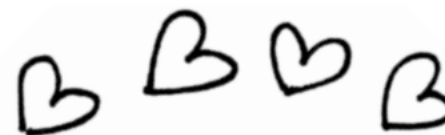


# How Romantic Are You?

Hopeless romantic or too cynical to be impressed? Check all the statements that apply to find out your lovey-dovey levels.

- ☐ You've cried every time you've watched *The Notebook*.
- ☐ You want to sleep in a bed sprinkled with rose petals.
- ☐ You think Paris is the most romantic city in the world.
- ☐ You know what movie features the quote, "So I can kiss you anytime I want?"
- ☐ You've Instagrammed every bouquet of flowers you've ever received.
- ☐ Candlelit dinners are a requirement for special occasions, like birthdays and anniversaries.
- ☐ Your idea of a dream date would include ice-skating in NYC at wintertime.
- ☐ You believe nothing matters more in life than love.
- ☐ "You had me at hello" goes down as one of the most romantic movie quotes ever.
- ☐ When playing with Barbies as a kid, Barbie and Ken always lived happily ever after.
- ☐ You've had daydreams about sharing a passionate kiss with your soul mate in the middle of a rainstorm.
- ☐ You embrace the excitement of a blind date rather than fearing it.
- ☐ You truly don't believe chivalry is dead.
- ☐ You want to write someone a love letter.
- ☐ You want someone to write you a love letter.
- ☐ You've tried the *Dirty Dancing* lift IRL.
- ☐ A dream proposal would include 1,000 yellow daisies, just like Lorelai received in *Gilmore Girls*.
- ☐ Being serenaded is a fantasy for you.
- ☐ And the Lloyd Dobler move (holding a boombox above his head) is over-the-top sweet.
- ☐ You consider snuggling as one of your favorite pastimes.
- ☐ Nothing gives you butterflies more than a first kiss.
- ☐ Handholding is a requirement for any walk taken together.
- ☐ You always have a Valentine.
- ☐ You always have someone to kiss at midnight on New Year's Eve.
- ☐ You watch *Love Actually* every holiday season.
- ☐ You love listening to love stories from couples that have been together for decades.



- ☐ Thanks to *500 Days of Summer*, you've thought IKEA could be a fun date rather than recognizing it for the hellhole it actually is.
- ☐ You've made love mixtapes or playlists for multiple people.
- ☐ Breakfast in bed is one of the most thoughtful gestures anyone could do.
- ☐ You've doodled your first name combined with the last name of someone with whom you're smitten. Plus, hearts.
- ☐ You want to meet a lover at the top of the Empire State Building at some point in your life.
- ☐ You think picnics are a perfect date idea.
- ☐ You want to start and end every day with a kiss from the one you love.
- ☐ You believe love is love, no matter whom it's with.
- ☐ You love to witness anyone else getting engaged.
- ☐ It's not love without a grand gesture involved.
- ☐ Dancing in an empty street à la Noah and Allie in *The Notebook* equals a dream date.
- ☐ You've cried at every wedding you've attended.
- ☐ You believe there is one person for everyone.
- ☐ You believe in soul mates.

## Answer Key

### 10 or Fewer Statements Checked You're romantic when it counts!

You make sure to step up your game on the most special occasions—holidays, birthdays, and anniversaries. But even then, you're only giving minimal effort. It's easy to say how you feel, but showing it with thoughtful actions every day will bring even more love into your life. If you really want to get lucky, go with the element of surprise and sweep your lover off his/her feet more often—and for no reason at all.

### 11–25 Statements Checked You love a grand gesture!

From a sweet serenade to cooking a romantic candlelit dinner at home, you know how to woo the one you love. You do it just often enough to let them know how special they are to you, but not too often where it becomes meaningless or they come to expect it all the damn time. Keep it up and your relationship will remain very loving and full of surprises. It's those kind, thoughtful gestures that keep the spark alive—encouraging you both to fall deeper in love.

### 26+ Statements Checked You are a head-over-heels romantic!

You love all things love. Romantic movies, flowers, and big and small gestures of love. You can't get enough of it. And it's those constant efforts that keep your relationships strong and long lasting. You never take your special someone for granted. With this determination to find the real, consuming, can't-live-without-each-other love, you're certain to experience it when the time is right.

