

Elementally Speaking Course

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Session 1: Elements in our Environment



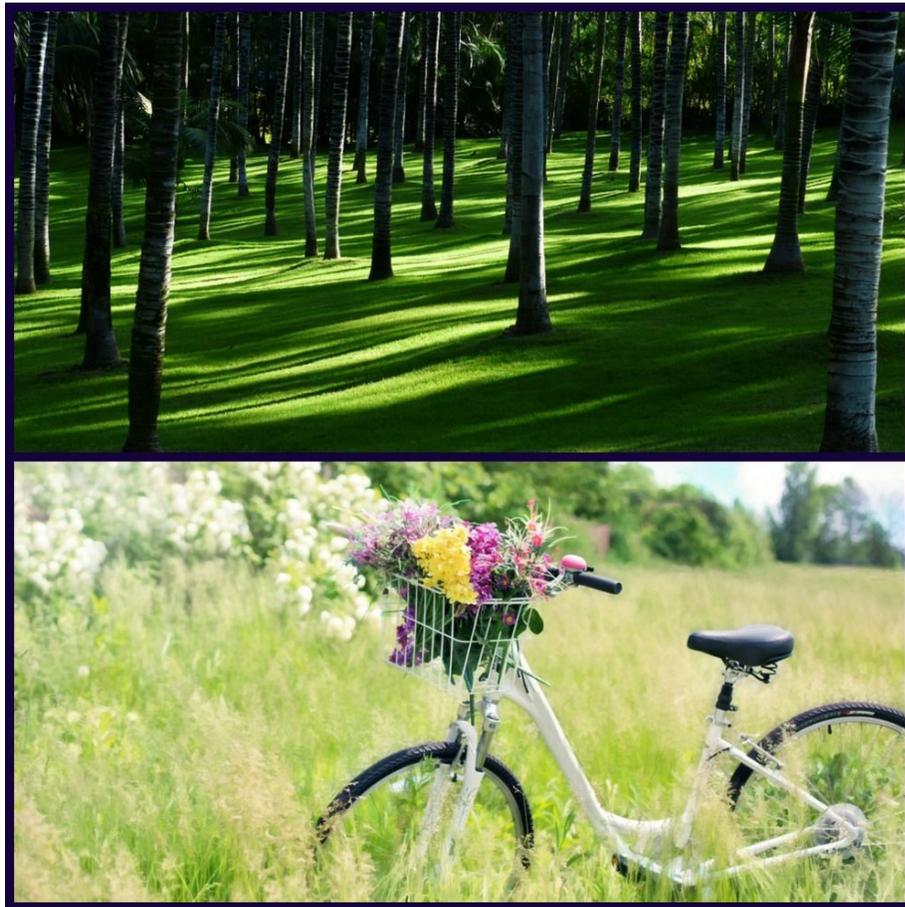
Question 1: *The images above represent two ends of the spectrum of the energy of Water and Fire. For each individual image, assign two Tarots cards to it, choose two that you feel represents the energy of the image. Give each set a sentence to briefly explain the card choice.*

Student: Image of the raging waters to me is the Queen of Cups Reversed. It is raging and looks to be out of control. If this were our Queen of Cups Reversed, I feel that the statement "hell hath no fury like a women scorned" would be appropriate. In the second water image, I see the Ace of Cups. There is a balance of energy, with this anything will be possible to bloom

on this branch.

The out of control fire reminds me of the 8 of Wands, this fire will move fast and furious and yield great change. The candle reminds me of Strength, lending her fire to control the lion does not diminish what she has to offer, but rather helps the illuminate the other.

Mentor: 11/5/17. Very good Chaitali.... I love that saying "hell hath no fury like a woman scorned!". She would represent turbulent water indeed... Just like the King if he was wronged.. The drops of water can sustain life and the turbulent water can take life.... We see it in storms and floods....



Question 2: *The images above of the woodland and the pasture show an abundant environment. What are your thoughts on the elements that contribute together to achieve both?*

Student: I feel that all 4 work harmoniously to create the abundance in the environment. Each element offering just what is needed for each area to flourish.

Mentor: Yes it looks like the ability of the Sun to get through the trees helps sustain the life of the grass.....Too much sun would kill the grass. The Trees

protect the grass from the frost and cold as well, but allow the watering of the grass roots by letting the rain through. Do you think the air (wind) cleanses the trees of dead leaves and allows new foliage to grow? Flowers need the nurture of water and the sun to bloom and allow the birds and bees to pollinate. Too much water could ravish the land, and the dry, windy and sunny weather may bring new life. When flowers die, new flowers bloom and the potential of new plants are born.

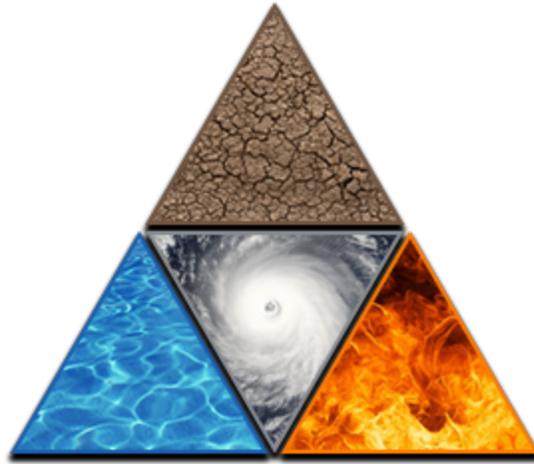


Question 3: *The above image is of a tornado, this is an example of the effects of an out of control extreme. Which 'air' card can you liken this to? You can add another element/card to support your thoughts on this.*

Student: 10 of Swords, this tornado will end a current way of being as it will upheave everything in it's path. Like the 10 of Swords, the figure too is at an end of a cycle, and will have to start again with nothing.

