



LESSON PLAN

SIGNS AND STORIES

Series: Astrology

Objective

To help students create a short story based on the main traits that are often paired with an astrological sign.

Supplies

- All the books in the Astrology series
- Whiteboard

Before the Activity

Write the following list on the whiteboard:

- Aries: March 21–April 19
- Taurus: April 20–May 20
- Gemini: May 21–June 21
- Cancer: June 22–July 22
- Leo: July 23–August 22
- Virgo: August 23–September 22
- Libra: September 23–October 23
- Scorpio: October 24–November 21
- Sagittarius: November 22–December 21
- Capricorn: December 22–January 19
- Aquarius: January 20–February 18
- Pisces: February 19–March 20

Activity

Have each student use their birthday to find their astrological sign using the list on the whiteboard. Then, have students read the book in the Astrology series about their sign. If multiple students have the same sign, they can read together.

Each book describes the constellation and time of year a sign is often paired with. It also lists personality traits the sign is said to give people. Ask each student to create a story that shows some of the personality traits based on their sign. For example, a Leo student could come up with a story about an actor and their friends. A Libra student could create a story about solving a disagreement between people.

Give students a couple minutes to think of their stories. Then, have students get into pairs and share their stories with one another.

Evaluation

Were students able to create stories? Did their stories use main traits from their signs?