



Rat

1996, 1984, 1972, 1960, 1948, 1936, 1924, 1912, 1900

Rats are innovative and know how to use opportunities to their advantage. They love to collect and organize and tend to be most active while others are at rest. Rats need to be careful not to lose their tempers or to become greedy. Rats get along best with Dragons and Monkeys and least with Horses.



Ox (Buffalo)

1997, 1985, 1973, 1961, 1949, 1937, 1925, 1913, 1901

Ox are honest, conservative, and patient by nature. They are happy when alone. Since friends and family find them dependable; they will make good mothers or fathers. Ox can be stubborn when pushed. They may be slow in starting things, but always complete what they begin. Ox are better friends with Snakes and Roosters and can get into trouble with Goats.



Tiger

1998, 1986, 1974, 1962, 1950, 1938, 1926, 1914, 1902

Tigers are powerful, courageous, and like to take chances—qualities that make them natural leaders. Because of this, they must weigh matters before taking action on them. Tigers need to be careful not to let their brashness offend others. Dogs and Horses are friends with Tigers, but Monkeys are not.



Rabbit

1999, 1987, 1975, 1963, 1951, 1939, 1927, 1915, 1903

This is the luckiest sign of all. Rabbits are gentle, talented, gracious, and friendly. Because of these qualities, they are popular wherever they go as mediators of conflicts. Sometimes Rabbits are overly shy and sentimental, but they almost always succeed at what they do. Their best friends are Goats or Pigs. Roosters may be enemies.



Dragon

2000, 1988, 1976, 1964, 1952, 1940, 1928, 1916, 1904

Dragons have a superimagination and are unique, energetic, and dramatic. Dragons are also hoody and can be too perfectionistic. They make good friends with Monkeys and Rats but should beware of Dogs.



Snake

2001, 1989, 1977, 1965, 1953, 1941, 1929, 1917, 1905

Snakes are talented and graceful, intuitive and wise. They are subtle in their ways and care about their looks. Snakes can be stingy at times, but if they use their good qualities to help others, many people will benefit. Snakes' best friends are Roosters and Ox, while their enemies are Pigs.



Horse

2002, 1990, 1978, 1966, 1954, 1942, 1930, 1918, 1906

Horses' energy, high spirits, and optimism make them popular among friends. They have a very independent streak and like to travel alone. Horses must learn patience and learn to finish what they start. They should marry Tigers or Dogs but not Rats.



Goat

2003, 1991, 1979, 1967, 1955, 1943, 1931, 1919, 1907

Although Goats are sometimes shy, they are always loving, gentle, elegant, and creative. They must learn to be direct and to venture out of comfortable situations. Goats get along well with Pigs and Rabbits but are not as friendly with Ox.



Monkey

2004, 1992, 1980, 1968, 1956, 1944, 1932, 1920, 1908

People pay attention to Monkeys because they are very smart. They are confident, energetic, happy, and curious. However, Monkeys can become overly confident, getting ahead of themselves, and becoming confused. Monkeys should stay away from Tigers and look for Dragons or Rats as friends.



Rooster

2005, 1993, 1981, 1969, 1957, 1945, 1933, 1921, 1909

Roosters are punctual, reliable, independent, and enjoy being on center stage. They are safe and unique but sometimes conceited. Snakes and Ox are friends but Rabbits are trouble.



Dog

2006, 1994, 1982, 1970, 1958, 1946, 1934, 1922, 1910

Dogs are gregarious, loyal, honest, fun-loving team players. They are also helpful and optimistic but may spend too much time worrying about things. For friendship, Dogs should look to Horses or Tigers. Watch out for Dragons.



Pig

2007, 1995, 1983, 1971, 1959, 1947, 1935, 1923, 1911

Pigs are noble and physically strong and will sacrifice anything for the welfare of their family. Their friendships are long-lasting, even though they may not always be easy. Pigs can sometimes be reckless. They should stay away from other Pigs and make friends with Rabbits or Goats.