Mentor: Very good Chaitali. They are very destructive aren't they. Goes to show what too much of one element can bring... An imbalance can tip the scales to a natural disaster.

Session 2: Giving life to our Fire!



Question 1. *As the image above reminds us, we have the four elements, the Ace of Wands needs to continue developing in strength. What other element can strengthen the spark of the Ace of Wands?*

I find it helps to visualize the card and what element will work in a 'friendly' strengthening way.

- Fire
- Water
- Earth
- Air

Student: Air.

Mentor: 18/5/17 Very good Chaitali. Yes Fire and Air are both very active and greatly strengthen each other. They generally bring movement in our readings.



Question 2: *The above image represents our Ace of Wands, now choose a card from your deck that you feel your motivation can develop into—with its support. Remember to keep it basic at this point, we don't want to jump immediately to an inferno! This is simply the next phase of any situation so we need to 'introduce' the friendly element, rather than throw it in the mix. Add the name of your card below.*

Student: 4 Swords.

Mentor: Good choice.

Question 3: *Now give a brief explanation as to why you chose the card you have done and how it will work supportingly as an element and then positively as part of a 2 card combination.*

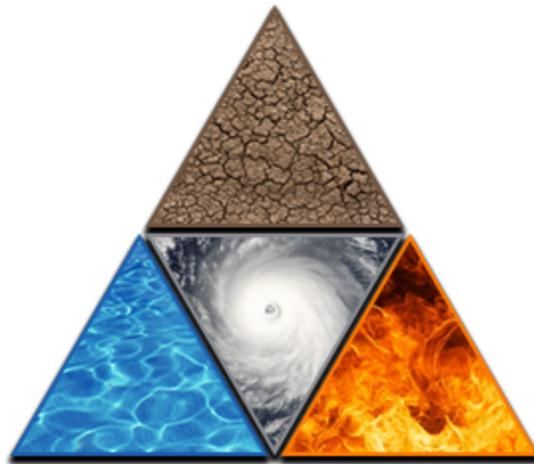
Use the card that you chose above.

Student: Ace of Wands + 4 of Swords = I chose this combo because we have the spark or an idea with the Ace of Wands. We have a general feel of what we want to do, but need clarity as to the how. With the 4 of Swords, we see our figure resting and contemplating his next step. With the 3 out of 4 Swords above him, clearly he has several ideas of how to do this Given this

is a rest period, he is allowing himself to not only see the ideas, but also to put a game plan together on how to act and move forward according to the passion he discovered with the Ace of Wands. The 4 of Swords helps him not only think it through, but also conserve his energy so that when the time comes to act, he has the energy needed to move forward.

Mentor: 18/5/17 Very good Chaitali... You put that together very well. I can definitely see how well they work together...

Session 3: Love Grows!



Question 1: Here we have the four elements, one of the elements will 'move' the water element. This creates an 'active' combination. Which element will you chose for this? Imagine the elements interacting in the natural world as this may help you decide.

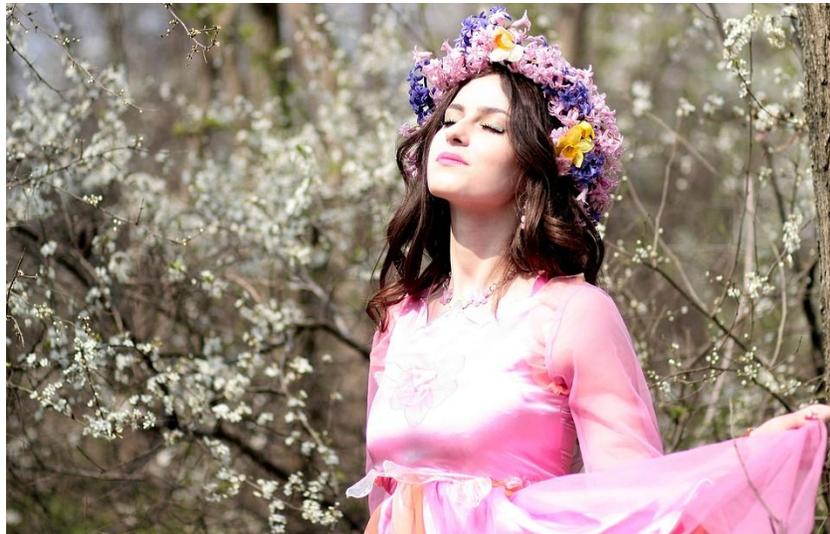
- Fire
- Water
- Earth
- Air

Student: 18/5/2017. Fire.

Mentor: Well I have to say Chaitali, Fire will definitely get water moving, but in a negative way. Literally it will turn water into steam and then it will no longer be water. The Sun can

evaporate the water and the flowers miss out on a drink. That is not friendly. If you think of a desert... it is parched because of the hot Sun. It has plant and animal life that is native to those conditions. The addition of water may bring about drastic changes and wipe out the local wildlife. Fire and Water are classed as unfriendly. Water puts out Fire. Fire turns water into steam. Can you tell me which is the other element that actually brings movement to a reading? How would this element bring movement to Water? You can refer to page 11 & 12 of your resource.

