

FILIPINO NAMES

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NOTES

Included here are silly or unusual Filipino male, female, and neutral first names, as well as Filipino surnames of Spanish, indigenous, and Chinese origin. "Normal" Filipino first names look pretty normal; you can probably pick up a US or Spanish or whatever list of first names, and they'll come out right. A lot of Filipino women have names starting with "Maria", which are frequently shortened. (e.g. "Maria Theresa" becomes "Maritess".)

Make your own silly Filipino names: (usually only one technique is used at a time):

- Make a pun, because puns are awesome
- Combine words or names to make new ones (e.g. Vanessa + Dolphy = Vandolph, He and Her son = Heherson)
- Add an extra "h" (e.g. "Ben" becomes "Bhen")
- Use one syllable and repeat it
- Start from a desired nickname and pick a real name to go with it

Finally, as a bonus, I've included some Filipino meals and snack or party foods.

MALE 1

1. Boboy
2. Aprodicio
3. Earvin
4. Eadgee
5. Mark Laser
6. Juhn
7. Yam
8. Abdulaziz
9. Peng
10. Luis Buiton
11. Bocoy
12. Vandolph
13. Hercules
14. Bhoy
15. Jayjay
16. Totoy
17. Acy
18. Ahvic
19. Dondon
20. Eliutaro

FEMALE 1

1. Cherry Pie
2. Apples
3. Diday
4. Maritess
5. Spice
6. Mayouno
7. Kampupot
8. Chuchay
9. Chingbee
10. Mirinda
11. Maan
12. Sushi
13. Babes
14. Whisky
15. Mai-Mai
16. Apple Pie
17. Ditsi
18. Maricel
19. KitKat
20. Zsuzsanna

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MALE 2

1. Ronron
2. Adonis
3. Tootsie
4. Rhob
5. Boy Blue
6. Bhen
7. Dandan
8. Wimpy
9. Kerwin
10. Gustave
11. Gomburza
12. Atom
13. Frumen
14. Adanjose
15. Heherson
16. Bongbong
17. Baldo
18. Titoy
19. Gutsy
20. Rommel

FEMALE 2

1. Nice
2. Aphro(dite)
3. Mhel
4. Starlet
5. Computerlyn
6. Ai Ai
7. Jingjing
8. Thess
9. Ehmie
10. Girlie
11. Kryle Queen
12. Bamba
13. Lady Urania
14. Abril
15. Luzviminda
16. Chuchi
17. Bingbing
18. Melenaida
19. Jomari
20. Jejomar

NEUTRAL/AMBIGUOUS 1

1. Buhay
2. Bekbek
3. Suplay
4. Sanorjo
5. Pepper
6. Jello
7. Magdiwang
8. Paraluman
9. Liwayway
10. Pechay
11. Chabet
12. TenTen
13. Luningning
14. Linbert
15. Letlet
16. Dalisay
17. Orange
18. Patat
19. Coke
20. Volks

NEUTRAL/AMBIGUOUS 2

1. Frumen
2. Bacon
3. Merry Christmas
4. Porsche
5. Cheese
6. Homobono
7. Chevy
8. Tuna
9. Tagumpay
10. Luwalhati
11. Uod
12. Binky
13. Congee
14. Adobo
15. Lenlen
16. Carrot
17. Bonbon
18. Ciriaca
19. Chabeng
20. Bathaluman

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SPANISH SURNAMES

1. Arroyo
2. Reyes
3. Santiago
4. Fernandez
5. Gonzales
6. Garcia
7. Lopez
8. Aquino
9. Velasquez
10. Vargas
11. Guzman
12. Ortega
13. Mariano
14. Montano
15. Mendez
16. Romero
17. Cruz
18. Dolorfino
19. Bautista
20. De Jesus

CHINESE-DESCENT SURNAMES

1. Yap
2. Cojuangco
3. Tan
4. Songcuya
5. Tintiangco
6. Singson
7. Ayson
8. Lim
9. Sy
10. Locsin
11. Yuyitung
12. Tantoco
13. Tampingco
14. Tiaoqui
15. Diyakson
16. Samson
17. Ongpin
18. Mapua
19. Benzon
20. Quimpo

