

## Baby Names: BOYS

### A

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Aadarsh/Adarsh	One who has principles, ideal
Aadesh	command; message
Aadi	first; most important
Aadinath	God, Supreme Ruler of the Universe, the first God
Aadishankar	Sri Shankaracharya, founder of Adwaita Philosophy
Aaditey/Aaditya	Son of Aditi
Aahlaad	delight
Aakaash/Akash	sky
Aakanksha	Desire
Aakar	form, shape
Aakarshan	attraction
Alaap	musical prelude
Aalok/Alok	Cry of victory
Aamod/Amod	pleasure
Aashish/Ashish/Ashis	blessings; Aashirwad
Aastik	who has faith in god
Aatish	Explosive, a Dynamic person
Abhay/Abhaya	fearless, son of Dharma
Abhayananda	one who is delights in remaining fearless
Abheek/Abhik	fearless
Abhi	
Abhichandra	with a moon like face, one of the 7 Manus of the Sevtembara jaina sect
Abhidi	radiant
Abhijat	Noble, wise
Abhijaya/Abhijay	conquest, complete victory
Abhijit/Abhijeet	a constellation dear to Hari
Abhik	fearless
Abhilash/Abilash/Avilash	wish/ desire

Abhimand	gladdening
Abhimani	full of pride, another name for Agni as the eldest son of Brahma
Abhimanyu	Arjuna's son
Abhimoda	joy, delight
Abhinabhas	renowned, famous
Abhinanda	to rejoice, to celebrate, to praise, to bless, delight
Abhinandana	felicitous, welcoming
Abhinatha	lord of desires, another name for kama
Abhinav/Abhinava	new, young, fresh, modern, a sakta notable for his great leaning and spiritual
attainment	
Abhiraj	fearless king
Abhirath	great charioteer
Abhirup	handsome, pleasing
Abhishek	an auspicious bath for a deity; anointing
Abhisoka	passionate, loving
Abhisumat	radiant, another name of sun
Abhisyanta	splendid, a son of Kuru and Vahini
Abhivira	surrounded by heroes, a commander
Abhyagni	towards the fire, a son of Aitasa
Abhyudaya	sunrise, elevation, increase, prosperity
Abhyudita/Abhyudit	elevated, risen, prosperous
Abinash/Avinash	indestructible
Achal	constant
Achalendra	lord of the immovable, the Himalayas
Achanda	not of the hot temper, without anger, gentle
Acharya/Aacharya	teacher, another name for Drona, Asvaghosa and Krpa
Achindra	flawless, uninterrupted, perfect
Achintya	inconceivable; a name of Lord Shiva; beyond comprehension
Achyut/Achyuta	imperishable; indestructible; a name of Vishnu
Adarsh	ideal
Adesh	command
Adhik	greater
Adhikara	principal, controller, right
Adhipa	king, ruler

Adhiraj	king
Adhita/Adhit	a scholar
Adikavi	first poet
Adil	sincere; just
Adinath	the first lord; Lord Vishnu
Adit	first born, from the beginning
Aditya	the sun
Adityanandana	son of the sun
Adripathi	master of the mountains
Advay	unique
Adwaita	non-duality
Agastya	name of a sage
Agharna	the moon
Aghat	destroyer of sin
Agneya	son of agni
Agni	fire
Agni/Aagney	son of the Fire God
Agrim	leader; first
Agriya	first best
Ainesh	the sun's glory
Ajamil	a mythological king
Ajatashatru	a name of Vishnu, without enemies
Ajay/Ajaya	unconquerable, invincible
Ajendra	king of mountains
Ajit/Ajeet	victorious, unconquerable
Ajitabh	one who has conquered the sky
Ajitesh	Lord Vishnu
Ajmal	pious
Akash,Akaash,Aakaash	the sky
Akhil	complete, entire
Akhilesh	lord of the universe
Akshan	eye
Akshar	letter
Akshay/Akshaya	indestructible, immortal

Akshit	permanent
Akshyat/Akshat	unharmed, uninjured
Akul	a name of Lord Shiva
Alhad	joy
Alok	brightness
Amaanat	treasure
Amal	bright, clean, pure
Amalendu	pure like the moon
Amalesh	the pure one
Aman	peace
Amar	forever, immortal
Amartya	immortal
Ambar/Amber	sky
Ambarish/Amrish	the sky
Ambuj	lotus
Ameya	immeasurable; boundless
Amil	invaluable
Amir	rich
Amish	honest, pure
Amit	endless, boundless
Amitabh	boundless lustre/splendor/one with boundless splendour
Amitesh	one who is Infinite; God
Amitiyoti	limitless brightness
Amiya	nectar; delight
Amod	pleasure
Amogh	unerring; a name of Lord Ganesh
Amoha	clear, straight
Amol/Amul	priceless, valuable
Amrish	king of the sky
Amrit	nectar
Amshu	atom
Amulya	priceless
Anadi	eternal
Anagh	sinless

