

**consecutive**

[kən'sekjətɪv] *a*

1. 1) последующий  
consecutive days - последующие дни  
consecutive infection - *мед.* вторичная инфекция
- 2) последовательный  
for the fifth consecutive time - пятый раз подряд  
consecutive reaction - *хим.* последовательная ступенчатая реакция
2. *грам.* следственный  
consecutive clause - придаточное (предложение) следствия
3. *муз.* параллельный  
consecutive fifths [octaves] - параллельные квинты [октавы]

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**con·secu·tive** *BrE* [kən'sekjətɪv] <sup>u</sup> *NAmE* [kən'sekjətɪv] <sup>u</sup> *adjective usually*

*before noun*

following one after another in a series, without interruption

- She was absent for nine consecutive days.
- He is beginning his fourth consecutive term of office.
- After six consecutive defeats, the team was almost ready to give up.

Derived Word ↑consecutively

Word Origin:

[**consecutive consecutively**] early 17th cent.: from French *consécutif*, *-ive*, from medieval Latin *consecutivus*, from Latin *consecut-* 'followed closely', from the verb *consequi*.

Example Bank:

- Interest rates rose again for the fifth consecutive month.
- They achieved their third consecutive year of record sales.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** French; **Origin:** *consecutif*, from Latin *consequi*; ⇔ ↑consequent]

consecutive numbers or periods of time follow one after the other without any interruptions **OPP non-consecutive:**

- It had rained for four consecutive days.
- Can they win the title for the third consecutive season?

—consecutively *adverb:*

- Number the pages consecutively.

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consecutive 5752

consecutively 140

nonconsecutive 21

nonconsecutively 0

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