

Your Kua Number

Element: Big Metal

Color: White, Silver, Gold

Group: West

Trigram: Chien



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: West

Enhance this direction with metal objects in groups of seven. Swords, knives, metal objects are all suitable for this sector (unless it is a bedroom). Vases, crystals, stones, and earth objects are also wonderful in this location because metal comes from earth, so the more earth elements you have the more successful – and wealthy – you can be.

Create a wealth bowl out of porcelain and add gold-colored objects, semi-precious stones, dirt from a wealthy person's house, and faux diamonds to boost your success. White, silver, gray, and gold-colored objects are perfect here. Add lots of shiny objects to attract more success! A front door in this location will bring prosperity to you.

Your Health Direction: Northeast

This is an excellent direction for objects such as beautiful vases or porcelain bowls. Add stones in this location. Decorate in purple, beiges, or taupe to improve health.

Candles and bright lights are also excellent health energizers for you! If your front door is here, you and your family will be very wealthy.

Your Love Direction: Southwest

The southwest is the direction of love. Lucky for you, this is compounded because this is your personal feng shui direction for love! Boost this sector by decorating in pairs of two's -- two figurines of birds, etc. Add candles to this location to boost the romance potential even further. Another fantastic addition? A beautiful bubbling fountain -- with a light! Great for singles as the fountain brings lots of wonderful yang energy.

Your Growth Direction: Northwest

In personal feng shui, the northwest 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 windchime here and place a fan to blow on it. This will help you get going. Need to write a lot with your job? The fan will help keep creativity high!

Your Unlucky Directions: Southeast, East, North, South

Try to avoid the southeast 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 east and north 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 south because 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.



6 Kua – The Great Wheel.

As a 6 kua, your energy is about big stuff – big ideas, big movement, working on a grand scale!

Your element is big metal, so keep an image of great movement, like the Millennium Wheel in London – that's an excellent image for your energy, as is the sun and images of stars or heavenly bodies.

6 kuas benefit and grow when the northwest sector is enhanced and earth elements, like geodes, crystals and other earth elements are found in abundance.

Colors such as yellow, gray, white, ivory, silver, gold, taupe or beige are especially beneficial for you and make great fashion choices. In fact, any metallic color is perfect for your energy.

Wearing real gold, silver and platinum jewelry is very auspicious as are amethyst, citrine, diamonds, and any white stones, so wear your good stuff to bring you great good fortune!

The number 6 and 2 also bring you good fortune and are very lucky for you. The number 6 is your luckiest number besides the number of your date of birth.

The world is your oyster, so have plenty of maps and globes to represent this energy.

Bells are another great element to surround yourself with, as are fans and mobiles. Anything moving and metallic will keep your energy high and bring you good fortune.