Anand/Aanand	bliss, happiness, joy
Ananga/Anang	name of Cupid or Kamadeva
Ananta/Anant	infinite
Anek	many
Angad/Angada	bracelet, brother of Wali & Sugreev
Anik	???
Anil	the wind god
Animesh	bright, to stare open-eyed
Anirudh/Anirudra	free; grandson of Lord Krishna
Anirvan	undying
Anish	supreme; Lord Vishnu; Lord Shiva
Aniteja	Immeasurable splendour
Ankit	the chosen one
Ankur	sprout; new life
Ankush	control, check, hook
Anmol	priceless
Anniruddha	son of Pradyumnna
Anshu	the sun
Anshul/Anshuk	radiant
Anshuman	sun
Anshumat	luminous
Anubhav	experience
Anugya	authority
Anuj/Anoj	younger brother
Anup	without comparison
Anupam	unique/ incomparable
Anurag/Anuraag	attachment, devotion, love
Anuttam	unsurpassed
Apurva/Apoorva	unique, quite new, never before
Aranab	ocean
Archan	worship
Archit	worshipped
Ardhendu	half moon
Arghya	offering to the Lord

Arhant,Arihant	destroyer of enemies
Arijit	conquering enemies
Arindam	destroyer of enemies
Arjit	earned
Arjun	one of the Pandavas
Arnav	ocean
Arnesh	lord of the sea
Arokya	very pious, healthy
Arpan	offering
Arul	the lord's grace; lord's blessings
Arun	sun
Aruni	name of a devoted pupil
Arvind/Arbind/Aravinda	lotus
Arya	honoured, noble
Aryaman	the sun
Asav	essence
Ashank	faith
Ashesh	benediction
Ashis,Ashish	benediction, blessings
Ashok/Ashoka	without grief
Ashu	quick
Ashutosh	who is easily pleased; Lord Shiva
Ashwin	a cavalier; a Hindu month; one of the constallations
Asim/Aseem/Asheem	limitless
Aslesh	embrance
Atal	unshakeable, immovable
Atanu	Cupid
Athiya,Atiya	to surpass
Atma/Aatma	soul
Atmaja	son
Atmajyoti	inner light; light of the soul
Atman	the self
Atmanand	blissful
Atreya/Atre	the son of sage Atri to whom Dattatreya was born

Atul,Atulya	matchless; incomparable
Avadhesh	King Dasaratha
Avaneesh/Avanish	god of the earth
Avanindra	lord of the earth
Avanish	lord of the earth
Avatar	incarnation
Avikshit	never seen before
Ayush	long lived

## ***B***

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>MEANING</u></b>
Badal	cloud
Badri	Lord Vishnu
Badrinath	Lord Vishnu
Baikuntha	heaven
Bajra/Vajra	thunderbolt
Bal/Bala	young, infant, strong
Baladitya	young sun
Balaji	Lord Vishnu
Balaraj	strong
Balaram	the brother of Lord Krishna
Balbir	strong
Balchandra	young moon
Baldev/Balraj/Balwant	strong
Balgopal	baby krishna
Balgovind	baby Krishna
Balkrishan	young Krishna
Ballabh	beloved, dear
Balmani	young jewel
Balmohan	one who is attractive,
Balram	Krishna's brother
Balwant	strong
Bandhu	friend

Bandhul	pleasing
Bankim	curved
Bankimchandra	crescent moon
Bansi	flute
Bansilal	Lord Krishna
Barindra	ocean
Barun/Varun	lord of the waters, neptune
Basant/Vasant	spring
Basanta/Basant	spring
Basistha, Vasishtha	a sage
Basu/Vasu	an ancient king
Basudev/Vasudev	Krishna's father, god of wealth
Bhadra	auspicious
Bhadrak	handsome
Bhagat	devotee
Bhagirath	one who brought river Ganga to the earth
Bhagwan	God
Bhagya	luck
Bhairab/Bhairav	one of the gods
Bhajan	adoration
Bhakti	devotion, prayer
Bhanu	the sun
Bharadwaj	a sage; a mythical bird
Bharat	India, brother of Lord Ram
Bhargava/Bhargabh	Lord Shiva
Bhaskar	sun
Bhaswar	shining
Bhaumik	earthly
Bhavesh	lord of the world
Bhavya	Grand
Bhim	powerful; one of Pandavas
Bhishma	a character of Mahabharata, strong
Bhooshit	decorated
Bhrigu	a Prajapati

Bhudev	lord of the earth
Bhumi/Bhoomi	the earth
Bhupal	king
Bhupat/Bhupad	lord of the earth
Bhupen	king
Bhupendra	emperor, king of kings
Bhushan	adornment
Bhuvan/Bhuwan	palace, one of the three worlds
Bhuvanesh/Bhuvanesh	the lord of the world, Vishnu
Bhuvaneshwar	lord of the world
Bibek	judgement
Bibek/Vivek	conscience
Bibhaakar	the moon
Bibhas	a raga
Bibhu	powerful
Bibhu/Vibhu	all-pervading
Bibhuti	honoree??
Bidur	wise; a friend of Lord Krishna
bidwan	scholar
Bidyut	lightning, electricity
Bihaan/Bihan	morning/ dawn
Bijay/Vijaya	victory
Bijaya/Vijaya/Vijay	victory
Bijendra,Bijanyendra	victorious
Bikas/Bikash	development
Bikesh/Vikesh	the moon
Bikram/Vikram	valour
Bilas	play
Bimal/Vimal	clean, pure
Binaya/Binay/Vinay	humility
Binaya/Vinaya	modesty, humbleness
Binayak	Lord Ganesh
Bindu	point, droplet
Bindusar	an excellent pearl

