

## Crystal course part 1: Crystals for success!

Crystals are a beautiful way to attract more success into your life. Each type of crystal has a different energy vibration, and there are a number of different types that can be used to positively enhance your success in different areas of your life.

Crystals can be used to bring success by attracting **abundance and wealth, helping you to become happy and to develop a sense of well-being, and supporting you in achieving your dreams** and goals **and creating great friendships and loving relationships.**

When you carry a crystal, place it by you as you sleep or use it as a focus for meditation, it's able to give its energies to you, to help create positive patterns in your life.

You can also use crystals with the principles of Feng Shui, the Chinese art of arranging your living space to promote happiness and well-being. By placing crystals in particular directions in your home or office, you can enhance the energies of success.

When using a crystal for any purpose, you first need to cleanse it. This is quite simple, and removes any old energies and vibrations the crystal may have picked up from its environment. The one exception to this rule is Quartz crystals, which are self-cleansing.

To cleanse a crystal, simply hold it under a running cold tap for a few minutes. Hold a crystal point with the point facing downwards. Then let the crystal dry naturally in the sun. For delicate or soluble crystals, cleanse them by waving incense over them and place in the sun for a few hours.

One of the best crystals for attracting abundance into your life is **Citrine**. This quartz crystal ranges from pale lemon, to deep yellow, to dark brown in colour, and is usually found in shops as single crystals or in clusters of varying sizes.

Citrine holds a wonderful dynamic energy, helping you to attract wealth and prosperity, success and all the good things in life. It promotes a generous nature, encouraging you to share your wealth as well as helping you to manifest more in your life. Citrine also helps to raise your feelings of self-confidence, allowing you to feel more successful and helping you to enjoy and appreciate your achievements to date. When we feel successful, we often are more successful!

Place a Citrine crystal in the south of your living room, study, office, or on the south side of your desk. South is associated with fire energy, which is dynamic, revitalising, creative, enthusiastic and motivating, and helps us to create our dreams and goals.

You can also place a citrine crystal in your cashbox, or the area where you keep bank statements, to attract a flow of money into your account. Another idea is to place a crystal in the wealth corner of a room. The wealth corner is the corner at the far back left from the door into the room.

If you wish to enhance your feelings of being confident and successful, and attract success, wear a Citrine crystal as a pendant, with the point facing downwards, or simply tuck a crystal into your pocket, purse or handbag. Also carry a Citrine crystal to help you through exams, meetings, presentations, financial discussions, job interviews, or any occasion where you need self-confidence and a strong mental focus to be successful.

You may also like to sit quietly with a Citrine crystal in your left hand to allow its energy to enter your life.

Always take care of your crystal by giving it a regular wash or a dust, so that it's always shiny. Note that with Citrine, the colour will fade if it's left in sunlight too long.

Crystals can also be used to bring success to your love life. This includes attracting love in the form of a partner, creating a loving home or re-kindling romance in a longstanding relationship, as well as creating a more loving attitude in the way you relate to the world in general. Wear pale pink **Rose Quartz** to attract love, or place a large rough crystal in a room to enhance loving energies.

Another way of bringing success is to enhance your positive energy or good fortune. **Sunstone** is a beautiful, orange, tumbled crystal which sparkles as you turn it in the light, and which has a strong positive energy. It brings luck and the forces of good fortune, creating happiness and well-being, enthusiasm and a joy of life. Wear or hold a Sunstone whenever you feel you need good fortune, or when you're feeling low or depressed.

There are many ways to use crystals to bring more success. Use your imagination and intuition to think up other ideas, and have fun bringing these beautiful energies into your home.

***Want to find out more about using crystals?***

See Miranda's 'Crystal awareness course' published by Esoteric Entertainments Ltd  
> [www.esoteric-spirit.co.uk/2\\_wkshp.htm](http://www.esoteric-spirit.co.uk/2_wkshp.htm)

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