

Astrology from the Beginning – Week 6 & 7 Review

Two planets will be in aspect with one another even when the distance between them is a few degrees more or less than the exact number of degrees in a given aspect.

The closer two planets are to being in partile (exact) the stronger the aspect will be!
The larger the orb of influence between two planets the weaker the aspect becomes.

Calculate the Orb of Influence between any two planets in aspect using this method:

1. Determine the Orb of Influence below for each Planet involved in an Aspect
2. Add the Two Orbs of Influence Together and Divide by Two
3. The result is the **Orb of Influence Between those Two Planets in Any Aspect**

Planetary Orbs of Influence

7° Degree Orb of Influence – for **Sun, Moon**, and larger planets **Jupiter** and **Saturn**

5° Degree Orb of Influence – for **Uranus** and **Neptune**

3° Degree Orb of Influence – for smaller planets: **Mercury, Venus, Mars** and **Pluto**

Reading a House is as Easy as 1-2-3-Delineate

Step 1. Look to the House Area of the Chart you want to understand.

Step 2. Find the Sign on the Cusp of the House you're examining.

Step 3. Determine what Planet Rules the Sign on the house cusp you're examining.

Delineate: Find the Ruler and Read it by Sign, House and Aspects.

Three Steps for Delineating a Planet

1. Find the Planet in Question, Read it by Sign The urge to (fill-in) **Planet** and **Sign Modifier**
The planet's urge for expression is modified by the zodiacal sign it occupies.

2. Find the Planet in Question by House

The House Determines **Where** the Urge Symbolized by the Planet will Manifest

3. Find any Aspects to the Planet in Question and Interpret them one by one

Aspects are Measured from Sign to Sign in Degrees, Never from House to House !!!

Orb of Influence – the range at which an aspect between two planets comes into effect

Partile – two planets in the exact same degree of any sign or signs, and thus in aspect

Applying – a faster moving planet moving toward partile with a slower moving planet

Separating – a faster moving planet moving away from partile with a slower planet