Binesh	godly
Binit/Vineet	unassuming
Binod/Vinod	pleasing, happy, full of joy
Bipin/Vipin	forest
Biplav	floating; revolution
Bipra/Vipra	a priest
Bipul/Vipul	extensive
Bir	courageous, brave
Biraj	sun; splendour
Biraj/Viraj	resplendent, splendour
Biral/Viral	precious; rare
Birat	very big, giant proportioned
Birbal	brave heart
Birendra	king of warriors
Bishal	huge, broad, great
Bishnu	Lord Vishnu
Bishwa	earth, universe
Bishwambhar	the supreme spirit
Bishwas	faith, trust
Bishweshwar	lord of the universe
Biswa/Bishwa	earth, universe
Biswajit	conquerer of the world
Biswas	trust
Bodhan	kindling
Brajesh	Lord Krishna
Bramha	Creator of the universe
Bratindra	devoted to right deeds
Brij	
Brijesh	god of the land 'Brij'
Brijmohan	Krishna
Buddha	awakened, Lord Buddha
Buddhi	knowledge
Byas/Vyas	the author of Mahabharata

# C

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Chaitanya	the name of a saint; consciousness
Chaitya	place of worship
Chakor	a bird enamoured of the moon
Chakra	Lord Vishnu's weapon, circular
Chakrapani	Lord Vishnu
Chakshu	eye
Chaman	garden
Champak	a flower
Chanakya	bright
Chanchal	active
Chandan	sandalwood
Chandra	moon
Chandrachur	Lord Shiva
Chandrasah	bow of Shiva
Chandrak	peacock feather
Chandrashekhar	one who holds moon in his hair knot, Lord Shiva
Chandresh	lord of the moon
Chapal	quick
Charan	feet
Charanjit/Charanjeet	one who has won over the lord
Chatura	clever
Chetan	consciousness, life
Chetana	consciousness
Chhandak	the charioteer of Lord Buddha
Chidambar	one whose heart is as big as the sky
Chidananda	Lord Shiva
Chinmaya	supreme consciousness
Chintak	thinker
Chintamani	philosopher's stone
Chintan	meditation; thought
Chirag	lamp

Chiranjeev/Chiranjibi	immortal
Chirantan	immortal
Chirayu	immortal
Chitra	drawing
Chitta	mind
Chittaprasad	happiness
Chittaranjan	joy of inner mind
Chittesh	lord of the soul
Chudamani	crest jewel

## *D*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Dakshesh	Shiva
Dakshi	the glorious
Daman	one who controls
Damodar	Lord Ganapati
Danbir/Danvir	charitable
Darpak	Kamdev, god of love
Darpan	a mirror
Darshan	vision, sight, paying respect
Dasharath	the father of Lord Rama
Dattatreya	a son of Atri, a god
Daya	kindness
Dayanand	one who likes being merciful
Debashis/Devashish	the Lord's blessing
Debjit/Devjit	one who has conquered Gods
Deenabandhu	friend of the poor
Deep	a lamp, light
Deepak/Dipak	light
Deepan	lighting up
Deepankar	lord of light
Deependra/Dipendra	lord of light
Deependu	bright moon

Deepesh/Dipesh	lord of light
Deepit	lighted
Deeptanshu	the sun
Dev/Deb	God, king
Devabrata	a name of Bhisma
Devaj	from God
Devajyoti	brightness of the Lord
Devak	divine
Devanand	joy of God
Devang	from God
Devarsi	sage of the Devas
Devdarsh	worshipper of God
Devdas	follower of God
Devendra/Debendra	Lord Indra
Devesh	god of gods
Devesh/Debesh	god of gods
Deveshwar	Lord Shiva
Devrat	spiritual
Dhairya	patience
Dhana/Dhan	wealth
Dhananjay	one who wins wealth, Arjun
Dhanesh	lord of wealth
Dharanidhar	Sheshnaag - the cosmic serpent
Dharma	religion, nature
Dharmapal	protector of his religion
Dharmendra	king of religion
Dharmendu	light of religion
Dharmesh	master of religion
Dharuna	a rishi
Dhatri	a son of Vishnu/Lakshmi
Dhawal	white, fair complexioned
Dheeman	intelligent
Dheemant	wise; intelligent
Dheerendra/Dhirendra	god of courage, lord of the brave