Corrected: - 19/5/0217 Air



Question 2: *The above image represents our Ace of Cups, now choose a card from your deck that you feel will help the Ace develop into the 2 of Cups.*

Remember to keep it basic so we are not flooding any opportunity. We don't want to move directly onto the 2 of Cups because this will rely on some form of movement firstly.

As you did with the Ace of Wands, do the same with the Ace of Cups and give a brief explanation as to why you chose the card you have done and how it will work supportingly as an element and then positively as part of a 2 card combination. Use the card that you chose above.

Student: 18/5/2017. 2 of Wands because our figure in the two of Wands has made a decision to move forward as can be seen with his staff in hand. Now he looks out to "future" to see if

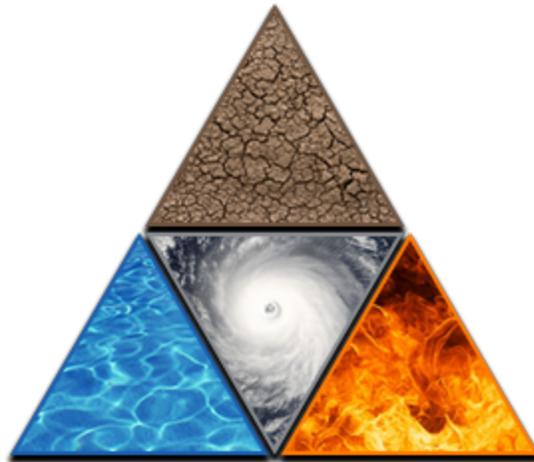
there is someone to share the other wand with. Now his planning begins, what is he looking for in this person?

Their qualities, looks, intelligence.....he must decide and begin to take action.

Corrected: 19/5/2017 Page of Swords. We have the initial interest in the Ace of Cups and have started to have interest in another. With the Page of Swords, we add communication to see if the other is also interested in us. We are able to move the Ace of Cups from initial feeling to activity with this Page of Swords as he is able to start a conversation to learn more about this person and perhaps it's best done by an invitation for coffee, an easy way of opening the door to more if the initial step is a success.

Mentor: 21/5/17. Very good Chaitali.. An insightful card for communication. It opens the door to another and has the Ace Cups expressing an interest. Well thought out.

Session 4: Inspired in Thought



Question 1 : *Here we have the four elements, one of the elements will be somewhat passive with the air element, which means there will not be much effect. Which element will you chose for this?*

Imagine the elements interacting in the natural world as this may help you decide.

- **Fire**
- **Water**

- **Earth**
- **Air**

Student: 21/5/2017. Earth

Mentor: 22/5/17. Do you really feel that Earth and Air will have neutral energy?

Corrected: 30/5/2017: Fire, I am assuming this is the energy needed to move forward, right? If we are looking for a passive element, then I would say Water.

Mentor: 31/5/17. The element of Air is already active and shows movement. To strengthen this we would add Fire, so you are correct in assuming more movement. To bring neutral or passive energy would be to add Water as you say.... The combination of Air and Water is neutral. Very good Chaitali.



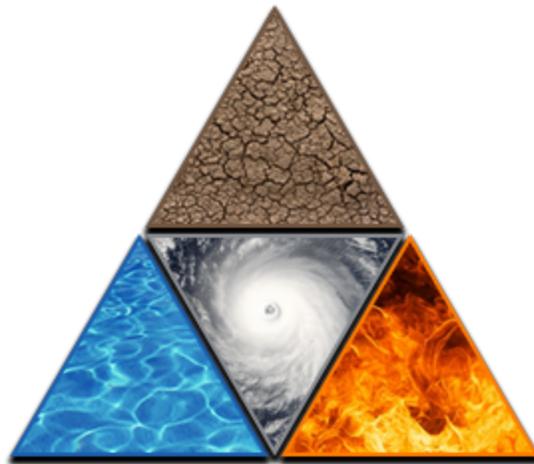
Question 2 : *The above image represents the 2 of Swords, now choose a card from your deck that you feel will help the 2 of Swords to develop actively. Give a brief explanation as to why you chose the card and how it will work actively as part of a 2 card combination.*

Student: 21/5/2017 Knight of Pentacles because the 2 of Swords needs grounding and forward movement. However, the movement needs to be slow and methodical in its approach to achieve the inspired outcome . The Knight of Pentacles is slow, precise, and grounded in his approach and has a clear vision of the outcome he desires. With this Knight, slow and steady wins the race allowing for the inspired thought in the Ace and 2 of Swords to unfold.

Corrected: 30/5/2017: Queen of Wands as she is able to create and manifest what was thought of with the 2 of Swords. She is able to nurture, develop, and manifest with determination.

Mentor: Yes the Queen of Wands is Fire and adds strength to the 2 Swords which is Air. She is confident and quite decisive. She knows what she wants and can put the energy into the decision process. She is highly intuitive and can balance reason with desire.... When you think about it, if the 2 Swords was about making a decision, even the 2 Wands can bring the activity of balancing thought and desire, to rationality and truth.... Emotions would not stand a chance..lol?
Very Good Chatali... You are doing great....

