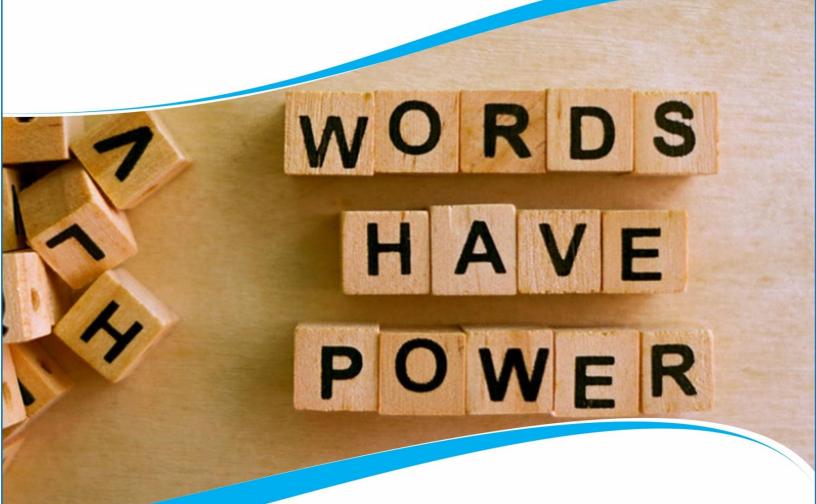




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## **22 FEBRUARY 2025**

Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper '**The Hindu**' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt. This will really help you boost up your learning.

Happy learning!!!

#### 1.ARTICULATE (VERB): व्यक्त

**Pronunciation:** ar·tic·u·late

**Meaning:** good at expressing your ideas clearly.

Synonyms: vocal, fluent, glib

Antonyms: halting, hesitant, unvocal

**Sentence:** They were unable to articulate their emotions.

#### 2.DISCERN (VERB): पहचानना

Pronunciation: duh-suhn

**Meaning:** to see or notice something with difficulty.

**Synonyms:** make out, pick out, spotted **Antonyms:**ignored, neglected, missed

**Sentence:** She could faintly <u>discern</u> the shape of a skull.

#### 3.REPROACH (NOUN): तिरस्कार

Pronunciation: ruh proche

Meaning: to tell somebody that he/she has done something wrong; to blame somebody.

**Synonyms:** reproof, reproval, rebuke **Antonyms:** commendation, honor, citation **Sentence:** She gave her a look of reproach.

#### 4.HARDSHIP (NOUN): কড্ট

**Pronunciation:** haad·shuhp

Meaning: the fact of not having enough money, food, etc.

**Synonyms:** deprivation, destitution, rigor **Antonyms:** prosperity, opportunity, break

**Sentence:** He is facing intolerable levels of <u>hardship</u>.

## 5. VINDICATE (VERB): साबित कर देना

**Pronunciation:** vin·duh·kayt

Meaning: to prove that something is true or that you were right about doing something,

especially when other people thought differently.

Synonyms: acquit, clear, forgive

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Antonyms: accuse, charge, indict

**Sentence:** More sober views were <u>vindicated</u> by events.

## 6.RAGING (ADJECTIVE): प्रकोप

**Pronunciation:** rayj·uhng

Meaning: very severe or extreme.

Synonyms: violent, strong, extreme
Antonyms: calm, reining, cooling

**Sentence:** The stream could become a <u>raging</u> torrent in wet weather.

## 7.CONVENE (VERB): बुलाना

Pronunciation: kuhn · veen

**Meaning:** to come together or to bring people together for a meeting, etc.

Synonyms: call, order, hold

Antonyms: disperse, dissolve, break up

**Sentence:** He had <u>convened</u> a secret meeting of military personnel.

#### 8.EXEMPLARY (ADJECTIVE): उदाहरणात्मक

Pronunciation: uhg·zem·pluh·ree

**Meaning:** very good; that can be an example to other people

**Synonyms:** ideal, model, copybook **Antonyms:** deplorable. Ordinary, vile

Sentence: His behavior has always been exemplary.

## 9.STIFLE (VERB): दबाना

Pronunciation: stai-fl

Meaning: to stop something happening, developing or continuing.

Synonyms: hamper, constrain, curb

**Antonyms:** encourage

**Sentence:** High taxes <u>stifled</u> private enterprises.

#### 10.PERFUNCTORY (ADJECTIVE): असावधान

**Pronunciation:** puh·fuhngk·tuh·ree

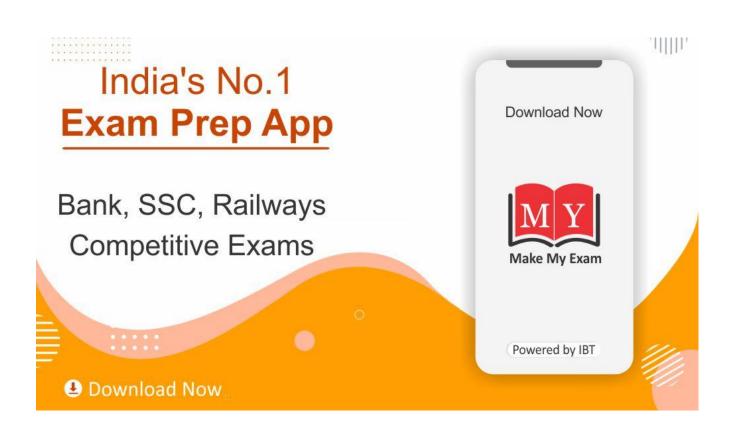
Meaning: (used about an action) done quickly as a duty without any interest or feeling.

**Synonyms:** desultory, quick, hasty **Antonyms:** careful, thorough

**Sentence:** He gave a perfunctory nod.

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