Dhimant	intelligent
Dhir/Dheer	tolerant, wise
Dhiraj	patience
Dhiren	one who is strong
Dhritiman	patient
Dhruba	the polar star, firm, unshakable
Dhwani	sound
Dhyan	meditation
Dhyanesh	meditative
Dhyaneshwar	Lord of meditation
Dibya/Divya	heavenly, brilliant
Digambar	unencumbered, free, naked
Dilawar	brave
Dilip, Dileep	a king, ancestor of Rama
Dinakar	the sun
Dinendra	lord of the day, the sun
Dinesh	sun
Dinkar	sun
Dipendra	lord of lights
Dipendu	moon
Dipesh	lord of light
Diptanshu	sun
Divendu, Divyendu, Dibyendu	the moon
Divyesh	full of divinity
Diwakar/Divakar	sun
Durga	named after Goddess Durga
Durgesh	lord of forts
Durjaya	difficult to conquer
Dushyanta	a king from the epic Mahabharata, destroyer of evil
Dwaipayan	the sage Vyasa
Dwarika	capital of Lord Krishna's kingdom
Dwijendra/Dwijaraj	king of Brahmins; the moon
Dwijesh	river

## *E*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Ekachakra	son of Kashyapa
Ekagrah	focused
Ekalavya	renowned for his devotion to his guru
Ekambar	sky
Ekanath	king
Ekansh	whole
Ekaraj	emperor
Ekavir	bravest of the brave
Eknath	poet, saint

## *F*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Falguni,Phalguni	born in Falgun, a Hindu month
Fanindra/Phanindra	the cosmic serpent Shesh
Fanish/Phanish	the cosmic serpent Shesh
Fanishwar/Phanishwar	lord of serpents, Vasuki
Fateh/Fatte	victory

## *G*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Gagan	sky, heaven
Gajanand	Lord Ganesh
Gajendra	the king of elephants
Gambhir	deep, serious
Ganapati	Lord Ganesh
Ganaraj	lord of the clan
Gandharva	celestial musician
Gandhi	sun
Gandhik	fragrant

Ganesh	a Hindu God; son of Lord Shiva and Parvati
Ganga	holy river
Gangadhar	Shiva
Gangadutt	gift of Ganga
Gangesh	Lord Shiva
Gaurang	fair complexioned
Gaurav	honour, pride, respect
Gautam	Lord Buddha
Geet	Song
Ghanashyam	Lord Krishna
Giri	mountain
Giridhar	holder of mountains, name of Krishna
Girija	Goddess Parvati
Girindra	Lord Shiva
Giriraj	lord of the mountains
Girish	Lord Shiva; god of mountains
Gokul	a village near Mathura
Gopal	Krishna, cowherd
Gopan	protection
Gopesh	Lord Krishna
Gopi	protector of cows (female)
Gorakh	cowherd
Goral	lovable
Gourishankar	Mt. Everest
Govinda	Lord Krishna, corherd
Grishma	warmth, summer
Gulab	rose
Gulzarilal	name of Lord Krishna
Guna	virtues
Gunaratna	jewel of virtue
Gunjan	buzzing (of a bee)
Guru	teacher, master, priest
Gurudas	servant of the guru
Gurudutt	gift of the guru

Gyan	knowledge
Gyaneshwar	god of wisdom

## *H*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Hans	swan
Hanuman	the monkey god of Ramayana
Hardik	heartfelt
Harendra	Lord Shiva
Haresh	Shiva
Hari	Vishnu
Harigopal	Lord Krishna
Harihar	Shiva and Vishnu together
Harinarayan	Lord Vishnu
Harindra	Lord Shiva
Harish	Vishnu
Harishankar	Vishnu and Shiva
Harishchandra	King of Surya dynasty, charitable
Harmendra	the moon
Harsha	joy, happiness
Harshad	happy
Harshil	joyful
Harshit	joyful
Hasan	laughter
Hasit	happy
Hem	gold
Hemachandra	golden moon
Hemanga	golden coloured
Hemant	winter
Hemendra	lord of gold
Hemendu	golden moon
Hemish	lord of the earth
Heramba	Lord Ganesh

Himachal	the Himalayas
Himadri	Himalaya
Himaghna	the sun
Himal	snow mountain
Himanshu	moon
Himmat	courage
Hira/Heera	diamond
Hiranmay	golden, wealth
Hiranya	wealth
Hirendra	Lord of diamonds
Hiresh	king of precious stones
Hiten	well wisher
Hitendra	well wisher
Hitesh	well wisher
Hridaya	the heart
Hridayesh	king of heart
Hrishikesh/Rishikesh	Lord Vishnu, one who controls senses

## *I*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Ilesh	lord of earth
Iman	name of raga, trurtworthy
Indivar	blue lotus
Indra	God of rain and thunder
Indrajeet/Indrajit	conqueror of Indra
Indraneel	sapphire
Indubhushan	the moon
Indushekhar	like a moon
Isha	one who protects
Ishan	the Lord
Ishat	superior
Ishayu	full of strength
Ishwar	god

