

COUSIN RELATIONSHIP CHART



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* half-cousins will have less probability of sharing DNA

TYPE OF COUSIN	COMMON ANCESTOR	DNA SHARED?
first cousin	grandparent	Yes, 100% chance of shared DNA
second cousin	great-grandparent	Yes, 100% chance of shared DNA*
third cousin	2nd great-grandparent	Almost definitely, 98% chance of shared DNA*
fourth cousin	3rd great-grandparent	Most likely, 70% chance of shared DNA*
fifth cousin	4th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 30% chance of shared DNA*
sixth cousin	5th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 6% chance of shared DNA
seventh cousin	6th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 6% chance of shared DNA
eighth cousin	7th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 1% chance of shared DNA
ninth cousin	8th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.1% chance of shared DNA
eleventh cousin	9th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.1% chance of shared DNA
twelfth cousin	10th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.1% chance of shared DNA
thirteenth cousin	11th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.1% chance of shared DNA
fourteenth cousin	12th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.01% chance of shared DNA
fifteenth cousin	13th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.01% chance of shared DNA
sixteenth cousin	14th great-grandparent	Most likely not , less than 0.01% chance of shared DNA