

Need another word that means the same as “royal”? Find 46 synonyms and 30 related words for “royal” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Royal” are: imperial, majestic, purple, regal, monarchal, monarchical, sovereign, kingly, queenly, princely, kinglike, queenlike, excellent, fine, marvellous, magnificent, splendid, superb, wonderful, first-rate, first-class, complete, utter, total, real, absolute, thorough, veritable, royal stag, monarch, king, queen, emperor, empress, tsar, tsarina, prince, princess, potentate, head of state, leader, chief, ruler, lord, overlord**

## Royal as a Noun

### Definitions of "Royal" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “royal” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *A sail set next above the topgallant on a royal mast.*
- *Stag with antlers of 12 or more branches.*
- *A book size, 312 × 237 mm.*
- *A book size, 234 × 156 mm.*
- *A system of change-ringing using ten bells.*
- *A member of the royal family.*
- *A paper size, 636 × 480 mm.*



## Synonyms of "Royal" as a noun (18 Words)

- chief** The head of an organization.  
*The **chief** of police.*
- emperor** The male ruler of an empire.  
*He is regarded as one of the greatest Roman **emperors**.*
- empress** A woman emperor or the wife of an emperor.  
*Queen Victoria was proclaimed **Empress** at Delhi in 1877.*
- head of state** A single domestic animal.
- king** A male sovereign ruler of a kingdom.  
*A country where football is **king**.*
- leader** (in the UK) a member of the government officially responsible for initiating business in the House of Commons or House of Lords.  
*A **leader** in the use of video conferencing.*
- lord** A titled peer of the realm.  
*Our **lord** the king.*
- monarch** Large migratory American butterfly having deep orange wings with black and white markings; the larvae feed on milkweed.  
*This followed an attempt by the deposed **monarch** to regain his throne.*

<b><u>overlord</u></b>	A person who has general authority over others. <i>The Jews rebelled against their Roman <b>overlords</b>.</i>
<b>potentate</b>	A monarch or ruler, especially an autocratic one.
<b>prince</b>	A male member of a royal family other than the sovereign (especially the son of a sovereign). <i>Arctic char is a <b>prince</b> among fishes.</i>
<b>princess</b>	The daughter of a monarch. <i>Is something the matter <b>princess</b>.</i>
<b>queen</b>	One of four face cards in a deck bearing a picture of a queen. <i>The <b>queen</b> of the social columns.</i>
<b>royal stag</b>	A sail set next above the topgallant on a royal mast.
<b><u>ruler</u></b>	A straight strip or cylinder of plastic, wood, metal, or other rigid material, typically marked at regular intervals and used to draw straight lines or measure distances.
<b><u>sovereign</u></b>	A former British gold coin worth one pound sterling, now only minted for commemorative purposes. <i>The Emperor became the first Japanese <b>sovereign</b> to visit Britain.</i>
<b>tsar</b>	An emperor of Russia before 1917. <i><b>Tsar</b> Nicholas II.</i>
<b>tsarina</b>	An empress of Russia before 1917. <i>The Germanic origins of the <b>tsarina</b>.</i>



## **Usage Examples of "Royal" as a noun**

- *The royals are coming under the TV microscope.*





# Royal as an Adjective

## Definitions of "Royal" as an adjective

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

- *Established or chartered or authorized by royalty.*
- *Real; utter (used for emphasis).*
- *Being of the rank of a monarch.*
- *Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler.*
- *Of or relating to or indicative of or issued or performed by a king or queen or other monarch.*
- *Of a quality or size suitable for a king or queen; splendid.*
- *Having the status of a king or queen or a member of their family.*
- *Invested with royal power as symbolized by a crown.*
- *Belonging to, carried out, or exercised by a king or queen.*
- *In the service or under the patronage of a king or queen.*



## Synonyms of "Royal" as an adjective (28 Words)

<b><a href="#">absolute</a></b>	Not capable of being violated or infringed. <i>Dom Miguel proclaimed himself <b>absolute</b> monarch.</i>
<b>complete</b>	Perfect and complete in every respect having all necessary qualities. <i>The harvesting was <b>complete</b>.</i>
<b>excellent</b>	Very good; of the highest quality. <i>The lorry was in <b>excellent</b> condition.</i>
<b>fine</b>	Characterized by elegance or refinement or accomplishment. <i><b>Fine</b> flyaway hair.</i>
<b>first-class</b>	Very good; of the highest quality.
<b>first-rate</b>	Of the highest quality.
<b><a href="#">imperial</a></b>	Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler. <i>The party and its autocratic many would say <b>imperial</b> ways.</i>
<b>kinglike</b>	Having the rank of or resembling or befitting a king.