# J

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Jag	the universe
Jagadeep	light of the world
Jagadish/Jagdish	lord of the universe
Jagajeet	conqueror of the world
Jagan	universe (?)
Jagannath	Lord Vishnu
Jagat	the universe
Jalendu	moon in the water
Janak	father of Sita
Janardan	one who helps people, Vishnu
Janu	soul/ life force
Japa	chanting
Japendra	lord of chants - Lord Shiva
Jaswant	victorious (Yashwant)
Jatan	nurturing
Jatin	pertaining to a saint
Jawahar	gem
Jaya	victory
Jayadev	god of victory
Jayant/Jayanta	victorious
Jayesh	victor
Jeevan	life
Jishnu	Arjuna
Jitendra/Jiten	lord of conquerers
Jiwan/Jivan	life
Jyoti	light/flame
Jyotindra	lord of life

# K

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Kabir	name of a famous poet-saint
Kailash	abode of Lord Shiva
Kalash	sacred pot
Kalidas	the poet, musician, a devotee of Goddess Kali
Kalyan	welfare
Kamadev	god of love
Kamal	lotus
Kamalesh	Lord Vishnu, one with eyes like a lotus
Kamlesh	god of lotus
Kanak	Gold
Kanan	a garden, forest
Kanchan	gold, pure
Kanhaiya	Lord Krishna
Kanti	lustrous
Kapil	name of a sage
Karna	the first-born son of Kunti; ear
Kartik	a Hindu month
Kartikeya	elder son of Lord Shiva
Karuna	merciful
karunakar	merciful
Kashi	name of Varanasi
Kashyap	name of a sage
Kaushal	clever, skilled
Kaushik	sage Vishwamitra
Kavi/Kabi	poet
Kavin	handsome/ beautiful
Kedar	mountain lord, powerful
Kesar	saffron
Keshab/Keshav	Krishna's name
Ketak	flower
Ketan	pure gold

Kewal	only
Khagendra	lord of the birds
Khem	welfare
Kiran	ray of light
Kirtan	songs of worship
Kirti	fame
Kishor/Kishore	a young boy
Kripa	compassion
Kripal	merciful
Krishna	Lord Krishna
Kriti	creation
Kuber	god of riches
Kuldeep	light of family
Kumar	young boy, prince
Kumud	white lotus
Kunal	son of King Ashoka
Kundan	gold, pure
Kunja	grove of trees
Kush/Kusha	son of Lord Rama
Kushal	clever; expert; wellbeing
Kusum	flower
Labh	gain

## *L*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Lagan	dedication; appropriate time
Lahar	wave
Lakshan	sign
Lakshman	brother of Lord Rama
Lakshya	target
Lalit	beautiful
Lav/Lava	son of Lord Rama
Layak	capable

Lekh	document
Lila/Leela	divine drama
Lochan	the eye
Lokesh	Lord Brahma
Loknath	Lord Vishnu

## *M*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Madan	Cupid, god of love
Madhav	Lord Krishna
Madhu	honey, nectar
Madhukar	honey bee, lover
Madhup	a honeybee
Madhur	light and melodious
Madhusudan	Lord Krishna
Magan	engrossed
Mahadev	Lord Shiva
Mahant	great
Mahavir	a Jain prophet, also the super courageous one
Mahendra	Lord Vishnu
Mahesh	Lord Shiva
Maheshwar	Lord Shiva
Maitreya	disciple of sage Parasara
Manas	mind
Manav	man
Manavendra	a king
Mandar	a celestial tree
Mandeep	light of the mind
Manendra	king of mind
Mangal	auspicious
Mangesh	Lord Shiva
Mani	gem
Manik	gem, ruby

Manindra	lord of gems, lord of the mind!
Manish	lord of the mind, intellect
Manishankar	Lord Shiva
Manit	highly respected
Manjeet	conqueror of the mind
Manjul	handsome
Manmohan	pleasing
Manohar	beautiful; captivating
Manoj	born of mind
Manoranjan	pleasing
Manu	the first human being, a sage
Mathura	an ancient religious city
Matsendra	king of the fishes
Maulik	precious
Mayur	peacock
Meet	friend
Megh	cloud
Mihir	sun rays
Milan	union
Milap	union
Milind	a bee
Mitesh	one with few desires
Mithila	kingdom
Mithilesh	the king of Mithila
Mithun	Gemini
Mitra	a friend
Mitul	friend
Mohak	attractive
Mohan	charming, fascinating
Mohit	charmed
Mohnish	Lord Krishna
Moti	pearl
Mridul	tender, delicate
Mrigendra	lion

Mrigesh	lion
Mrityunjay	Lord Shiva, he who defeats death
Mukesh	an epithet for Shiva
Mukta	free
Mukti/Mukta	liberation
Mukul	bud
Mukunda	Lord Krishna, freedom giver
Mukut	crown
Muni	sage
Munindra	best among saints
Murali	flute
Murari	Lord Krishna
Murti	idol, statue

## *N*

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Nabendu	new moon
Nagendra (Naagendra)	Seshnag
Nagendra	lord of the gem
Nagesh	sesnag, cosmic serpent
Nakshatra	star
Nakul	name of one of the Pandavas
Nalin	lotus
Nanak	guru fo the Sikhs
Nanda	pleasure, father of Krishna
Nandakishor	wiz kid
Nandan	pleasing, son
Nandin	the delightful, follower of Shiva
Narahari	Lord Vishnu
Narasimha	an incarnation of Lord Vishnu
Narayan	Lord Vishnu
Narendra	king
Naresh	king

