

# Krittika/Aries



General Characteristics - Krittika Nakshatra is not afraid of challenges and opposition! Being a Nakshatra of Agni (fire) and ruled by the Sun - you will feel its power, vitality and strength today!

The fire can be used for intelligence, passion, ideas or for jealousy, anger and emotions! Use this energy wisely. Those born under this star are combative with a fiery disposition. Krittika natives have an adventurous spirit and are constantly looking to fuel their fire with new information and experiences. Physical activity and an energetic demeanor are characteristic of those born under this nakshatra.

There is a nurturing quality to this star, which is often hidden behind a tough exterior. Those born under this nakshatra are commonly involved with teaching or universities. They may have a sharp tongue and dislike imperfection, yet they have amazing will power, independence and the capacity to support others. This is a star of courage, awareness and purification.

## Krittika "The Star of Fire"

Krittika translates as, "one who cuts" and the symbol is a razor or sharp object. Thus, a critical nature with both creative and destructive tendencies is displayed by this star.

**Symbol:** Knife, Blade (Razor), Spear, the Cutter, or a Sharp Instrument (Word Critical from Krittika)

**Deity:** Agni (God of Fire), Lord Muruga/Skanda/Karttikeya (the Commander of the Celestial Godly Forces, Nurtured by the Foster Mothers Krittika's), Agni is also called as the God with Seven Tongues and He Signifies Knowledge. He also rules over the Direction South East

**Favorable:** Fire Worship, Purification, Leaders, Executives, Cooking, Embroidery, Sewing, Shaving, Cutting, Honesty, Frankness, Drumming, Debates, and Extracurricular Activities

**Unfavorable:** Social Interactions, Diplomacy, Relaxation, Rest, Activities involving Water

### Key Themes

- Adulterous Nature and Illicit Affairs
- Eating Habits, Digestion and Cooking
- Surrogacy and Foster Parenting
- Illegitimate and Abandoned Children

**Mantra:** "OM AAGNEYA NAMAH " 108 Times