

AST101 - CONSTELLATION LIST

M = midterm * = zodiac

Constellation (pronunciation)		Meaning	Major Star(s)
M	Andromeda (an-drah'-mee-dah)	Daughter	
M	* Aquarius (ah-quair'-ee-us)	Water Carrier	
M	Aquila (aak'-qui-lah)	Eagle	Altair (aal-tair')
	* Aries (air'-eez)	Ram	
	Auriga (aw-rye'-gah)	Charioteer	Capella (ka-pell'-ah)
M	Bootes (boh-oh'-teez)	Herdsmen	Arcturus (ark'-tour'-us)
	* Cancer (can'-sir)	Crab	
	Canis Major (cain'-us • may'-jer)	Big Dog	Sirius (sear'-ee-us)
	Canis Minor (cain'-us • my'-ner)	Little Dog	Procyon (pro'-see-on)
M	* Capricornus (caa-pree-core'-nus)	Sea-Goat	
M	Cassiopeia (cass-ee-oh-pee'-yah)	Queen	
M	Cygnus (sig'-nus)	Swan	Deneb (den'-ebb)
	* Gemini (jem'-i-rye)	Twins	Pollux (pahl'-lux), Castor (kass'-ter)
	* Leo (lee'-oh)	Lion	Regulus (reg'-you-lus)
	* Libra (lye'-bra)	Scales	
M	Lyra (lye'-ra)	Lyre (harp)	Vega (vee'-gah)
	* Ophiuchus (off-ee-you'-kuss)	Serpent Charmer	
	Orion (oh-rye'-un)	Hunter	Betelgeuse (bett'-el-joose), Rigel (rye'-jel)
M	Pegasus (peg'-ah-sus)	Flying Horse (Great Square)	
	* Pisces (pie'-ceez)	Fishes	
M	Piscis Austrinus (pie'-sis • aw-stree'-nuss)	Southern Fish	Fomalhaut (foam'-al-ought)
M	* Sagittarius (saa-jit-tair'-ee-us)	Archer (teapot)	
M	* Scorpius (score'-pee-us)	Scorpion	Antares (an-tair'-eez)
	* Taurus (taw'-russ)	Bull	Aldebaran (aal-deb'-bar-on)
M	Ursa Major (er'-sah • may'-jer)	Big Bear (Big Dipper)	
M	Ursa Minor (er'-sah • my'-ner)	Little Bear (Little Dipper)	Polaris (poh-lair'-us) (North Star)
	* Virgo (vir'-go)	Maiden	Spica (spy'-ka)