Session 5: The Foundation



Question 1: *Our steady Earth element is creating a very steady job of the saving for the couple's first home. The savings account would benefit from some growth, which element can help?*

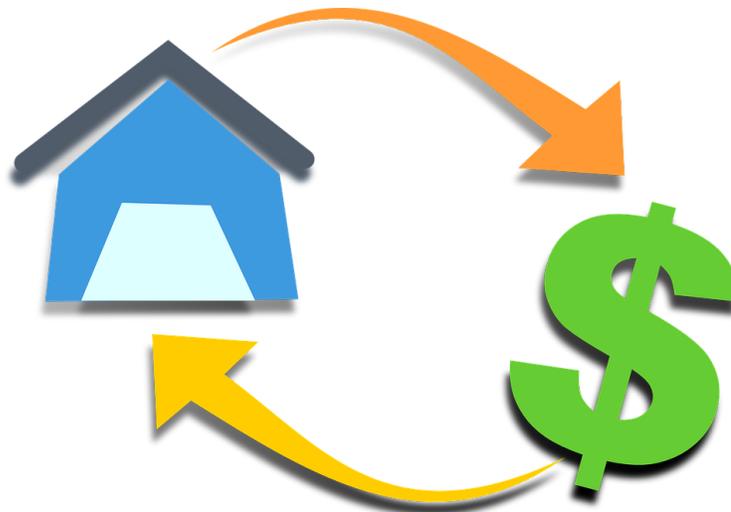
Imagine the elements interacting in the natural world as this may help you decide.

- Fire
- Water
- Earth

- Air

Student: 6/6/2017 Fire

Mentor: 7/6/17. Ah yes. Perfect, we can add some Fire to Earth for some movement that will bring growth.



Question 2 : The above image represents the 2 of Pentacles, now choose a card from your deck that you feel will help the 2 of Pentacles to move onto the next stage, financially.

Student: 6/6/2017: 3 of Wands

Mentor: Great choice Chaitali... I think you are grasping the concept now. Cups (Water) may **strengthen** the meaning of the card 2 Pentacles (earth), but it is **passive** and **does not bring movement for growth**. *Passive + Passive*.
Now Wands, (Fire) is **neutral** as in strengthening the 2 Pentacles itself, but it brings energy or movement (Active) to **add** to the **card without conflict**. *Passive + Active*.

Great work Chaitali... I appreciate how hard you are working on this..

Question 2: Give a brief explanation as to why you chose the card you have done and how it will work actively as part of a 2 card combination.

Student: 6/6/2017: I chose the 3 of Wands to bring a fire energy to the Ace helping move it along into manifestation of stronger financial growth. The 3 of Wands brings confidence to intuit the next steps to financial growth by putting into action the plans that were built in the foundation stage with the Ace of Pentacles and the 2 of Pentacles. I also feel that with the 3, the energy is slower and more steady than perhaps the 8 of Wands, thus leading to more sound approach and implementation of plans.

Mentor: 7/6/17 Excellent response. I could not have said it much better myself. Well done!

Session 6: 2 Card Combinations

2 Card Combination of Water and Earth



Question 1: Take a look at the image above, the two cards represent Water and Earth. Think of a title that may aptly fit the energy of this combination.

Is the energy of the combination

- Active
- Passive
- Other

Student: 31/7/2017 "To partner or not." Passive energy

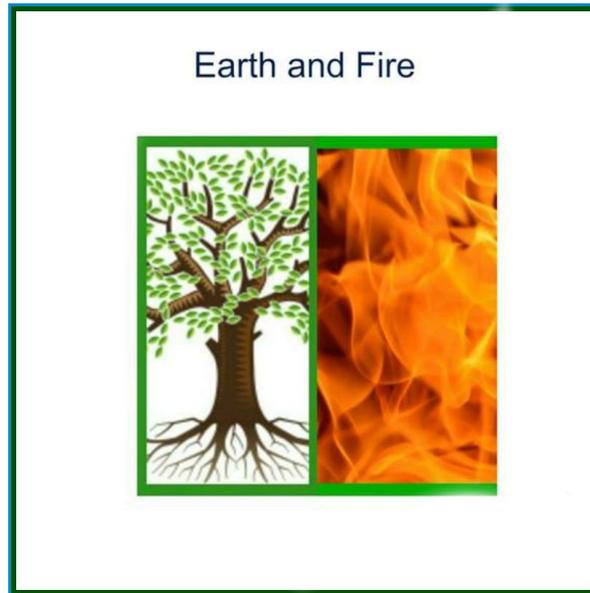
Mentor: 1/8/17 Yes Passive energy..... 2 progresses to a 3...sometimes I see that as growth...being passive and a pentacle, I would see it as steady growth. But as to your "Partner or Not?" I see the discussion held in the three image and can see how you see it as consulting about the relationship! Well done.

Question 2: Please give a brief explanation of how you view this combination, how the two cards combine, in regards to the elements and the insight.

Student: 31/7/2017: I see this combination as two individuals making a decision to come together, but are lacking in some knowledge, leading to the need of 3 of Pentacles, the "master." These cards come together in a passive way to gain a better understanding as to the joining of the duo in the 2 of Cups. Now whether this be a romantic relationship or a business one, it seems that some counsel is still needed to further grow the relationship or help further understand who does what within this relationship dynamic. I do not feel forward movement with these two cards, but I do feel the greater understanding being offered with this combo.

Mentor: Great response Chataili... I like how you interpreted the two cards with wisdom and insight. Yes water and earth are strengthening and you see this strength in either a love or business relationship.

