

Need another word that means the same as “hierarchical”? Find 2 synonyms and 30 related words for “hierarchical” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Hierarchical” are: hierarchal, hierarchic

Hierarchical as an Adjective

Definitions of "Hierarchical" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “hierarchical” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Classified according to various criteria into successive levels or layers.*
- *Of the nature of a hierarchy; arranged in order of rank.*



Synonyms of "Hierarchical" as an adjective (2 Words)

hierarchal Classified according to various criteria into successive levels or layers.

hierarchic Classified according to various criteria into successive levels or layers.
*In her **hierarchic** set of values honesty comes first.*

Usage Examples of "Hierarchical" as an adjective

- *It has been said that only a hierarchical society with a leisure class at the top can produce works of art.*
- *The hierarchical bureaucracy of a local authority.*
- *In her hierarchical set of values honesty comes first.*

Associations of "Hierarchical" (30 Words)

administration The management of public affairs; government.
*The company went into **administration**.*

aristocracy	The most powerful members of a society. <i>Members of the aristocracy.</i>
aristocratic	Belonging to or characteristic of the nobility or aristocracy. <i>Aristocratic government.</i>
authoritarian	An authoritarian person. <i>The timid child of authoritarian parents.</i>
bureaucratic	Over-concerned with procedure at the expense of efficiency or common sense. <i>Well established bureaucratic procedures.</i>
civilian	Relating to civilians. <i>Civilian clothing.</i>
classification	The action or process of classifying something. <i>New classifications for drivers of commercial vehicles.</i>
database	An organized body of related information. <i>Database systems.</i>
democratic	Representing or appealing to or adapted for the benefit of the people at large. <i>Cycling is a very democratic activity which can be enjoyed by anyone.</i>
echelon	Arrange in an echelon formation. <i>The Task Force would take the left echeloned to be able to sweep in from the west.</i>
feudal	Of or relating to or characteristic of feudalism. <i>His view of patriotism was more than old fashioned it was positively feudal.</i>
feudalistic	Of or relating to or characteristic of feudalism.
genteel	Marked by refinement in taste and manners. <i>A genteel old lady.</i>
governmental	Relating to or dealing with the affairs or structure of government or politics or the state. <i>Governmental policy.</i>
hierarchic	Classified according to various criteria into successive levels or layers. <i>In her hierarchical set of values honesty comes first.</i>
hierarchy	The organization of people at different ranks in an administrative body. <i>The magazine was read quite widely even by some of the hierarchy.</i>
humanization	The act of making more human.
imperial	Relating to or associated with an empire. <i>The party and its autocratic many would say imperial ways.</i>

king	A playing card bearing a representation of a king normally ranking next below an ace. <i>Science kings it over the realm of intellectual discourse.</i>
noble	Especially in former times a person of noble rank or birth. <i>There is nothing more noble than a mature pine forest.</i>
nomenclature	The term or terms applied to someone or something. <i>The students found it hard to decipher the nomenclature of chemical compounds.</i>
organizational	Relating to the action of organizing something. <i>A company's organizational structure.</i>
patrician	A person of refined upbringing and manners. <i>A proud patrician face.</i>
rank	Have a specified rank or place within a grading system. <i>She is ranked number four in the world.</i>
regal	Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler. <i>Her regal bearing.</i>
regency	The particular period of a regency especially in Britain from 1811 to 1820 and in France from 1715 to 1723. <i>The boy being a minor there would have to be a regency.</i>
society	A specified section of society. <i>He enjoyed the society of his friends.</i>
stratified	(of a society) divided into levels or classes based on social status, education, or income. <i>Warming temperatures can lead to more stratified ocean layers.</i>
system	A method of choosing one's procedure in gambling. <i>They had to devise a system that did not depend on cooperation.</i>
taxonomy	The branch of science concerned with classification, especially of organisms; systematics. <i>A taxonomy of smells.</i>