<b>kingly</b>	Having the rank of or resembling or befitting a king. <i>The murder of his <b>kingly</b> guest.</i>
<b>magnificent</b>	Very good; excellent. <i>She paid tribute to their <b>magnificent</b> efforts.</i>
<b>majestic</b>	Majestic in manner or bearing superior to mundane matters. <i><b>Majestic</b> cities.</i>
<b>marvellous</b>	Extraordinarily good or great; used especially as intensifiers. <i>You have done a <b>marvellous</b> job.</i>
<b>monarchal</b>	Having the characteristics of or befitting or worthy of a monarch. <i><b>Monarchal</b> government.</i>
<b>monarchical</b>	Relating to a monarch or monarchy. <i><b>Monarchical</b> systems.</i>
<b>princely</b>	Ostentatiously rich and superior in quality. <i>The <b>princely</b> states of India.</i>
<b>purple</b>	Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler. <i><b>Purple</b> tyrant.</i>
<b>queenlike</b>	Having the rank of or resembling or befitting a queen.
<b>queenly</b>	Having the rank of or resembling or befitting a queen. <i><b>Queenly</b> propriety.</i>
<b>real</b>	Coinciding with reality. <i>Statistics demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are very <b>real</b> problems.</i>
<b>regal</b>	Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler. <i><b>Regal</b> attire.</i>
<b>sovereign</b>	Possessing royal power and status. <i>In modern democracies the people's will is in theory <b>sovereign</b>.</i>
<b>splendid</b>	Excellent; very good. <i>His robes were <b>splendid</b>.</i>
<b>superb</b>	Used in names of birds with attractive or colourful plumage e.g. superb lyrebird. <i>The Bey of Tunis was building himself a <b>superb</b> mausoleum.</i>
<b>thorough</b>	Performed or written with great care and completeness. <i><b>Thorough</b> research.</i>
<b>total</b>	Comprising the whole number or amount. <i>A <b>total</b> disaster.</i>
<b>utter</b>	Without qualification; used informally as (often pejorative) intensifiers. <i><b>Utter</b> nonsense.</i>

**veritable**

Used for emphasis, often to qualify a metaphor.

*He s a **veritable** swine.*

**wonderful**

Extraordinarily good or great ; used especially as intensifiers.

*They all think she s **wonderful**.*



## Usage Examples of "Royal" as an adjective

- *A royal maid.*
- *Of royal ancestry.*
- *Treated with royal acclaim.*
- *Princes of the blood royal.*
- *She's a right royal pain in the behind.*
- *The royal (or crowned) heads of Europe.*
- *The coalition obtained royal approval for the appointment.*
- *She received a royal welcome.*
- *The royal carriage of a stag's head.*
- *Contributors included members of the royal family.*



- *The royal palace.*



## Associations of "Royal" (30 Words)

- adorn** Make more beautiful or attractive.  
*Flowers **adorned** the tables everywhere.*
- aristocrat** A member of the aristocracy.  
*The trout is the **aristocrat** of freshwater fish.*
- aristocratic** Belonging to or characteristic of the nobility or aristocracy.  
***Aristocratic** government.*
- baton** A narrow bend truncated at each end.  
*Have plenty of credit s in the fridge such as carrot **batons**.*
- castle** (chess) the piece that can move any number of unoccupied squares in a direction parallel to the sides of the chessboard.  
*The crumbling stonework of a ruined **castle**.*
- crown** The part of a hat the vertex that covers the crown of the head.  
*The speech **crowned** the meeting.*

<b>diadem</b>	The authority or dignity symbolized by a crown. <i>He refused the <b>diadem</b> of all the Caesars.</i>
<b><u>dynasty</u></b>	A sequence of powerful leaders in the same family. <i>The Tang <b>dynasty</b>.</i>
<b><u>emperor</u></b>	Large moth of temperate forests of Eurasia having heavily scaled transparent wings. <i>He is regarded as one of the greatest Roman <b>emperors</b>.</i>
<b><u>empire</u></b>	A group of countries under a single authority. <i>The British created a great <b>empire</b>.</i>
<b><u>imperial</u></b>	Relating to or associated with an empire. <i>The bedroom is huge and very <b>imperial</b>.</i>
<b><u>king</u></b>	A male sovereign ruler of a kingdom. <i>He ll start <b>kinging</b> it over the lot of us again.</i>
<b><u>kingdom</u></b>	A country with a king as head of state. <i>The <b>kingdom</b> of dreams.</i>
<b>liege</b>	A vassal or subject. <i>One s <b>liege</b> lord.</i>
<b><u>lord</u></b>	Make a lord of someone. <i><b>Lords</b> and ladies were entertained here.</i>
<b>monarchy</b>	An autocracy governed by a monarch who usually inherits the authority. <i>The <b>monarchy</b> is the focus of loyalty and service.</i>
<b><u>noble</u></b>	Especially in former times a person of noble rank or birth. <i>The greater a <b>noble</b> s military power the more land he could control.</i>
<b><u>palace</u></b>	A large and impressive building forming the official residence of a ruler, pope, archbishop, etc. <i>The royal <b>palace</b>.</i>
<b>patrician</b>	Belonging to or characteristic of the aristocracy. <i><b>Patrician</b> tastes.</i>
<b>prince</b>	A male monarch of a small state, actually, nominally, or originally subject to a king or emperor. <i>He was the <b>prince</b> of a small kingdom that was now part of Pakistan.</i>
<b>princess</b>	The wife or widow of a prince. <i>Stop being such a <b>princess</b>.</i>
<b>principality</b>	(in traditional Christian angelology) the fifth-highest order of the ninefold celestial hierarchy.
<b>queen</b>	Become a queen. <i>She s the official carnival <b>queen</b>.</i>



<b>regal</b>	Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler. <i>Her <b>regal</b> bearing.</i>
<b>regalia</b>	Paraphernalia indicative of royalty (or other high office). <i>The Bishop of Florence in full <b>regalia</b>.</i>
<b>regency</b>	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 <b>regency</b>.</i>
<b>royalty</b>	A sum paid to a patentee for the use of a patent or to an author or composer for each copy of a book sold or for each public performance of a work. <i>She swept by as if she were <b>royalty</b>.</i>
<b>ruler</b>	A person exercising government or dominion.
<b>scepter</b>	The imperial authority symbolized by a scepter.
<b>sovereign</b>	Very good or effective. <i>The Emperor became the first Japanese <b>sovereign</b> to visit Britain.</i>

