

Getting Started in Stargazing

Suggested Beginners Kit

- a. 7x50 Astronomy binocs - \$34.92 Prime
(http://www.amazon.com/Celestron-71198-Cometron-Binoculars-Black/dp/B00DV6SI3Q/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1457485790&sr=8-1&keywords=celestron+cometron+7x50) – I only found this one for \$34. Couldn't find \$29.95.
- b. Red Flashlight - \$13.89
(http://www.amazon.com/HQRP-Flashlight-Astronomy-Viewings-Night-Time/dp/B00AXYE1IK/ref=sr_1_10?ie=UTF8&qid=1457569910&sr=8-10&keywords=red+flashlight+astronomy). Starizona also has an inexpensive red flashlight.
- c. Nightwatch (book) - \$23.50 Prime
(<http://www.amazon.com/NightWatch-Practical-Guide-Viewing-Universe/dp/155407147X>)
- d. The planisphere - \$14.62 Prime
(http://www.amazon.com/Guide-Stars-Ken-Graun/dp/1928771017/ref=pd_sim_14_6?ie=UTF8&dpID=61CVjLLiLQL&dpSrc=sims&preST= AC UL160 SR160%2C160 &refRID=0CVN5R4KPGQ5F1XB53TV)
- e. Sky Safari 4 (app for phone/ipad) - \$2.99
(<http://skysafariastromy.com/products/skysafari/>)
- f. Astronomy Club Library Library: My Favorite Universe – 12 ea. 30 min. lectures
(<http://www.thegreatcourses.com/courses/my-favorite-universe.html>)
- g. Astronomy Club Library Library: Our Night Sky - 12 ea. 30 min. lectures
(<http://www.thegreatcourses.com/courses/our-night-sky.html>)
- h. My Library (will loan/show): Skywatching – 12 ea. 47 min. lectures
(<http://www.thegreatcourses.com/courses/skywatching-seeing-and-understanding-cosmic-wonders.html>)
- i. My Library (will loan/show): The Life & Death of Stars – 24 ea. 29 min. lectures
(<http://www.thegreatcourses.com/courses/the-life-and-death-of-stars.html>)