

Celebrate Valentines Day on a Budget!

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Valentines Day is fast approaching! Do you have your plans set?

For me, Valentines Day is a holiday where you acknowledge your significant other or friends how special they are to you. But we know that this year has been filled with a lot of virtual Zoom calls, Face-time with friends, and just trying to maintain a sense of “normalcy”. So, how does someone shows their best friend or significant other that they are the best while there is a world-wide pandemic happening?

Luckily, these ideas for fun dates don’t cost a lot:

Picnic from a restaurant: Get take out from your favorite restaurant and have a picnic at home. It will be a lot warmer in your home, apartment, or wherever you are living currently than eating outside.

Movie Night: Pick out a great movie (or Rom-com), make your favorite movie theater snack and grab a seat on your couch to watch your movie. Luckily, movie streaming platforms like Hulu and Netflix

have a library of different movies (or Rom-coms) to chose from.

Cook at Home: Make dinner together. You tend to learn a lot about the other person when it involves making food. There are a ton of recipes to chose from across the internet, or pick something that he or she misses from home.

These ideas are a great way to celebrate that special someone in your life, and also how to celebrate it safely!

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Aries (March 31-April 19)-Aggressive people may interfere with your plans today, Aries, so don't get too upset if things don't work out the way you want them to. Let this be an exercise in learning how to think and act on your feet. Remember that you can play this game as well as others. Deliver an unexpected surprise right back and see how they deal with it. Perhaps you can learn something.

Taurus (April 30-May 30)-It's hard to keep your balance when a big rock suddenly falls on one side of the scale, Taurus. Resolving the matter isn't as hard as you think, because this rock has been dropped there as a gift. Even though it might be shocking at first, there's an important message in this surprise. The tricky part is figuring out what it is.

Gemini (May 31-June 30)-Like a team of pickpockets in a crowd, a group may have its eyes on you and secretly scheme to take advantage of your innocence, Gemini. One may work to distract you with something playful and harmless, while the others work behind your back to secretly steal your valuables. Stay aware of yourself and your belongings at all times.

Cancer (June 31-July 22)-Opportunity is the name of the game for you, Cancer. Don't turn out the lights before you make sure you've explored all your options today. Inspiration may come in a flash of unexpected thought, so make sure you have a pad and pencil handy. A good idea could be disguised as something insignificant, but if anyone is able to see the potential in something, it's you.

Leo (July 23-August 22)-Today you may be asked to choose between the old and the new, Leo. It's as if people are protesting in some manner and you're being asked to join in the ranks of those wishing to see change. Make sure you honestly assess all the available information before you automatically dismiss the situation as foolish. You should seriously consider lending a hand to the fight.

Virgo (August 23-September 22)-Your inner strength and courage are tremendous today. You will find that people naturally gravitate toward you, Virgo. Accept this flood of energy and put it to good use however you see fit. A spark of genius may hit you sometime during the day. It will have you up all night working on a new invention.

Libra (September 23-October 22)-Wear the striped shirt and polka-dot pants today, Libra. The more you clash with the outside world the better. You may feel wildly out of place at first, but you will begin to see the beauty, importance, and respect you hold by standing out from the crowd. This attitude change will do you good. You may see a whole new way of living.

Scorpio (October 23-November 21)-If you don't understand something, ask, Scorpio. If it looks different to you, ask why that is. Your curiosity is high, especially when it comes to the unconventional, and even more if it's revolutionary. The rebel in you will feel new purpose, and you may be tempted to throw a stick in the spokes of an old carriage that continues to head down the same old boring path.

Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)-You may be shaken to the core today by someone of great personal magnetism, Sagittarius. Maybe you feel as if you're being overshadowed because of the grandiose ideas and mountains of information coming from this person. Perhaps you feel you're too slow. Did you ever think that someone is going too quickly? Don't automatically think that you're the one who needs to change gears.

Capricorn (December 22-January 19)-Your internal computer just got upgraded today and your head is buzzing with all kinds of new information, Capricorn. The good news is that you should be able to process all these bytes at lightning speed. Act swiftly and with great confidence. You can do anything. You could even talk your way into the White House for dinner.

Aquarius (January 22-February 18)-You may feel a bit lonely today, Aquarius, even if there are people all around you. It may seem like everyone's on a different plane. Maybe you think you have nothing in common with others - even those you generally feel closest to. You may be apprehensive about what they think of you after you tell them what you're really thinking or feeling. Don't let this stop you from making your thoughts known.

Pisces (February 19-March 20)-This is a climactic time for you, Pisces. All your yearly cycles have reached a critical juncture. You may feel as if you're at a point of tremendous victory or terrible failure. Either way, it's important that you look on this time as a celebration that you've made it this far. Make changes where necessary and continue to reevaluate your progress over the next few months.



Spring Fashion 2021

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Although there is still snow on the ground right now, Spring is coming soon!

Spring means putting away the winter coat (hopefully!) and UGG's to trade in for flowy dresses and sandals. But what does the Spring look like for 2021?

According to thetrendspotter.net here is a preview of what is going to be some top Spring fashion trends:

-Oversized Shoulderpad boyfriend Jackets: Think of it as a oversized blazer that is 80's inspired and looks great with a pair of straight-leg trousers or even shorts. The shoulderpads will help with making your legs look longer and cinches your waistline. Color palette for this piece of clothing includes powder blue, charcoal, and neutrals.

-Black Facemasks: Yes, facemasks are even creating a trend for the Springtime. Black facemasks give you the opportunity to dress up the masks and even coordinate your outfits. Find the best material that works for you in terms of the type of facemask you want to wear, and style it to your liking.

-Headscarves: They protect your hair and add a very stylish design to your outfit. Headscarves come in all types of

material and design. Pick the best one for you and wear it proudly!

-White Knee High Boots: Channel your inner Go-Go dancer and pick up a pair of these shoes for Spring! These will elevate your outfits whether your wearing some leggings or even a mini skirt. I do plan to incorporate some white knee high boots into my Spring wardrobe.

-Sorbet Pastel tones: Think of lilacs, soft blues, purples, etc. These pastel colors are great to wear for whatever skin tone you have. The best part of these colors that they are perfectly acceptable to wear in summer as well.

Spring fashion is sometimes a bit crazy but these four items can help bring your wardrobe up to another level.