

2026 RETROGRADE TRANSITS

Annual Planner



Month	Mercury	Venus	Mars	Jupiter	Saturn	Uranus	Neptune	Pluto	Chiron
January									Ends 1/2
February	Begins 2/26					Ends 2/4			
March	Ends 3/20			Ends 3/11					
April									
May								Begins 5/6	
June	Begins 6/29								
July	Ends 7/23				Begins 7/26		Begins 7/7		
August									Begins 8/3
September						Begins 9/10			
October	Begins 10/24	Begins 10/3						Ends 10/16	
November	Ends 11/13	Ends 11/14							
December				Begins 12/13 Ends 4/13/27	Ends 12/10	Ends 2/8/2027	Ends 12/12		Ends 1/6/27

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What the Planet effects



Mercury	Venus	Mars	Jupiter	Saturn	Uranus	Neptune	Pluto	Chiron
Timing Speed Travel Communication Thoughts Gadgets Appliances Tools Technology Transport Email/Text Contracts Discourse Launches Releases Information Branding Intellect Comprehension Memory	Prior Relationships Deadbeat Exes Cosmetics Plastic Surgery Aesthetic Perception Decorum Sensuality Finances FWBs Situationships Beauty Fertility Food Land Productivity Love Self Image Valuation Attraction Socializing Pleasure	Energy Levels Forward Movement Motivation Passion Temperament Frustration Barriers Business or Work Effort or Drive Libido Assertiveness Progress Conflict Confrontation Exercise Motivation Passion Deliberation Arguments Conflict Anger	Expansion Luck Opportunity Growth Prosperity Healing Good Fortune Education Philosophy Success Abstract Thought Philosophy Optimism Curiosity Judgement Growth Justice Virtue	Structure Boundaries Rules Foundation Systems Processes Institutions Outdated Beliefs Responsibility Adulthood Longterm Big Picture Goals Maturity Government Law Authority	Sudden change Radical Ideas Unforeseen Surprises Revolution Uniqueness Originality Breaking Free Intellectualism Individuality Fast Expansion Fast Contraction Predicatbility Fortune Rebellion Disruption	Collective Thought Higher Consciousness Dreams Ideals Artistic Ability Illusiveness Spirituality Seeing limiting beliefs Receptivity Fogginess Visions Intuition Psychic Ability Clarity Imagination Addiction	Endings Death Destruction Secrets Clearing Cleansing Hidden Underworld Transformation The Phoenix Endings & Beginnings Regeneration Rebirth Power Repression Metamorphosis Power Control Shadow self Bravery	An asteroid that tends to show us where our collective wound may need healing. This is a powerful transit to follow. It teaches us how our pain evolves and unfolds. So we may shift into new awareness, and begin to facilitate repair for the collective.

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Additional Resources



WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW?

January and February goals are think first, plan, conceptualize, talk it over. Then in March you can we are full speed ahead.

One of the best advantages of this year is Mars showing up direct all year long! This gives us more energy and less blocks when we are tapping into motivation and momentum. May could create a need for transformation, and is calling you to face the music. Begin to take it slower in the last half of the year, get as much done as you can this spring. Stay structured in your reflections and try not to pull yourself offtrack in July, as confusion could thicken here.

October through November we'll see a high number of planets retrograde, which is typical. When Venus or Mercury go retrograde exes can come out of the woodwork, you will need to carefully revisit why it didn't work out in the first place to determine whether it's worth another shot.

Retrogrades are a great time to take it slow and steady. Think of "Re-" words, you'll most likely be **reviewing, revising, revisit, remind, re-think, re-do, reflect, re-schedule, renovate**, etc.

These transits force all of us to go against the flow, look back, make adjustments and finalizations, so we can move forward with a mature level of clarity and confidence. Although sometimes challenging, retrogrades help us to be thorough and to develop a better us!

[NASA: What is a Retrograde?](#)

[Hannah's ElseWhere: Retrogrades Transits and Natal Chart](#)

[Retrograde Motion in Astronomy](#)

[Chani Nicholas explains Mercury Retrograde](#)