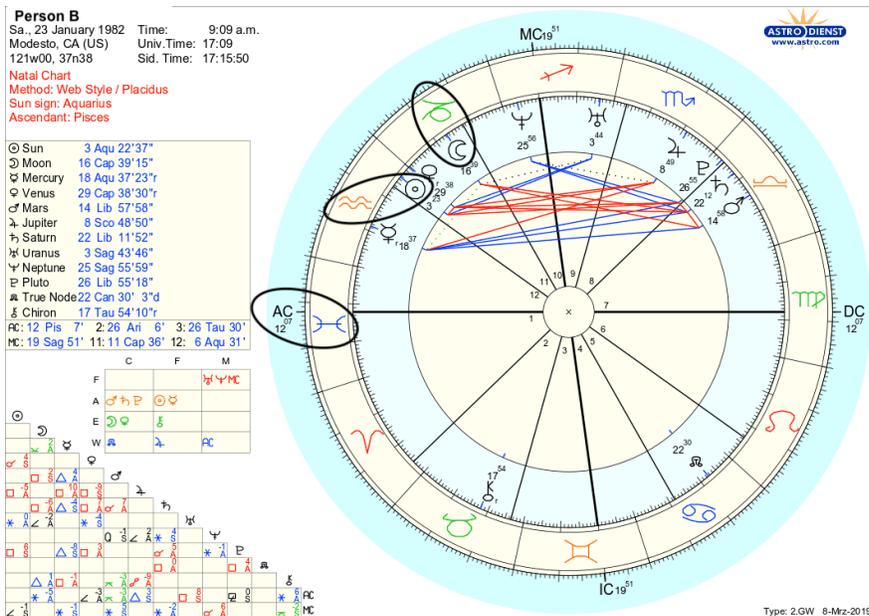
Now let's do that again with someone you want to check your basic compatibility. Enter their information into astro.com (if you haven't already) and make a note of their Sun, Moon, and Rising signs.

Person's Sun is in the sign of _____ which belongs to the **element**

Person's Moon is in the sign of _____ which belongs to the **element**

Person's Rising sign is _____ which belongs to the **element**

Let's use this chart as example of an individual with whom we are doing compatibility:



“Person B” has the Sun in Aquarius, the Moon in Capricorn, and the Rising (or Ascendant) in Pisces.

Using the example chart above, we would fill it out like this:

Person B's Sun is in the sign of **Aquarius** that belongs to the **element air**.
 Person B's Moon is in the sign of **Capricorn** that belongs to the **element earth**.
 Person B's Rising sign is **Pisces** which belongs to the **element water**.

How do your **egos/personalities** get along? Let's look at your **Sun** placements. Using the guide on page 4, discover how your Sun's element interacts with your person's Sun element.

Using the two sample charts again as examples, we would compare the two Sun sign elements, **fire** (Person A) and **air** (Person B). The guide on pages 4 and 5 would say:

Fire with Air are very comfortable partners – They share great ideas and lots of energy between them.

Now compare your emotional natures by comparing your Moon sign elements, and lastly, compare your Rising sign elements and see how you are each Soul evolving.

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Water with the other Elements:



Water with Water: Very compatible together. Both prefer to be gentle, non-verbal, and nurturing of the other. These two get along great. They just might not talk very much.



Water with Air: The high side of this combination can work together on creative endeavors, but they are not naturally compatible. Water people live in their feelings and Air people live in their heads. Together they can get a little lost without a compass.



Water with Earth: The Water principle is a natural ally of Earth. Just as a plant in the Earth loves to be Watered, so does Water love to be with Earth – these two are natural friends. Water is about emotional security and Earth is about financial and material security.



Water with Fire: Water is confused, because Fire's impulse is to stand up and stand out while Water's impulse is to go inside, retreat, and pull back. But if there is a container for the Water, the Fire can heat it up with a nice result like a hot cup of tea or a delicious hot tub.

Air with the other Elements:



Air with Water is not easily compatible. Air people must allow the Water person to be non-verbal and allow empty space rather than trying to fill silence with words all the time. And Water people need to let the Air person talk - finding balance is the key.



Air with Air - A lot of words! These 2 love to have their minds tickled, and talk about everything they are so curious about. They may not finish a conversation, but chances are, they won't even notice.



Air with Earth are not easily compatible. An Air person may find the Earth person's pace too slow, their approach too cautious, and their structured nature too suffocating. The high side is to allow the ideas to flow from Air into Earth where they can become manifest and given structure.



Air with Fire Add Air to a Fire, and the fire gets bigger. This is a very energizing combination. These two are extremely compatible.

Earth with the other Elements:



Earth with Water Earth people love to be supported by gentle Water-y personalities. Together they are grounded and committed to security. Earth is focused on the financial security while Water is nurturing emotional security.



Earth with Air This is not a naturally compatible pair. Earth people get impatient and frustrated with Air people's unpredictability and impracticality, and Air people can find Earth people boring. Allow the ideas to flow from Air and Earth to bring it in to form.



Earth with Earth These two speak each other's language and are easily compatible. They both love to get things done. They are both stable, practical, and cautious.



Earth with Fire can find themselves in conflict because they're both bossy and can get into power struggles. On the high side, Fire people can bring inspiration, courage and confidence and Earth people can create the structure to bring that inspiration to form.

Fire with the other Elements:



Fire with Water: Fire people have to be careful, because they can hurt Water people's feelings with their boldness and blunt honesty. Water people can piggyback on Fire energy to initiate what they want to share.



Fire with Air are very comfortable partners – They share great ideas and lots of energy between them.



Fire with Earth can work together in a business relationship when the Fire person can accept the Earth person's structure, demands, and rules. They make great manifestors!



Fire with Fire has so much fun together that the party never stops, but if their excessive energy isn't channeled correctly, they could fight all the time.