

Need another word that means the same as "ruler"? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for "ruler" in this overview.

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Ruler as a Noun

Definitions of "Ruler" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "ruler" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A person who rules or commands.
- Measuring stick consisting of a strip of wood or metal or plastic with a straight edge that is used for drawing straight lines and measuring lengths.
- A person exercising government or dominion.
- 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.





Synonyms of "Ruler" as a noun (12 Words)

crowned head An English coin worth 5 shillings.

head of state A person who is in charge.

leader The principal player in a music group.

A **leader** in the use of video conferencing.

A large migratory orange and black butterfly that occurs mainly in North America. The caterpillar feeds on milkweed, using the toxins in the plant to

monarch render both itself and the adult unpalatable to predators.

This followed an attempt by the deposed **monarch** to regain his throne.

potentate A ruler who is unconstrained by law.

rule A rule describing or prescribing a linguistic practice.

Such accidents are the exception rather than the **rule**.

(music) a series of notes differing in pitch according to a specific scheme

scale (usually within an octave.

The **scale** of the model.

A former British gold coin worth one pound sterling, now only minted for

sovereign commemorative purposes.

The Emperor became the first Japanese **sovereign** to visit Britain.

A basis for comparison; a reference point against which other things can be

standard evaluated.

Their tap water was not up to **standard**.

A person who rules or commands.

Swayer of the universe.

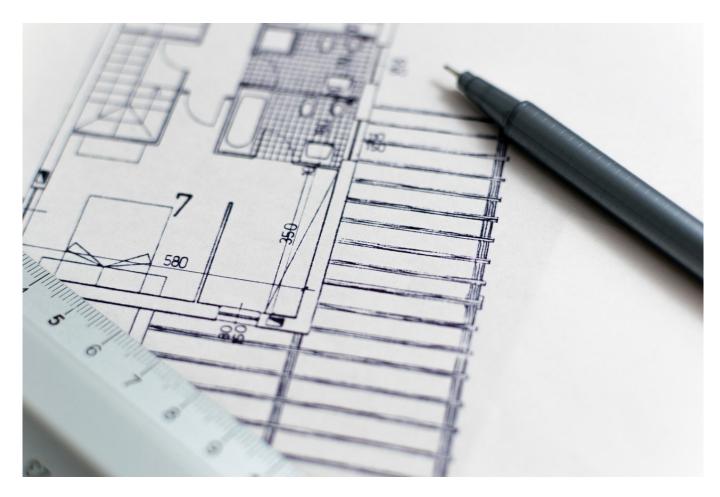
system An organized structure for arranging or classifying.

A **system** generating hydrogen peroxide.

An assemblage of parts that is regarded as a single entity.

Units of nucleic acids.





Associations of "Ruler" (30 Words)

ascendant Rising in power or influence.

That idea was in the **ascendant**.

autocrat A ruler who has absolute power.

Like many **autocrat**s Franco found the exercise of absolute power addictive.

baton A short bar replacing some figures on the dial of a clock or watch.

Batons of cheddar cheese.

cavalier A small spaniel of a breed with a long snout. *Anne was irritated by his cavalier attitude.*

despotA ruler or other person who holds absolute power, typically one who exercises

it in a cruel or oppressive way.

dictator A ruler who is unconstrained by law.

My boss is a **dictator** who makes everyone work overtime.



dominate Be the most important or conspicuous person or thing in.

Her husband completely **dominate**s her.

A sequence of powerful leaders in the same family.

The Tang **dynasty**.

Red table grape of California.

He became emperor in 1930.

The head of a public institution.

governor

The governor of the Bank of England.

imperial Imperious or domineering.

Golden age of **imperial** splendor.

The most important chess piece of which each player has one which the opponent has to checkmate in order to win The king can move in any

king direction including diagonally to any adjacent square that is not attacked by

an opponent s piece or pawn. *A country where football is king.*

Heaven as the abode of God and of the faithful after death.

kingdomThe **kingdom** of dreams.

monarch A nation's ruler or head of state usually by hereditary right.

The reigning **monarch**.

monarchy A form of government with a monarch at the head.

The **monarchy** is the focus of loyalty and service.

monocracy A system of government by one person only.

A person of authority who subjects others to undue pressures.

<u>oppressor</u>
They overthrew their colonial **oppressor**s.

A male member of a royal family other than the sovereign (especially the son

prince of a sovereign.

Arctic char is a **prince** among fishes.

principality Territory ruled by a prince.

Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler.

regal Regal attire.

The particular period of a regency especially in Britain from 1811 to 1820 and

regency in France from 1715 to 1723.

The boy being a minor there would have to be a **regency**.

A coordinated programme for the promotion or restoration of health a

regime regimen.

Detention centres with a very tough physical **regime**.



Invested with royal power as symbolized by a crown.

Princes of the blood royal.

satrap Any subordinate or local ruler.

scepter The imperial authority symbolized by a scepter.

sovereign (of political bodies) not controlled by outside forces.

Our most **sovereign** lord the King.

tyrannize Rule or treat (someone) despotically or cruelly.

She **tyrannize**d her family.

A tyrant flycatcher.

Her father was a **tyrant** and a bully.

viceroy Showy American butterfly resembling the monarch but smaller.

