

Your Kua Number

Element: Small Earth

Color: Yellow

Group: West

Trigram: Ken



How to Tap Your Auspicious Directions

- Try to sleep, eat, work, or be in this sector of your home
- Do as many activities as possible in this sector
- Face this direction when working, eating, or sitting in your living room
- Sleep with the top of your head pointed in this direction
- Enter your home or office from a door that faces these direction

Your Wealth & Success Direction: Southwest

Enhance this direction with stones, candles, bright lights, vases, crystal, or porcelain. You may also use lights, candles, or lamps. Add objects in groups of two. Red colors are also extremely beneficial. This direction helps boost your prominence and stature, so do be sure to face this direction as much as possible -- particularly at work.

Decorate in colors of beige, yellow, taupe or in red, orange, or purple. Do everything you can to use this direction to promote your wealth and success! Mountain images are perfect for placing on the wealth and success wall of your home or office.

Your Health Direction: Northwest

Enhance this location with metal objects or stone objects to give health a boost. Eat or work in this location when getting over an illness. A six-rod hollow windchime is an excellent enhancer for this location, as is a beautiful metal vase.

Your Love Direction: West

Enhance this area with small metal objects, round objects, or stone objects. Shiny and reflective items are especially helpful for stimulating romance. Decorate in colors of white, silver, or gray colors. Yellow is also helpful. Add a radio to this location to boost romance!

Your Growth Direction: Northeast

In personal feng shui, the northeast is your growth and wisdom direction. Work in this location to improve your standing, study in this direction, and locate beneficial activities here, such as dining to improve all areas of life. Are you trying to start over from any kind of setback? If so, this is direction to face or be in. Add a beautiful pair of vases here to capture beneficial chi!

Your Unlucky Directions: East, Southeast, South, North

Try to avoid the south sector and/or direction. To do so can cause arguments and legal problems or some kind of accident. You will receive blame for problems if you occupy this sector too much or if your front door faces this direction.

The north and east can cause accidents, misfortune, and difficulties, such as lawsuits, burglary or fire. If your front door faces this direction, your family may leave you. If you have a business with a front door facing this direction, employees may leave. This is a good location for a kitchen or toilet.

Strenuously avoid the southeast because it can cause it is the very worst direction for you. A front door facing this direction can lead to a loss of children or other close family members. Infertility can also arise, causing the family name to die out. Wealth will also be lost. This is a good location for a kitchen or a toilet.

Kua Number FAQ'S

How do I incorporate my kua number without worrying that something terrible will happen if my bedroom is in my worst direction or the house doesn't face my auspicious directions?

This is something that many people worry about, but please don't stress too much. Although you have both auspicious and inauspicious directions and their descriptions can be worrisome, it doesn't mean you're doomed, so put your mind at ease!

Everyone needs to have all directions in their homes, so each direction has its role in your life and your home. You just want to bear in mind which directions are more favorable for you.

On the first page, there are suggestions about how to use your kua number to "Tap Your Auspicious Directions." Try to follow these recommendations as best you can to get the most beneficial energy for your life, but don't over stress about the inauspicious directions.

Whose kua number is more important - mine or my partner/spouse?

This is a question that gets asked a lot. The answer is decidedly old fashioned. Basically, you should always try to favor the breadwinner's directions. However, that doesn't mean you don't matter – far from it. If the breadwinner is a woman, then her directions will take precedence. If it's a man, then use his.

I'm confused about what I should follow — my personal feng shui or my personal zodiac sign. Can you help me?

This is a typical question that comes in my email inbox and I thought it would be helpful to share my answer with everyone. In my own personal feng shui, I'm a 4 kua (east person) and I am a Water Tiger.

Now, as a water tiger with a 4 kua, I'm very compatible with both my zodiac sign, element and kua number.

But if you're a kua 5 metal rat, then for example, you have very different qualities associated with your kua number and your zodiac sign and that could be at odds with each other.

This can create quite a bit of confusion for a lot of people, so you're not alone. What I find is that most people identify with an element or identity more than another. So, if you identify with the earthiness of being a 5 kua than the watery element of the rat or the metal element with your birth year, then work with your kua 5 qualities.

Here's what's important to know, though, and that is no matter what you pick, you're right! So just pick the one that feels the most right *to you*.

I want to turn my bed to my most auspicious direction, but that puts the door to my bedroom behind me. Is that OK?

It's tempting to try to always face our favorable directions, but it's not good feng shui to do that and not use the command position – which is where you can be in bed and see the door from your bed. This is called following good "form" feng shui. Always have your bed or desk arranged so that you are in the command position

ahead of trying to tap your personal feng shui directions. This is always the better choice.

What else can you tell me about my personal kua number?

Below are some more details about your kua number, and an image that also might be helpful to understanding your personal feng shui qualities and personality.

I hope it helps you to understand your personal feng shui energies better and to find an affinity for those energies that makes sense – and good feng shui – for you.



8 Kua – The Crystal Ball

The 8 kua is the number of intelligence and good decision-making. You aren't a rash person and are often asked for you good input and ideas by friends and family members.

You may also love to work with your hands in some manner whether that's artistic, writing, or building.

Known for being a source of wisdom, inspiration and ability to see into the future, 8 kuas are keenly perceptive. They're depth is enhanced by big earth elements such as pictures of mountains, geodes, globes and maps – and light.

Be sure to have plenty of lighting and red colors to stimulate your earth element and bring you good luck. Amethyst and citrine are wonderful stimulators for you as are red stones such as rubies, garnet and amber.

Keep your home well lit and spend time in the northeast, the direction of your personal growth. Add images of vases, stones and maps or globes here to promote your self-growth.

Yellow, ochre and tan are good colors to wear and paint your home with and will bring you good fortune. Other good color choices for fashion also include all colors of red, orange, pink and purple.

The numbers 8 and 9 are especially lucky for you, with 8 being your luckiest number besides the number of your day of birth. The number 9 represents fire, which is what produces your kua 8 element of small earth.

Keep candles on your desk and lit at home to give you more energy and to keep your metabolism stimulated. Display crystals in your home and hang them in your windows to enhance your intellectual qualities.