Session 7: 2 Card Combination of Earth & Fire



Question 1: Take a look at the image above, the two cards represent Earth and Fire. Think of a title that may aptly fit the energy of this combination.

Is the energy of the combination

- Active
- Passive
- Other

Student: 1/8/2017: "The Spark that kindles" Energy is Neutral and Friendly

Mentor: 2/8/17 Yes Chaitali...you are right...

Question 2: Please give a brief explanation of how you view this combination, how the two cards combine, in regards to the elements and the insight.

Student: 1/8/2017 I chose the title "the spark that kindles" because the Fire gives life to Earth, to give it some inspiration to decide/think what to do. The kindle is the light showing how to move forward without actually moving forward. Almost like the light that helps create a plan before the energy arrives to take the needed action.

Mentor: Yes because Earth is so passive, and the active element of fire brings it a little movement. Very clever...

Session 8: 2 Card Combination of Fire and Air



Question 1: Take a look at the image above, the two cards represent Fire and Air. What can you imagine this combination is reflecting in a situation?

Is the energy of the combination:-

- Active?
- Passive?
- Other?

Student: 15/8/2017 Active; I feel this combo reflects inspired action that is well thought out and planned. With this combo, it feels methodical versus impulsive and extreme.

Mentor: 16/8/17 Ah yes well thought out... Fire and Air are a strong combination. Action initiated by thought.

Question 2: The Major is always more significant than the Minor card but in this reading, Justice is very supporting of the Ace of Wands. Please give your thoughts on this?

Considering the elemental interactions is the clue.

Student: 15/8/2017 I feel the Ace of Wands is the answer to how to move forward, the inspired action step. On its own, I feel no forward progress would have been attained or if there was any movement, it would be scattered and the person

would have felt burnt out quickly and not continued with the idea. Almost like a dog chasing its own tail and never really getting anywhere. However, with Justice as the supporting player, she offers proper guidance as how to move ahead with the idea, one step at a time. She offers her wisdom by helping create a fair and balanced approach to moving ahead instead of an impetuous approach leading nowhere fast. With Justice, it feels like she is the grounding agent of the inspired action from the Ace of Wands, group being the energy and moving it forward with diligence.

Mentor: Yes Chaitali. Well answered.. She offers so much support to the Ace of Wands. As we know, Aces are the seed and they need to be carried, nurtured and guided.. If you imagine all this immature energy with no place to go, it would burn wildly and its energy not focused on the goal... Justice strengthens by adding reason and balance to the desire...

Session 9: The Strength of Air



The Lovers



Ace of Swords

Question 1: *Above in the image, we have two air cards and as we know air is an active element. So where is the 'action' in this reading?*

Student: 16/8/2017 I feel the “action” will be in making a decision, choosing between more than one option and how to go forward, though there will be no movement with this combo.

Mentor: 17/8/17. It’s a bit like a lot of huff n puff from the big bad wolf in the story of The Three Little Pigs. He approaches the third house built from brick and no matter how much air he huffed and puffed with, he just couldn’t blow the house down....! Yes I agree most of the action is in making a decision and then the potential to build from it...!

Question 2: Which card and element would be useful to bring changes after such an important realization?

Student: 16/8/2017 Given that we already have 2 Air cards with the Lovers and the Ace of Swords, the thought will have already been put into the realization of what steps/action the querent would like to take. I feel the 8 of Wands would be helpful in moving this thought along swiftly and with some precision as we see in the card that all 8 Wands are moving together.

Mentor: Ah yes it would indeed bring movement and direction.. Very good addition.

Question 3: Think of 2 cards that could represent an argument (at least one air card) and another 2 cards for an impulsive decision.

Student: 16/8/2017

1) Argument: Page of Swords + 5 of Pentacles

We have an immature person who likes to gossip and could be running their mouth a bit too much making the group feel upset and as outcast.

2) Impulsive Decision: The Fool + King of Swords: a novice under the impression that he/she knows everything and just decides to for it without any thought

Mentor: 17/8/17. This question is a little bit of a tough one! I can see your point, but the questions relate to the resource Chaitali. If you refer to the resource on page 45, you will see where the answers lie...Something impulsive will be found on page 46 of your resource.

Student: 19/8/2017. I didn't realize that I was suppose to just copy and paste.

1. **Argument:** justice + 3 of Cups
2. **Impulsive Decision:** judgement + knight of swords

Mentor: No that's not what I meant Chaitali...??? What elemental combinations should you be looking at? Water + Air. In your example you used Air + Earth (Page of Swords and 5 Pentacles)

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Water and Air: (this is the answer that will help you answer the question)

Air will bring movement to water, they make a pretty good team when they combine in a reading. If this pairing was combined in a 2 card reading, the individual would feel the effects of the energy of the reading. The cards will indicate how this energy is directed. This can be an **argument** that brings about tears or the joy of winning a legal battle (Justice+3 of Cups), so many potentials and variances. This combination is thought that is induced by emotion or an emotional response to thought.

Water is passive and Air is active, water can move water along, this can be gently or aggressively.

Q3. part (a) Now you need to choose your own two cards which may show an argument?

Student: 23/8/2017 oh that makes so much more sense. Ok, my combo is: Queen of Swords + 8 of Cups

Mentor: Excellent.... Well done!

Q3. part (b) Choose two cards that will show an impulsive decision? (here you need to look to page 46 to find the clue of which two elements to use..

