

PENTAGRAM

Formed from two Greek words "penta-" meaning five and
"-grammon" meaning line.

In Neoplatonism, the pentagram was said to have been used as a symbol or sign of recognition by the Pythagoreans, who called the pentagram UYIEIO "health".

PENTACLE

From pentagram + circle.

Agrippa attributed the five neoplatonic elements (Air, Water, Fire, Earth and Spirit) to each of the five points of the pentacle, uniting them in perfect balance.





INVERTED PENTAGRAM

Also known as Material Pentagram.

"It is a symbol of evil because it overturns the proper order of things and demonstrates the triumph of matter over spirit." - Éliphas Lévi

The Church of Satan embraced an inverted pentagram and a goat's head as its symbol in 1966.