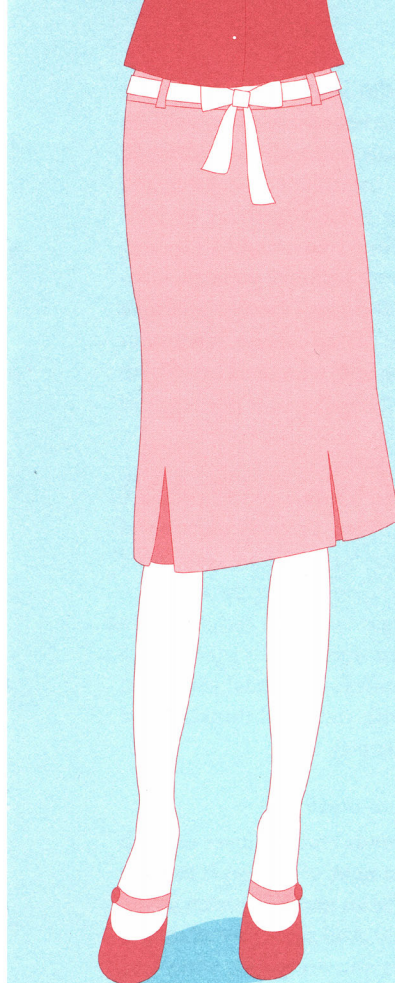


## mary jane

The Mary Jane girl's heart almost always harkens back to the era where girls were girls and boys were boys, and life ticked along with regularity. You like order and neatness in all things, though you are often game for a fun activity (provided it's not too outlandish) and have a great sense of playfulness underneath your prim and proper exterior. You may even pull the occasional complicated practical joke — extremely well orchestrated, of course. But that won't come until you know your victims quite well. You think the colors pale pink, yellow, and mint green are primary colors. Coordination is also a theme with you. In your mind, there is absolutely no reason that one's umbrella, trench coat, and rubber rain boots (I know you wear rubber rain boots on rainy days before you change into your Mary Janes indoors) shouldn't coordinate. Same with your kitchen — freshly lined kitchen shelves stocked with friendly, serviceable cups and saucers in coordinating colors are *de rigueur*. In your bedroom, English country is the mainstay: coordinated duvet, sheets, curtains, and rug. Fortunately, you have very good taste, so the overall effect of the coordinating is more cheery and comfy than overwhelming. Your belief is that there is no reason not to have a little coordination in one's life, a very calming effect.



### completing the look

A freshly starched blouse and skirt ensemble always speaks to a Mary Jane girl. Quintessentially neat and crisply dressed, your jewelry should be pearls: coordinated necklace and earrings (given to you for your twelfth birthday by your mom) and an antique pearl ring from your grandma adorning your right pinkie finger. Hair swept back in a ponytail, often with a ribbon, and brushed at all times. Makeup is simple and traditional: lipstick in a color that matches a handbag or shoes, and neat, clean foundation with a touch of rose in the cheeks.

### work it, girl

It is important that your skills are appreciated and you are given plenty of positive recognition. You will bloom and beam in these sorts of conditions. You will be happy using your detail skills at a local library, reorganizing the reference section, or working as an antique furniture restorer. As a high-powered executive assistant, successfully managing a very irascible boss with big business demands, your calm and soothing manner, along with your cool thinking and problem solving, would come into play.

### finding a sole mate

A mate who opens doors and sends regular doses of fresh flowers (accompanied by a sweet note, of course) is the perfect match for you. Lawyers can be an excellent match as you appreciate their logic and rhetoric. And since they often find you the perfect companion, for you are perky, witty, and

extremely considerate, this is a good combination. Other possible pairings include classical musicians, provided they are not too serious, and woodworkers.



### invoking your inner stiletto

Donning a pair of racy, sheer boy-shorts underneath your skirt is the perfect way to harness your feminine wiles — they'll accentuate the plump roundness of your pink cheeks in a nice way that only you'll know about.