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Air and Fire: Both Fire and the air element are active elements and as such will be friendly and supporting to each other. This would be considered a strong combination so it is highly likely that the querent will 'Feel' the effects of this pairing within a reading. Air will help Fire to Grow which could present itself as actions initiated by thought, Air

supports Fire .We could see an extreme of behavior such as revenge that is initiated by an **argument** (Judgement and Knight of Swords) or Moderation that leads to healing (Temperance and the Star).The Problem with this elemental interaction is that it can be very **impulsive** and can lead to extremes.

Strong and effective combination that will most likely be felt by the client, in varying degrees depending on the cards.

Student: 23/8/2017: Knight of Swords + 8 of Wands

Mentor: Excellent Chaitali, well done!

Session 10: Evaluating the Strength of the Fire element

The Past and Future Cards are Fire and Air. The two elements strengthen each other and in turn are giving support to the Tower. In essence we are giving fuel to the Fire.

The 6 of Wands gives us a significant clue as to what the seeker of the reading may experience.



Question 1: *The 6 of Wands and the Lovers are elementally supporting the Tower card. What transformation do you see occurring within this reading?*

Is the energy of the combination:-

- **Active?**
- **Passive?**
- **Other?**

Student: 26/8/2017 Active. The transformation i see is one of losing the self pride of ego of self victory in the 6 of Wands and learning to make fair and balanced deductions that are good for all, where everyone wins, in the Lovers.

Mentor: 26/8/17 Good work Chaitali. Well thought out...

Question 2: To what degree do you feel the seeker will feel the effects of this reading? Can you briefly explain your rationale for this too? Please give a basic interpretation of the 3 Cards?

Student: 26/8/2017: I feel the sitter will feel this energy strongly as Fire and Air work very well together. I feel the sitter will literally be knocked off of his/her high horse and be given a new point of view from the ground up. While on the high horse, it is easy to lose perspective of the greater good for all and only focus on the self and how great he/she is/was. With the Tower, this sitter is going to be affected greatly and have a very strong grounding experience. While the process is not fun, the end result will be great personal growth that will have the sitter learn to make better choices that not only benefit him/her, but also those around the sitter.

Mentor: You are on fire Chaitali, very well thought out.

Session 11: The 3 Card Combination Reading

Water and Earth get along just fine, so although they do not weaken each other, neither do they strengthen each other. Water would normally weaken the Fire but then Earth normally strengthens it so, we are looking at influence elementally that neither supports nor affects to any significant degree. This is enough for the Fire card because it can burn happily on its own to get the job done.

Water + Fire + Earth



Question 1: Please give your thoughts on the Past and Future Cards, in regards to their role within this reading. Consider their elemental role too.

7 Cups + The Tower + Ace Pentacles.

Student: 31/8/2017 I feel this reading will be felt but to the degree of a single card reading of the Tower; meaning Water (7 of Cups) will dim the Fire of the Tower but its result will be a solid foundation upon the Earth Element of the Ace of Pentacles, which can help reignite the embers.

Mentor: 1/9/17 It's almost like a choice made for you possibly because of procrastination, and having to nurture the result of it... I can't see any big effects or changes as no support for the Fire element of the Tower. So even the Ace Pentacles will not reignite the embers, but offer a more gentle opportunity to get the next attempt right!

Student Revised: only based on elements of Water + Fire + Earth: water will dampen fire, and even though fire and earth strengthen each other, they are neutral allowing for no movement.

Question 2: Is the energy of the combination:-

- Active?
- Passive?
- Other?

Student: 31/8/2017 Other because water will weaken Fire but **Earth will help strengthen it.**

Mentor: **Fire and Earth are neutral not strengthening.** Overall I would say the reading is dominated by the Passive elements. 2 out of 3 cards are both passive elements. These cards do not bring any active energy. The only activity is in the Tower (Fire), and that is weakened by the water element of the 7 Cups. I would opt towards Passive.

Another way I look at it.. Which element is the strongest? Fire and Water are unfriendly and weaken each other. Earth is strengthened by water, but not affected by Fire, so Earth would be the strongest element in the group. Earth is passive and is also supported by Water another passive card. I can see what you mean though. Fire is active, and can bring movement to Earth which is passive. A high possibility if the Fire was also strengthened, but it is in fact weakened by the 7 Cups. So the Tower is fighting for its own strength, and cannot afford to feed it to another... :) Practice makes perfect Chaitali... In your spare time try pulling some 3 cards reads and instead of reading the actual tarot cards, read the elements only. Air for thought, communication and intellect, Fire for passion, desire and will, Water for emotions, feelings and intuition and Earth for senses and security. It will help you develop a natural feel for the elements.

Student Revised: 5/9/2017 Neutral

Question 3: To what degree do you feel the seeker will feel the effects of this Tower? Can you briefly explain your rationale for this too?

Student: 31/8/2017 I feel since the present card is The Tower, the sitter will feel this card no matter its surrounding cards. However, I feel the sitter will feel the Tower as if it's a single card read, because water will try to dampen it but earth will reignite the embers.