Narottam	best among men
Natesh	king
Natraj	king among actors
Natwar	Lord Krishna
Navanit/Navaneet	one who takes pleasure in new joys
Naveen/Navin	new
Navnit	fresh butter
Navrang	colourful
Nawal	new
Nayan	eye
Neel	blue
Neelambar	blue sky
Neelesh	lord krishna; moon
Neeraj/Niraj	lotus; pearl
Netra	eyes
Nibodh	knowledge
Nidhi	wealth
Nidhish	lord of treasure
Nigam	treasure
Nihal	gratified
Nihar	mist, fog, dew
Nikash	horizon
Niket	home
Niketan	house, mansion
Nikhil	entire, complete, whole
Nikhilesh	Lord of the universe
Nikunja	grove of trees
Nilaya	home, mansion, heaven
Nilesh	Krishna, blue god
Nimesh/Nimish	momentary
Nipun	expert
Nirad/Neerad	cloud
Nirajit	illuminated
Niranjan	simple, full moon night

Nirav/Neerav	quiet, silent
Nirbhaya	fearless
Nirjhar	waterful
Nirmal	clean, pure
Nirmay	pure
Nirupam	without comparison
Nirvan	liberation
Nischal	calm, pure
Nishad	seventh note on Indian musical scale
Nishant/Nishanta	dawn
Nishesh	entire
Nishit	night
Nishita	sharp
Nishok	happy
Nitesh/Niteesh	god of law, one well versed in law
Nitish/Niteesh	god of law, one well versed in law
Nridev	king amongst men
Nripa	king
Nripendra	king of kings
Nripesh	king of kings

## O

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Oja	lustre, glow
Om	the sacred syllable
Omkar	the sound of the sacred syllable
Omprakash	sacred light

# P

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Paavan/Paawan	pure, sacred
Padam/Padma	lotus
Padmanabha	Lord Vishnu
Palash	a flowering tree
Pallav	new leaves
Pankaj	lotus flower
Panna	emerald
Parag/Paraag	pollen
Parakram	strength
Paramananda	superlative joy
Paramesh	the supreme lord, title for Vishnu or Shiva
Parameshwar	the supreme God
Paramjeet/Paramjit	highest success
Paranjay	Varun; Lord of the Sea
Paras/Paaras	touchstone
Parashar	an ancient
Paresh	supreme Lord
Parijat	a celestial flower
Parikshit	proven; name of an ancient king
Parimal	fragrance
Paritosh	satisfaction, contentment
Parmesh	God
Partha	A name given to Arjun by Lord Krishna
Parul	graceful
Parvat/Parbat	mountain
Parvesh	Lord of celebration
Parvesh/Parwesh	lord of celebration
Pathik	traveller
Pavan/Pawan	breeze
Pavitra/Pabitra	Pure
Pawan (Paawan)	pure

Phalgun	A month in Hindu Calander
Phanindra	Seshnag; the divine snake
Pitambar	yellow robed; Lord Vishnu
Piyush	Milk, nectar
Poojan	worship
Poojit	worshipped
Poorna/Purna	complete
Prabal	very strong, mighty
Prabhakar	sun
Prabhas	lustrous
Prabhat	dawn
Prabhav	power, might, influence
Prabhu	god
Prabir	hero, brave one (Praveer)
Prabodh	vigilance, sound advice
Prabuddha	awakened
Pradeep/Pradip	light, shine
Pradyot	lustre
Pradyumna	cupid
Prafulla	pleasant, cheerful
Pragun	straight; honest
Prahalad	bliss
Prajeet/Prajit	victorious, king
Prajesh	Lord Brahma
Prakash	light
Prakat	manifest
Prakrit	nature/ handsome
Prakriti	nature
Prakul	good-looking
Pramesh	master of accurate knowledge
Pramit	consciousness
Pramod	delight, happiness
Pran/Praan	vital breath, life
Pranav	Romance

Pranay	love, romance
Pranit	modest
Prasad	offering to god during pooja
Prasanna	cheerful, pleased
Prasata	father of Draupad
Prashant/Prashanta	calm and composed
Prasoon/Prasun	flower
Pratap	dignity, majesty, glory
Pratik	symbol
Pratit/Prateet	manifested
Pratosh	delight
Pratyush	
Praval/Prawal/Prabal	fierce, strong
Praveen/Pravin/Prabin	expert, skilled
Pravir	brave
Prayag	confluence of Ganga-Jamuna-Saraswati
Prem	love
Premal	full of love
Pritam	beloved, lover
Prithu	a king from the epics
Prithvi/Prithivi	the earth
Pritish	lord of love
Priya	beloved
Pujit	worshipped
Punit/Puneet	pure, auspicious, holy
Punya	auspicious, virtuous, meritorious
Purna/Poorna	complete
Purnendu	full moon
Puru	a legendary King
Purushottam	best among men
Pushkar	lotus; a lake
Pushpak	mythical vehicle of Lord Vishnu

