

The 21 Stars To Know

Summer Stars

	Right Ascension	Declination
Vega*	18 h 37 m	39 deg
Deneb*	20 h 41 m	45 deg
Altair*	19 h 51 m	09 deg
Arcturus**	14 h 16 m	19 deg
Spica**	13 h 25 m	-11 deg
Antares**	16 h 30 m	-26 deg
Fomalhaut	22 h 58 m	-30 deg
Mizar	13 h 24 m	55 deg
Alcor	13 h 25 m	55 deg
Kochab	14 h 51 m	74 deg
Polaris	02 h 36 m	89 deg

* These three stars are referred to as the Summer Triangle

** These three stars are referred to as the Color Triangle (yellow, blue, and red)

Winter Stars

	Right Ascension	Declination
Betelgeuse***	05 h 55 m	07 deg
Sirius***	06 h 45 m	-17 deg
Procyon***	07 h 39 m	05 deg
Capella	05 h 17 m	46 deg
Castor	07 h 35 m	32 deg
Pollux	07 h 45 m	28 deg
Rigel	05 h 15 m	-08 deg
Aldebaran	04 h 36 m	17 deg
Regulus	10 h 09 m	12 deg
Caph	00 h 09 m	59 deg

*** These three stars are referred to as the Winter Triangle