INDIGENOUS ORIGIN SURNAMES

1. Magsaysay
2. Ongoy
3. Inding
4. Ysip
5. Macapagal
6. Tumibay
7. Silang
8. Pinpin
9. Agbay
10. Guani
11. Lacbawan
12. Dumlao
13. Bulatao
14. Puyat
15. Caparas
16. Salonga
17. Manlangit
18. Nakpil
19. Katapang
20. Carandang

MIXED SURNAMES

1. Anonuevo
2. Portero
3. Dagdag
4. Suero
5. Pagtakhan
6. Mamaril
7. Asis
8. Hagibis
9. Lakarin
10. Bocaycay
11. De Asis
12. Jurado
13. Mangubat
14. Malihim
15. Almundo
16. Reyes
17. Natividad
18. Tampipi
19. Fruto
20. Ignacio

SILLY FULL NAMES

1. Mercedes Benzon
2. Maki Comida
3. Spice Arabia
4. Volks Baagen
5. Jonathon Livingstone Sy
6. Buhay Poe
7. Michael Jacks Ong
8. George Washing Tan
9. Apple Pie Poyatos
10. May Araw
11. Dingdong Pinto
12. Gucci Kho
13. Bhoy Bayani
14. Bill Clint Ong
15. Adonis de Dios
16. Ginger Ti
17. Rhaydz Ng Bayan
18. Edgar Allan Pe
19. Sushi Sy
20. Michael Jord Ang

MEALS

1. Kalderetang Kambing - goat stew
2. Bistek - beef stir-fried in soy sauce and lemon
3. Lechon Kawali - roasted pig
4. Inihaw ni Liempo - grilled pork belly
5. Sinigang sa Miso - tamarind soup with bean curd
6. Lechon Manok - roasted chicken
7. Adobong Pusit - squid cooked in vinegar
8. Crispy Pata - deep-fried pork knuckle
9. Diniguan - blood stew accompanied by puto
10. Sinigang na Baka - tamarind soup with beef
11. Arroz a la Cubana - ground beef with tomatoes, peas, raisins served with fried egg over rice
12. Chicken Barbeque - barbequed chicken in slightly sweet sauce
13. Tinolang Manok - gingery chicken soup with green papaya
14. Menudo - tomato pork stew
15. Lechon Paksiw - roasted pig, stewed in tangy sauce
16. Rellenong Bangus - stuffed smoked milkfish
17. Adobong Manok - chicken cooked in vinegar
18. Nilaga Baka - broth with beef and root vegetables
20. (Sizzling) Sisig - fried pig ear

SNACKS/PARTY FOODS

1. Halo-Halo - mixed sweet things over ice with milk
2. Ginataa - coconut milk fruit soup
3. Bibingka - rice cake with brown sugar, shredded coconut, cheese, or egg
4. Champorado - chocolate rice porridge
5. Lumpia Ubod - spring roll with hearts of palm
6. Spaghetti - noodles with sweet tomato meat sauce and hot dogs
7. Taho - molasses sauce with soft bean curd and tapioca
8. Pancit Canton - glass noodles with mixed meat and vegetables in soy sauce
9. Mais Con Hielo - sweet corn with milk and ice
10. Pancit Palabok - noodles with pork and shrimp, with garlic and boiled eggs
11. Cheese Lumpia - fried cheese in wonton wrappers
12. Suman - steamed glutinous pressed rice
13. Siopao - barbeque pork bun
14. Ube - purple yam pudding
15. Arroz Caldo - chicken rice porridge
16. Polvoron - shortbread milk candy
17. Matamis na Saging - chilled banana in syrup
18. Puto - steamed rice cake
19. Turon - fried banana in wonton wrapper
20. Sago at Gulaman - molasses drink with tapioca and gelatin