



School of Astrology and Mindfulness

# Lesson 24 Centaur Chiron in signs, houses and aspects

Chiron causes nothing. It does not hurt, heal or influence. Through the synchronicity of the astrological chart, it symbolises a living force within us that is often dormant: that of shared resilience.

Wherever Chiron is located in our chart, it highlights an inner space of fracture, a threshold yet to be crossed, a point of tension between our human condition and a broader consciousness seeking to emerge. Chiron is a key. Not an external key, but a key that is already there, within us. It points to the symbolic place where suffering, when welcomed with full awareness, becomes a passage.

It is precisely at this point of vulnerability that a breach opens up — not a wound to be closed, but an opening to being. Suffering is no longer a mistake or an accident to be corrected, but a call to presence, a moment of awakening that cracks the defences of the ego.

Through the process of resilience in the face of our own suffering, a breach opens within us. And this breach is not just a scar: it is a point of contact with something greater than ourselves, a broader consciousness, which the ancients called the Self, and which transpersonal astrology evokes through Uranus, Neptune and Pluto. Chiron, through its position in the chart, signals the place where our personal history reaches its limits, where an opening becomes possible.

This passage is not an individual achievement. The force symbolised by Chiron is not meant to lift us up alone, but to connect us to others. For it is where we have suffered and endured, where we have delved deep within ourselves to emerge more conscious, that we become capable of supporting others on their own path. This is shared resilience. Not a lesson to be taught, but a presence to be embodied. Wisdom born of experience, not words.

Chiron's path is that of humanity embraced. It does not seek to suppress our flaws, but to inhabit them fully. What Chiron points to in the astrological chart is our potential to transform our vulnerabilities into resources of awareness, not by controlling them, but by allowing them to pass through us with clarity and gentleness.

Thus, Chiron in a chart is not a celestial influence, but the symbolic reflection of an inner dynamic, a living process that we carry within us. Understanding Chiron means recognising that what hurts us is also what connects us to others. And that our inner journey, far from being a private matter, becomes a gift to offer.

What Chiron points to in the astrological chart is not an external influence, but an inner space: the space where suffering, once accepted, ceases to isolate us and becomes a passage to a broader consciousness.

As this consciousness flows through us, compassion arises naturally. Not as an external feeling to be cultivated, but as a natural resonance. When the breach opens, it is not only a wound that heals: it is a connection that is re-established with life, with others, with the world. We no longer feel the need to protect ourselves or appear invulnerable. On the contrary, we feel that our experience can be useful, not because it is exceptional, but because it is human, true, embodied.

We naturally feel the need to share, not to fix the other person, but to bear witness to what is possible, to offer a presence, a word, a silence, a look that says: *you can do it too.* 

Chiron symbolises this force within us: the force of shared resilience, which does not seek to impose itself but acts through resonance. In a world searching for meaning, one of the greatest gifts we can reveal is this ability to respond to the silent call of consciousness, which seeks to open a breach within us through the language of suffering. When we welcome this opening, consciousness unfolds and, with it, a living, natural compassion emerges, asking only to be shared.

The sign in which Chiron is found symbolises the vibratory quality of the inner opening. It indicates the particular way in which suffering has been experienced or is likely to be experienced — not as a factual event, but as a psychic climate and existential feeling. This sign gives an emotional, mental or energetic colour to this vulnerability: it expresses the form taken by the threshold between our personal history and the consciousness that is seeking to emerge. It suggests how the silent call of consciousness manifests itself through suffering, how we resist it, but also how we can respond to it and then share

it. It is the tone of the path to resilience, the language of fracture as much as that of presence.

The house in which Chiron is located indicates the area of life in which the breach opens. It is not a place of failure, but an existential space where our usual reference points may waver, where a feeling of lack, inadequacy or powerlessness may arise, often repeatedly or diffusely. It is here that consciousness calls out to us through discomfort, excess or emptiness, to bring us back to ourselves. It is also in this area of life that, once we have crossed the threshold, our experience of resilience becomes a resource for others. The home therefore shows us where we are called upon to embody a form of conscious presence, a silent solidarity born of what we have been through.

#### Reminder:

### Progression method for each course

This training is intended for independent, curious individuals who are ready to learn on their own, without homework, imposed exercises or intermediate assessments. The path proposed here is experiential: it is less about 'learning' than about observing, feeling, connecting and practising.

Here are a few guidelines to help you progress:

#### No rote learning

No content needs to be memorised mechanically. It is not about acquiring encyclopaedic knowledge, but about allowing a living understanding of each symbol to mature within you. The lessons and associated readings are **tools** for awakening, not fixed knowledge. Let them sink in.

## A practice-based approach

The astrology taught here is a practical discipline, not abstract knowledge. For each element covered (planet, sign, house, aspect, etc.), it is strongly recommended that you observe actual charts. These may include:

- · Your own birth chart
- · Those of your loved ones (family, friends)
- · Public figures (artists, writers, politicians, etc.) whose charts are available online

For example, if you are studying Chiron in Sagittarius, look for well-known people with this configuration (on sites such as astrotheme.fr), and observe how their behaviour, style of action and Martian energy reflect this placement. This will enrich your understanding of the symbol, going far beyond a simple definition.

#### Support available by email

Although the course is self-paced, you can contact me by email via the zenastral.fr website if you would like further explanation, clarification or a more in-depth discussion at any point during the course.

**Read again:** Lesson 7 Astrological interpretation tool sheet

# Reading: Chiron in Astrology by Jérôme Zenastral

This book offers an in-depth exploration of the symbolism of Chiron in astrology, a unique and powerful figure in the natal chart. You will discover the interpretation of the 144 combinations formed by Chiron in the 12 signs of the zodiac and the 12 astrological houses. Each combination reveals a specific nuance of the resilience process: the sign indicates the tone of the inner fracture, the way in which consciousness seeks to emerge through a particular sensitivity; the house, meanwhile, designates the area of life where this opening can occur, where our personal history encounters a limit, but also a potential for transformation.

Beyond this dual reading in signs and houses, the book also explores the aspects that Chiron forms with other planets. These aspects reflect symbolic interferences between different psychic forces, revealing how our path to resilience interacts with other dimensions of our being. Aspects of relaxation indicate a more natural flow of integration, while aspects of tension signal areas of resistance where the ego struggles to let the breach open, but where a broader consciousness is waiting to emerge. To understand these configurations, it is essential to keep in mind my personal view of astrology, based on the

principle of synchronicity. I do not believe that the planets exert any influence on our psyche or our destiny. There is no celestial causality. The planets, in their position at the moment of our birth, simply reflect a state of our being — they are a symbolic mirror, a living language that allows us to better understand our inner dynamics, our rites of passage, our thresholds of consciousness.

It is with this key to understanding that I invite you to explore the pages of this book.

#### ? Any questions?

If this lesson raises any questions, comments or requires clarification, please feel free to contact me at: jerome(at)zenastral.fr