# R

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Raghav/Raghab	Lord Rama
Raghu	the family of Lord Rama
Rahul	son of Lord Buddha
Raj	royalty, kingdom
Raja	king
Rajan	king
Rajarshi	king's sage
Rajeev/Rajiv	lotus
Rajendra	king
Rajesh	king
Rajit	decorated
Rajiv/Rajeev	lotus
Rajkumar	prince
Rajul	brilliant
Rajyeshwar	king
Rakesh	the moon
Raksha	protection
Ram	Lord Rama
Raman	beloved, pleasing
Ramchandra	Lord Rama
Ramesh	Lord Vishnu
Rameshwar	Lord Shiva
Ramkrishna	Lord Rama, Krishna
Ranajit	victorious
Randhir	brave
Ranjan	pleasing, entertaining
Ranjit/Ranjeet	victorious
Ranjiv	victorious
Rashmi	sun rays
Rasik	full of feeling, passion, a connoisseur
Ratish	cupid

Ratna/Ratan	precious stone
Ratnakar	ocean
Ratri	night
Ratul	sweet
Raunak	brightness, radiance
Ravi/Rabi	sun
Ravikiran	sun ray
Ravindra/Rabindra	sun
Resham	silk
Riddhi	fortunate
Riddhiman	possessed of good fortune
Riju	innocent
Rijul	innocent
Rishabh/rishab	morality, superior
Rishi	a saint, sage
Rishikesh	Lord Vishnu
Rochan	red lotus, bright
Rohan	ascending
Rohit	son of Sidhartha, red
Ronak	celebration
Roop	figure
Roopak	dramatic composition
Roshan	illumination
Ruchir	beautiful
Rudra	fearsome, name of Lord Shiva
Ruhan	spiritual
Rujul	simple, honest
Rupak	sign, feature
Rupal	made of silver
Rupesh	lord of beauty
Rupin	embodied beauty
Rushil	charming

# S

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Sabal	with strength
Sachchit	Truth, Consciousness
Sachet	consciousness
Sachetan	rational, animated, conscious
Sachin/Sachindra	Lord Indra
Sachit	consciousness
Sadar	respectful
Sadhan/Saadhan	means
Safal	succeed
Sagar	earth
Sagar (Saagar)	sea, ocean
Sagun	auspicious gift, omen
Sahadev	prince
Sahaj	natural
Saharsh	with joy
Sahas (Saahas)	bravery
Sahdev	one of the Pandava princes
Sajal	moist
Sajan/Saajan	beloved
Sajiv	lively
Sajjan	gentleman
Saket	Lrd Krishna
Samar	war
Samarjit	Lord Vishnu
Samartha	powerful
Sambhav	born; manifested
Sambit	consciousness
Sambuddha	wise
Sameer/Samir	wind
Samiran	breeze
Sampad/Sampat	prosperous

Samrat	king
Samudra	ocean
Sanat	Lord Brahma
Sanchay	collection
Sanchit	collected
Sandeep/Sundip	a lighted lamp
Sanjay/a	victorious
Sanjeev/Sanjiv	giving life, re-animating
Sanjit	who is always victorious
Sanjog	coincidence
Sankalpa	resolve
Sanket	signal
Santosh	satisfaction, happiness, contentment
Sanyog, Sanjog	conincidence
Sapan	dream
Saral	simple, straightforward
Sarang	spotted deer
Saras	juicy, blissful
Sarasvat	learned
Sarat/Sarad	a sage
Sarba	all
Sarbagya	all knowing
Sarbajit	one who has conquered everything
Sarish	equal
Saroj	lotus
Sarthak	having meaning, purpose, accomplished
Sarup/Swaroop	having form or shape
Sarvesh/Sarwesh/Sarbesh	lord of all
Satindra/Satyendra	lord of truth
Satish	victorious, ruler of hundreds
Satruijt/Shatrujit	a son of Vatsa, Conquerer of the enemy
Satya	truth
Satyajit	victory of truth
Satyanarayan	Lord Krishna

Satyavan	husband of Savitri; true
Satyavrat	king
Satyavrata	dedicated to truth
Satyendra	lord of truth
Saubhagya	good luck
Saumya	sober, serious
Saunak	boy sage
Saurav/Saurabh	divine, celestial, fragrance
Savir	leader
Savit	sun
Sawan	a Hindu month
Sevak/Sewak	servant
Shaan	pride
Shahid	martyr
Shailendra/Shailen	king of mountains
Shailesh	god of mountain, Himalaya
Shakti	energy, strength
Shambhu	Lord Shiva
Shamindra	quiet; gentle
Shamit	peacemaker
Shankar	Lord Shiva
Shanta	peace, gentle
Shantanu	a king from the epic Mahabharata
Sharad/Sarat	autumn
Sharadchandra	autumn moon
Sharan	shelter, refuge
Shardul	tiger
Shashank	moon
Shashi	moon
Shashwat	ever lasting, continuous
Shatrughna/Shatrughan	victorious
Shatrujit	victorious over enemies
Shekhar	lord Shiva
Shesh	cosmic serpent, remnant

