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dynasty**dyn·asty** [dynasty dynasties] *BrE* ['dɪnəsti] ^ˈ *NAmE* ['daɪnəsti] ^ˈ **noun** (pl. dynasties)

1. a series of rulers of a country who all belong to the same family
 - the Nehru-Gandhi dynasty
 2. a period of years during which members of a particular family rule a country
 - a Ming dynasty vase
- Derived Word ↑ **dynastic**

Word Origin:late Middle English: from French **dynastie**, or via late Latin from Greek **dunasteia** 'lordship, power', from **dunastēs**, from **dunasthai** 'be able'.Example Bank:

- Scotland's ancient dynasty
- The civil service was established under the previous dynasty.
- a porcelain figure made during the Tang dynasty
- bowls and pots from the twelfth dynasty
- the last surviving heir of an ancient dynasty
- the rise and fall of the Habsburg dynasty
- the ruling dynasties of the Visigoths
- Eventually the dynasty was overthrown and the country became a Republic.

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[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Late Latin; Origin: dynastia, from Greek dynastes 'lord']

1. a family of kings or other rulers whose parents, grandparents etc have ruled the country for many years:
 - ˈ The Habsburg dynasty ruled in Austria from 1278 to 1918.
2. a period of time when a particular family ruled a country or area
3. *informal* a group or family that controls a particular business or organization for a long time:
 - ˈ the Rothschild banking dynasty

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