

Fire Element



The Element of Fire is associated with the Sun and rules passion, desire, imagination and creativity. Fire not only cleanses and purifies, but it also causes destruction and is often seen to represent death and rebirth. Fire is the only element which can not naturally exist without another, it needs to consume another element in order to physically exist.

Those born under the influence of Fire, or Astrological signs of Aries, Leo, Sagittarius, are often quite artistic, creative and passionate about their work. Fire signs tend to be stubborn but are typically very loyal to those they genuinely care about. Secretly gentle and emotional in private, they can come across to others as aggressive or arrogant as they don't like to be wrong.

In witchcraft, fire is commonly used in spells to increase energy, passion, love and lust, courage, new beginnings, strength and protection, power, purification, transformation and destruction or releasing (generally by writing on parchment what you wish to release before burning it to ash). It is also used in kitchen magick, infusing ingredient as cooked.

Correspondences of Fire:

Sabbats/Season: Beltane, Samhain and Litha (Summer Solstice)

Day/Times: Sunday, Waxing moon, Noon

Zodiac/Tarot: Aries, Leo, Sagittarius. Judgment (major arcana), Swords (minor arcana)

Planets: Sun, Mars, Pluto

Animals/Elementals: Lion, Dragon, Snake, Scorpion, Phoenix, Ram, Coyote,

Fox, Salamander, Sprites, Djinn

Colour: All shades of Red, Orange, Gold, White

Chakra: Solar Plexus

Deities: Ra, Apollo, Mars, Ares, Vulcan, Horns, Brigit, Freya, Vesta,

Durga, Themis (and more)

Symbols: Flame, Triangle with point up (Alchemical symbol), Sun, Stars,

Volcanoes, Lightning bolts, Double-edged Axe.

Tools: Athame, Fire, Wand, Candles, Burned items (herbs, parchment)

Gemstones: Red Jasper, Blood Stone, Fire Opal, Garnet, Ruby,

Carnelian, Tiger Eye, Obsidian, Lava Stones, Gold, Steel & Brass.

(Plus most red, orange, gold or yellow stones & any formed from fire or volcanoes)

Herbs: Dragons Blood, Patchouli, Bay, Marigold, Chamomile, Cinnamon, Clove,

Mustard, Tobacco, Allspice, Basil, Garlic, Juniper, Onion, Almond,

Chilli Peppers. (Fire herbs tend to be spicy or "warm")