Mentor: Again, I don't see the embers reigniting in the Ace of Pentacles. But I do agree with you that the effect of the Tower card is contained within the card itself but a little weakened by the 7 Cups. This will show a lesser impact and perhaps a

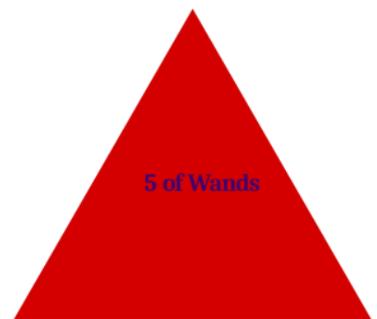
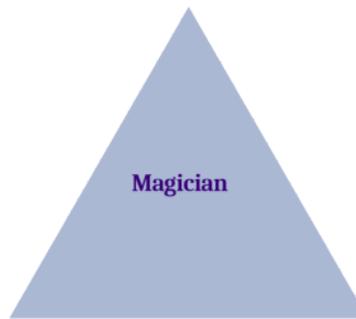
more gentle lesson. Much like how we like our children to learn life lessons... with gentleness and little harm to them.

Student Revised: 5/9/2017 the sitter will feel the effects of this read but not as harshly given that water will cool the fire of the Tower some and the Earth will ground it and a subdued effect will happen.

Session 12: Evaluating the Missing Element

The missing element tells us much about the situation and often as much about it as the cards themselves do. The Earth element is a crucial element for the basis of any relationship.

Water + Air + Fire



Question 1: Which card would fit well into this reading? You can change a card and/or add an additional card and element to what is already laid.

Student: 5/9/2017: I would prefer the following:
2 of Cups + Magician + 5 of Wands + Knight of Pentacles

Mentor: 6/9/17 Ah yes I can see a flow happening here...

Question 2: How do you feel this changes the insight of the reading?

Student: 5/9/2017: With the 2 of Cups, I feel there will be more interest in pursuing this relationship as they are both interested with this card, lending itself a better possible relationship card.

With the Knight of Pentacles, we have the sitter (male) able to take the initial interest from the 2 of Cups, wield his magic as the Magician, work through his internal "stuff" in the 5 of Wands, and as the outcome become like the Knight of Pentacles working slow, steady, and methodically at building/growing this relationship.

Mentor: Yes any pentacles being earth will add or advise of some kind of stability or security needed in the relationship. Well done Chaitali. The actual Knight, could be a character trait or person needed to ground and secure the relationship... Good choice.

Question 3: What type of reading would you describe the new lay of cards now? Active, passive or other?

Student: 5/9/2017: Neutral given the order of:

Water + Air + Fire + Earth

W/A are friendly, yet neutral, giving more a spiritual awakening

F/E strengthen each other but are again neutral

Mentor: By Neutral, I presume you mean "Other".. If we follow the flow of the cards in order from past to present we have:- Passive - Active - Active - Passive. It does balance out pretty well.... We could almost say the situation started slowly, progressed actively, then secured to a slow and steady pace. See how much we can actually get just from the combination of the elements? Well done Chaitali..

Session 13:

Question 1: What are your initial thoughts and general feel of the new lay of cards?

Student: 23/9/2017 Earth + Earth + Fire = Friendly, but neutral

Mentor:25/9/17 . Chaitali this question is about the new layout of cards now.
Water + Air + Fire + Earth.
2 Cups + Magician + 5 Wands + Knight Pentacles.

Student: 30/9/2017 Friendly and active

Question 2: Is the energy of the combination:-

- **Active?**
- **Passive?**
- **Other?**

Student: other, as they are friendly but yield a neutral energy

Student: 30/9/2017 Active

Mentor: 1/10/17. It is really balanced in a way. Passive + Active + Active + Passive. It shows movement from Passive to Active and then to Passive again. That would indicate change in energies whether for the better or worse. Lara sees activity between Fire and Earth, and along with Fire and Air it would seem "Active" dominates. I think the fact that movement was needed for the change it would show a degree of activity but a passive outcome.

Question 3: Would you conclude that the potential is positive in regards to the seeker's question?

Student: 23/9/2017 Yes

30/9/2017 Yes!

Mentor: Yes I agree.

Question 4: Consider the elements and how you understand them to interact, how would you describe the elemental dignities of this reading?

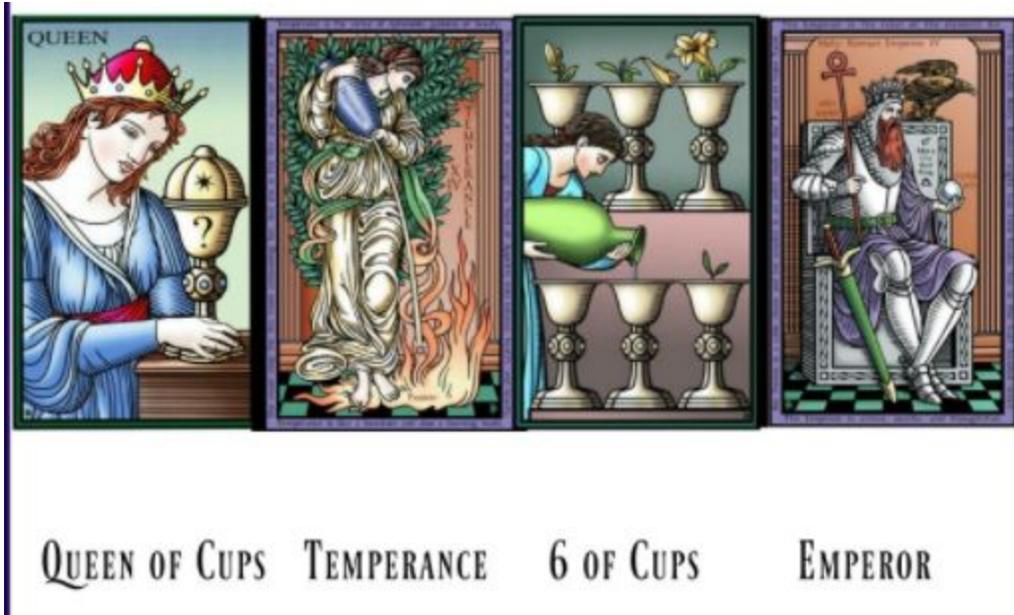
Student: 23/9/2017 I feel with 2 Earth cards, the movement forward will quite grounded and deliberate, albeit slow. With Fire, there will be some energy exerted

towards trying to move forward, but perhaps it is in terms of a financial gain via stocks or gaining a better interest rate, than perhaps going out and buying a new property.

