

# Epub free Zoo in the sky a of animal constellations

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in this article you will find a list of all 42 of the animal constellations included with the constellation name and the animal that they represent many of the constellations come with legends of their creation there are 42 animal constellations in the night sky here are the other types of constellations you will find in the celestial sphere 42 animals 28 objects 14 humans 2 chimeras a mix of human and animal and 2 natural features a river and a mesa according to the astronomer it is the constellation that represents a little fox carrying a goose to cerberus who was the dog guarding the entrance to underworld in greek mythology these are the all 88 constellations constellation names along with its meaning there are 88 constellations officially recognized by the international astronomical union iau 36 modern constellations predominantly lie in the northern sky while 52 are found in the southern celestial hemisphere most constellations more than 40 represent animals there are a few different definitions of constellations but many people think of constellations as a group of stars the constellations you can

see at night depend on your location on earth and the time of year constellations were named after objects animals and people long ago the table below lists the 88 astronomical constellations the princess andromeda in greek mythology the daughter of cepheus and cassiopeia and wife of perseus the air pump a southern constellation introduced by lacaille in 1756 originally the pneumatic machine constellation names are essentially animal names including mythical animals inanimate objects and human characters sometimes mythological figures and even gods as we said before from the 88 recognized constellations 42 owe their name to an animal in our current evening sky roughly between the bright star capella and the big dipper s bowl are two examples of modern constellations the first is the camel leopard camelopardalis which in constellations are groups of stars that form patterns in the night sky often named after animals creatures or mythological people resembling the outline or pattern the word constellation comes from the latin constellacio which means set of stars constellations are patterns of stars in the night sky created by joining together individual stars to form images that reflect an object an animal or a famous person from greek mythology a constellation is simply a collection of stars imaginatively linked together to represent a person animal or object in the night sky in this way astronomers are better able to organize the heavens into some recognizable form and make locating stars and other astronomical objects easier a constellation is an area on the celestial sphere in which a group of visible stars forms a

perceived outline or pattern click for more facts in creating lynx hevelius chose a cat like animal that possesses excellent eyesight lynx itself is a region chiefly devoid of bright stars and hevelius openly admitted that you would have to the oldest astronomical cuneiform texts from the second half of the 2nd millennium bce record the sumerian names of the constellations still known as the lion the bull and the scorpion some of these animal constellations include northern animal constellations draco the dragon camelopardalis the giraffe ursa major big bear ursa minor little bear lacerta the lizard pegasus the winged horse cygnus the swan there are 88 official constellations in the northern and southern hemispheres of our sky most people can see more than half of them throughout the year though it can depend on where they live the best way to learn them all is to observe throughout the year and study the individual stars in each constellation all 12 constellations in the modern zodiac are named after animals and mythical figures familiar to ancient greek astronomers capricorn the goat aquarius the water bearer pisces the fish aries the ram taurus the bull gemini the twins cancer the crab leo the lion virgo the virgin libra the scales scorpio the scorpion there are 88 constellations in total listed in alphabetical order 42 animals 29 objects 17 humans mythological characters kids fun facts corner fifty of the modern 88 constellations are based on the 48 greek constellations listed by ptolemy they include some of the best known constellations in the sky orion ursa major ursa minor lyra cassiopeia perseus pegasus auriga hercules draco and the

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