Constellations List and Observing Checklist

All 88 constellations with their meaning. Tick each one when you find it in the sky and write the date.

#		CONSTELLATION	MEANING	SKY	BEST MONTH	SIZE	SEEN	DATE
1		**Andromeda** And	The Chained Princess	Northern	November	#19	☐	
2		**Antlia** Ant	The Air Pump	Southern	April	#62	☐	
3		**Apus** Aps	The Bird of Paradise	Southern	July	#67	☐	
4		**Aquarius** Aqr	The Water Bearer	Equatorial	October	#10	☐	
5		**Aquila** Aql	The Eagle	Equatorial	August	#22	☐	
6		**Ara** Ara	The Altar	Southern	July	#63	☐	
7		**Aries** Ari	The Ram	Northern	December	#39	☐	
8		**Auriga** Aur	The Charioteer	Northern	January	#21	☐	
9		**Boötes** Boo	The Herdsman	Northern	June	#13	☐	
10		**Caelum** Cae	The Chisel	Southern	January	#81	☐	
11		**Camelopardalis** Cam	The Giraffe	Northern	January	#18	☐	
12		**Cancer** Cnc	The Crab	Northern	March	#31	☐	
13		**Canes Venatici** CVn	The Hunting Dogs	Northern	May	#38	☐	
14		**Canis Major** CMa	The Great Dog	Southern	February	#43	☐	
15		**Canis Minor** CMi	The Little Dog	Equatorial	February	#71	☐	
16		**Capricornus** Cap	The Sea Goat	Southern	September	#40	☐	
17		**Carina** Car	The Keel	Southern	March	#34	☐	
18		**Cassiopeia** Cas	The Seated Queen	Northern	November	#25	☐	
19		**Centaurus** Cen	The Centaur	Southern	May	#9	☐	
20		**Cepheus** Cep	The King	Northern	October	#27	☐	
21		**Cetus** Cet	The Sea Monster	Equatorial	December	#4	☐	
22		**Chamaeleon** Cha	The Chameleon	Southern	April	#79	☐	
23		**Circinus** Cir	The Compass	Southern	June	#85	☐	
24		**Columba** Col	The Dove	Southern	February	#54	☐	
25		**Coma Berenices** Com	Berenice's Hair	Northern	May	#42	☐	
26		**Corona Australis** CrA	The Southern Crown	Southern	August	#80	☐	
27		**Corona Borealis** CrB	The Northern Crown	Northern	July	#73	☐	
28		**Corvus** Crv	The Crow	Southern	May	#70	☐	
29		**Crater** Crt	The Cup	Southern	April	#53	☐	
30		**Crux** Cru	The Southern Cross	Southern	May	#88	☐	

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31		**Cygnus** Cyg	The Swan	Northern	September	#16	☐	
32		**Delphinus** Del	The Dolphin	Equatorial	September	#69	☐	
33		**Dorado** Dor	The Dolphinfish	Southern	January	#72	☐	
34		**Draco** Dra	The Dragon	Northern	July	#8	☐	
35		**Equuleus** Equ	The Little Horse	Equatorial	September	#87	☐	
36		**Eridanus** Eri	The River	Southern	January	#6	☐	
37		**Fornax** For	The Furnace	Southern	December	#41	☐	
38		**Gemini** Gem	The Twins	Northern	February	#30	☐	
39		**Grus** Gru	The Crane	Southern	October	#45	☐	
40		**Hercules** Her	Hercules, the Hero	Northern	July	#5	☐	
41		**Horologium** Hor	The Pendulum Clock	Southern	January	#58	☐	
42		**Hydra** Hya	The Water Snake	Southern	April	#1	☐	
43		**Hydrus** Hyi	The Male Water Snake	Southern	December	#61	☐	
44		**Indus** Ind	The Indian	Southern	September	#49	☐	
45		**Lacerta** Lac	The Lizard	Northern	October	#68	☐	
46		**Leo** Leo	The Lion	Northern	April	#12	☐	
47		**Leo Minor** LMi	The Little Lion	Northern	April	#64	☐	
48		**Lepus** Lep	The Hare	Southern	January	#51	☐	
49		**Libra** Lib	The Scales	Southern	June	#29	☐	
50		**Lupus** Lup	The Wolf	Southern	June	#46	☐	
51		**Lynx** Lyn	The Lynx	Northern	March	#28	☐	
52		**Lyra** Lyr	The Lyre	Northern	August	#52	☐	
53		**Mensa** Men	The Table Mountain	Southern	January	#75	☐	
54		**Microscopium** Mic	The Microscope	Southern	September	#66	☐	
55		**Monoceros** Mon	The Unicorn	Equatorial	February	#35	☐	
56		**Musca** Mus	The Fly	Southern	May	#77	☐	
57		**Norma** Nor	The Carpenter's Square	Southern	July	#74	☐	
58		**Octans** Oct	The Octant	Southern	August	#50	☐	
59		**Ophiuchus** Oph	The Serpent Bearer	Equatorial	July	#11	☐	
60		**Orion** Ori	The Hunter	Equatorial	January	#26	☐	

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61		**Pavo** Pav	The Peacock	Southern	August	#44	☐	
62		**Pegasus** Peg	The Winged Horse	Northern	October	#7	☐	
63		**Perseus** Per	The Hero Perseus	Northern	December	#24	☐	
64		**Phoenix** Phe	The Phoenix	Southern	November	#37	☐	
65		**Pictor** Pic	The Painter's Easel	Southern	February	#59	☐	
66		**Pisces** Psc	The Fishes	Equatorial	November	#14	☐	
67		**Piscis Austrinus** PsA	The Southern Fish	Southern	October	#60	☐	
68		**Puppis** Pup	The Stern	Southern	February	#20	☐	
69		**Pyxis** Pyx	The Compass Box	Southern	March	#65	☐	
70		**Reticulum** Ret	The Reticle	Southern	January	#82	☐	
71		**Sagitta** Sge	The Arrow	Northern	September	#86	☐	
72		**Sagittarius** Sgr	The Archer	Southern	August	#15	☐	
73		**Scorpius** Sco	The Scorpion	Southern	July	#33	☐	
74		**Sculptor** Scl	The Sculptor	Southern	November	#36	☐	
75		**Scutum** Sct	The Shield	Equatorial	August	#84	☐	
76		**Serpens** Ser	The Serpent	Equatorial	July	#23	☐	
77		**Sextans** Sex	The Sextant	Equatorial	April	#47	☐	
78		**Taurus** Tau	The Bull	Equatorial	January	#17	☐	
79		**Telescopium** Tel	The Telescope	Southern	August	#57	☐	
80		**Triangulum** Tri	The Triangle	Northern	December	#78	☐	
81		**Triangulum Australe** TrA	The Southern Triangle	Southern	July	#83	☐	
82		**Tucana** Tuc	The Toucan	Southern	October	#48	☐	
83		**Ursa Major** UMa	The Great Bear	Northern	April	#3	☐	
84		**Ursa Minor** UMi	The Little Bear	Northern	June	#56	☐	
85		**Vela** Vel	The Sails	Southern	March	#32	☐	
86		**Virgo** Vir	The Maiden	Equatorial	May	#2	☐	
87		**Volans** Vol	The Flying Fish	Southern	March	#76	☐	
88		**Vulpecula** Vul	The Little Fox	Northern	August	#55	☐	