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Astronomy for Absolute Beginners

SpaceWeather & Binocular Observing

- www.spaceweather.com/
- www.binocularsky.com/newsletter/BinoSkyNL.pdf

Telescopes, Binoculars, Meteorites & Red-Light Torches

- www.tringastro.co.uk/ telescopes & binos
- www.msg-meteorites.co.uk meteorites
- www.decathlon.co.uk head torch, HL900

Dark Sky Locations & Weather

- www.ida-uk.org
- www.darkskydiscovery.org.uk
- www.clearoutside.com
- www.netweather.tv/charts-and-data/jetstream

Observing Checklist (✓ - SEEN IT)

- The ISS (International Space Station)
- A Satellite
- A Meteor Shower
- The Moon (quarter moon)
- The Moon (a thin crescent moon)
- Jupiter & the Galilean Moons
- Saturn
- Venus
- Mars
- M13 - Globular Cluster
- Seven Sisters Open Cluster
- The Orion Nebula
- The Plough
- Cassiopeia
- The Milky Way
- The Andromeda Galaxy & Double Cluster

Android Apps

Google Sky Map
ISS Detector
Clear Outside
Meteor Shower Calendar
Glendale Aurora App
AuroraWatch UK
Lunescope
££ - Stellarium
££ - Mobile Observatory 3
££ - Moon Phase Pro

Computer Software/Websites

Stellarium and Celestia
<https://spotthestation.nasa.gov/>
<http://www.solarsystemscope.com/>
http://chandra.si.edu/resources/flash/stellar_evolution.html

iPhone Apps

££ - Sky Safari
Star Walk
ISS Spotter
Astro Aid
AuroraWatch UK
Glendale Aurora App

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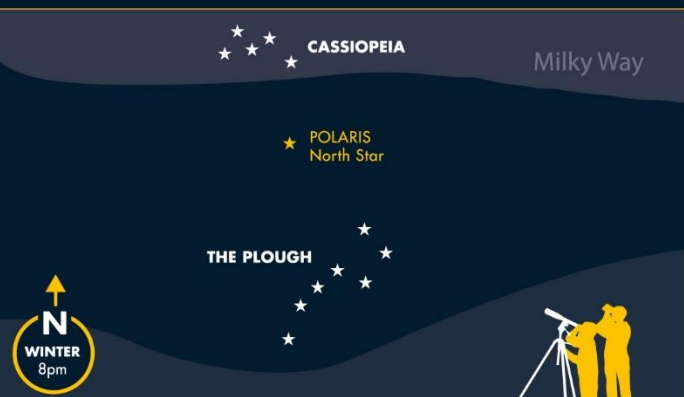
STARGAZING GUIDE

An easy guide to help you navigate your way around the sky at night

www.darkskydiscovery.org.uk



NORTH



Looking South

These stars change throughout the year, but you should see variously, Orion the hunter, Gemini (two stick-figures), Sirius, the Pleiades or Seven Sisters, the Summer Triangle, Cygnus the swan (and if you're very lucky, our galaxy, the Milky Way down which it flies), the square of Pegasus, and if you follow the curve of the handle of the Plough, Arcturus.

SOUTH