Shikha	flame
Shikhar	peak
Shirish/Sirish	a flower; raintree
Shishir	winter
Shiva/Shiv	Lord Shiva
Shivesh	Lord Shiva
Shobhan	splendid
Shravan	name of a Hindu month
Shreesh/Shrish	lord of wealth
Shreshta	the best
Shreyas	good
Shridhar	Lord Vishnu
Shrigopal	Lord Krishna
Shrihari	Lord Krishna
Shrikanta	beautiful
Shrikrishna	Lord Krishna
Shripad	Lord Vishnu
Shrish	Lord Vishnu
Shubha	auspicious
Shukla	white
Shulabh	easy
Shyam	black, Lord Krishna
Shyamal	black, dark blue
Shyamsundar	Lord Krishna
Siddhanta	principle
Siddhartha	name of Buddha
Siddhi/Siddha	achievement
Smaran	remembrance
Snehal	friendly, affectionate
Sohan	good looking, charming
Sohil	beautiful
Som	the moon
Sourabh	fragrance
Sridhar	Lord Shiva

Srijan	creation
Subal	a friend of Lord Krishna
Subarna	of the colour of gold
Subas	fragrance
Subhan	aware
Subhas/Subhash	soft spoken
Subodh	sound advice, easily understood
Subrat	strict in religious vows (Subrata)
Sudarshan/Sudarsan	good looking
Sudeep/Sudip	good looking
Sudesh	good country
Sudeva	good Deva
Sudhakar	full of nectar, moon
Sudhanshu	the moon
Sudhindra	lord of knowledge
Sudhir/Sudheer	resolute, patient
Sugandha	sweet smelling, fragrance
Suhas/Suhaas	with a lovely smile
Sujan	honest
Sujash	illustrious
Sujay	victory
Sujit	winner
Sukanta	handsome
Sukesh	with beautiful hair
Sukrit	good deed
Sukriti	fame
Sukumar	very tender, handsome
Sulabh	easy; natural
Sulekh	beautifully written
Sulochan	one with beautiful eyes
Suman	flower, good heart
Sumangal	very auspicious
Sumant	wise
Sumantu	Atharva Veda was assigned to him

Sumedh	clever
Sumeet,Sumit	a good friend
Sunand	pleasant
Sundar	attractive, beautiful
Suneet	of good principles; prudent
Sunil	blue; sapphire
Sunirmal	pure
Suprakash	manifested
Suprit	loving
Sur	a musical note
Suraj	sun
Suranjan	pleasing
Suras	juicy
Surendra/Suren	another name of Indra
Suresh	sun, Indra
Surit	well-disposed
Surya	sun
Sushanta/Sushant	calm
Sushil	well-behaved
Sushobhan	very beautiful
Sutej	lustre
Suvan	the sun
Suvrat/Suvrata	strict in religious vows (Subrata)
Suyash	illustrious
Suyog	opportune time
Swagat	welcome
Swami	master
Swapan	dream
Swapnil	dreamlike
Swarup/Sarup	truth, self-image
Swayambhu	self existent, Lord Shiva

# T

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Tanuj	son
Tapan	sun, summer
Tapas	heat, penance
Tara	star
Tarak	star, pupil of eye, protector
Taral	liquid
Taran	raft, heaven
Tarang	wave
Tarini/Tarani	boat; take ashore
Tarun	young, youth
Tej	bright
Tejas	lustre; brilliance
Thakur	leader; god
Tika	auspicious symbol in the forehead
Tilak	ornament, ornamental mark on forehead
Tirtha	holy place
Toshan	satisfaction
Tribhuvan	the tree worlds
Trilochan	three eyed, Lord Shiva
Trilok	the three worlds (heaven, earth, hell)
Trishanku	a king of the Surya dynasty
Tufan	storm
Tulasi/Tulsi	the sacred plant
Tushar	winter, frost
Tyag	sacrifice

## U

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Udar	generous
Udaya/Uday	to rise
Uddhav	Lord Krishna's friend
Udit	grown, awakened, shining, risen
Ujesh	one who gives light
Ujwal,Ujjala	bright
Umanga	enthusiasm
Umesh	Lord Shiva
Unnabh	highest
Unnat	pregressive, energized
Upendra	Lord Vishnu
Utkarsh	prosperity, awakening
Utkrishta	best
Utpal	water lily, fleshless
Utsang	embrace
Utsarg	dedicating
Utsav	celebration
Uttam	best
Uttar	son of king Virata, north

## V

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Vaibhav	riches
Vallabh/Ballabh/Ballav	beloved
Vasava	Indra
Vatsa/Batsa	son
Vatsal/Batsal	love/ affection
Ved	a sacred text
Vikram/Bikram	glorious king

# y

<u>NAME</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
Yadab/Yadav	Lord Krishna
Yadunath	Lord Krishna
Yagya	holy ceremony
Yash	fame
Yatindra	Lord Indra
Yatish	Lord of devotees
Yogendra	god of Yoga
Yogesh	god of Yoga, Lord Shiva
Yogi	Devotee
Yuddha/Juddha	war
Yuvaraj	prince, heir apparent