30/9/2017: with the new layout, I feel this will be a very active and strong forward moving reading. Starting with the combo of Water +Air, actively friendly, then adding to it another actively friendly combo of Fire + Earth, the sitter will definitely feel this reading in a positive way perhaps leading to the romantic relationship he/she desired or one that is even better than initial expectation.

Mentor: Very good Chaitali....Great work..

Session 14:



Question 1: *What are your initial thoughts and general feel of the lay of cards?*

Student: 9/10/2017 I feel this reading will lead to emotional release. I.E: a lot of crying then leading to a moment of clarity.

Mentor: It's almost saying,.... Toughen up! Yes elementally pretty conflicting...

Question 2: Would you conclude that the potential is positive in regards to the seeker's question?

Student: 9/10/2017 I'm not sure if it is positive per se. I feel that based on the cards, there will an emotional release which may lead to an aha moment.

Mentor: It almost seems like the Queen of Cups needs to connect to her masculine side to toughen up a little.. So yeah, I agree with you in the way that she needs to release her emotions and then look at the situation from opposition...

Question 3: Consider the elements and how you understand them to interact, how would you describe the elemental dignities of this reading?

Student: 9/10/2017 I would say they are passive and unfriendly. With the first "3" combo, we have loads of water surrounding Temperance's fire. This is where I feel the release of emotions, in the respect of tears. Then with the second set of "3's", we have loads of fire surrounding the 6 of cups, where I feel all of the water is turned to steam leading to some kind of aha moment of clarity. Once the water has been released perhaps they see what it was hiding within. The Emperor is where I feel the clarity come through as he is quite good at sorting out the emotions and adding the mental prowess needed.

Mentor: 10/10/17 Very well thought out Chaitali. I added the image, I don't know how or where it got to, but it's back now...

Session 15:

Think of a Question?

Student: 8/11/17 What does our next move have in store for us?

Mentor: 9/11/17. It's a rather broad question, but when we read for ourselves we see clearly in our minds what we are truly asking...In your case I see "move" as in moving house as you had already mentioned it to me... It must be so unsettling for you and so hard to make adjustments to new environments all the time.

Question 2: What spread will you use?

Student: 8/11/17 3 Cards, no positions + Shadow Card

Firstly, I would like to say that my cards (now found) were very excited to be used again. And do they ever have a message for me:

Double Jumpers: Justice (air) + 4 of Pentacles, Rx (earth)

Tower, Rx (fire) + Emperor (Fire) + Queen of Wands (Fire)

Shadow: Chariot (water)

Mentor: I am so happy you have been re-united with your lovely cards. I bet they missed you so much... Yes so much excitement here and lots to tell you I think...

Question 3: Please give an interpretation of your reading (not too lengthy) and include your any further insight that you can obtain from the elemental dignities?

Student: 8/11/17 Just some initial thoughts of the cards in regards to my Jumpers is that I must be conscious of my spending and ensure that I assess what I will be spending on. ✓ *very good...*

As for the body of the reading, the Tower Rx to me represents the move, but it seems to be not as troublesome as our most recent move. There will naturally be some ups and downs as it's an international move to new work and living environment, I feel that it will still be okay. I feel the next two cards, the Emperor + Queen of Wands, represent my husband and I, each also representing our own personal tasks at hand, him keeping his eyes forward and on his job, and me being the Queen of multitasking ensuring that everything else transitions easily. With

the Shadow of the Chariot and the Queen of Wands looking in it's direction, I feel that I will need to find balance at all times so that our move goes smoothly and so that I am making balanced decisions. ✓ *The Queen Wands is excellent for taking on tasks like this..she has the passion, will and motivation to deliver... The Emperor may represent a strong structure in moving.. You obviously have experienced it often and can rely on what you have learned from the past and having processes and procedures in place.*

Given all of that Majors in this read, I feel that if we are able to stay balanced, remembering our roles and what our "jobs" are, that this move will be victorious and yielding joy of the new adventure. *They seem to be such high profile cards..I think you will handle the move very well...*

Elementally, taking only the middle 3 cards, we have ALL Fire! There is a lot of action and we will need to make sure that we do not burn ourselves out nor do we lose our tempers along the way. I feel that jumpers and the shadow card help temper the fire keeping it under some control, but still allowing the Fire to give us the energy and the drive to make this move as smoothly and seamlessly as possible.

Mentor: An excellent reading Chaitali... So professionally expressed...

Mentor's Evaluation: 9/11/17. Chaitali has worked hard at this course and has developed a sound understanding of the elemental correspondences to tarot. I am very proud and pleased with her progression, and the demonstration of these new skills she has learned and exercised during this course.

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