

tyrannical[tɪˈræni(ə)] *a*

тиранический; деспотичный; властный
 tyrannical dynasty - тираническая династия
 tyrannical ruler - правитель-деспот

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tyr·an·ni·cal *BrE* [tɪˈræni(ə)] ^ˈ *NAmE* [tɪˈræni(ə)] ^ˈ (also formal **tyr·an·nous** *BrE* [ˈtɪrənəs] ^ˈ ; *NAmE* [ˈtɪrənəs] ^ˈ) *adjective*

using power or authority over people in an unfair and cruel way

Syn: ↑autocratic, **Syn:** ↑dictatorial

- tyrannical power
- a tyrannical government
- He was brought up by a cruel and tyrannical father.

Word Origin:

[**tyrannical**] mid 16th cent.: from Old French *tyrannique*, via Latin from Greek *turannikos*, from *turannos*.

Example Bank:

- His reputation as a tyrannical captain made it hard to find a crew.

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behaving in a cruel and unfair way towards someone you have power over ⇒ **tyrant:**

- ˈ a tyrannical parent
- ˈ tyrannical laws

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