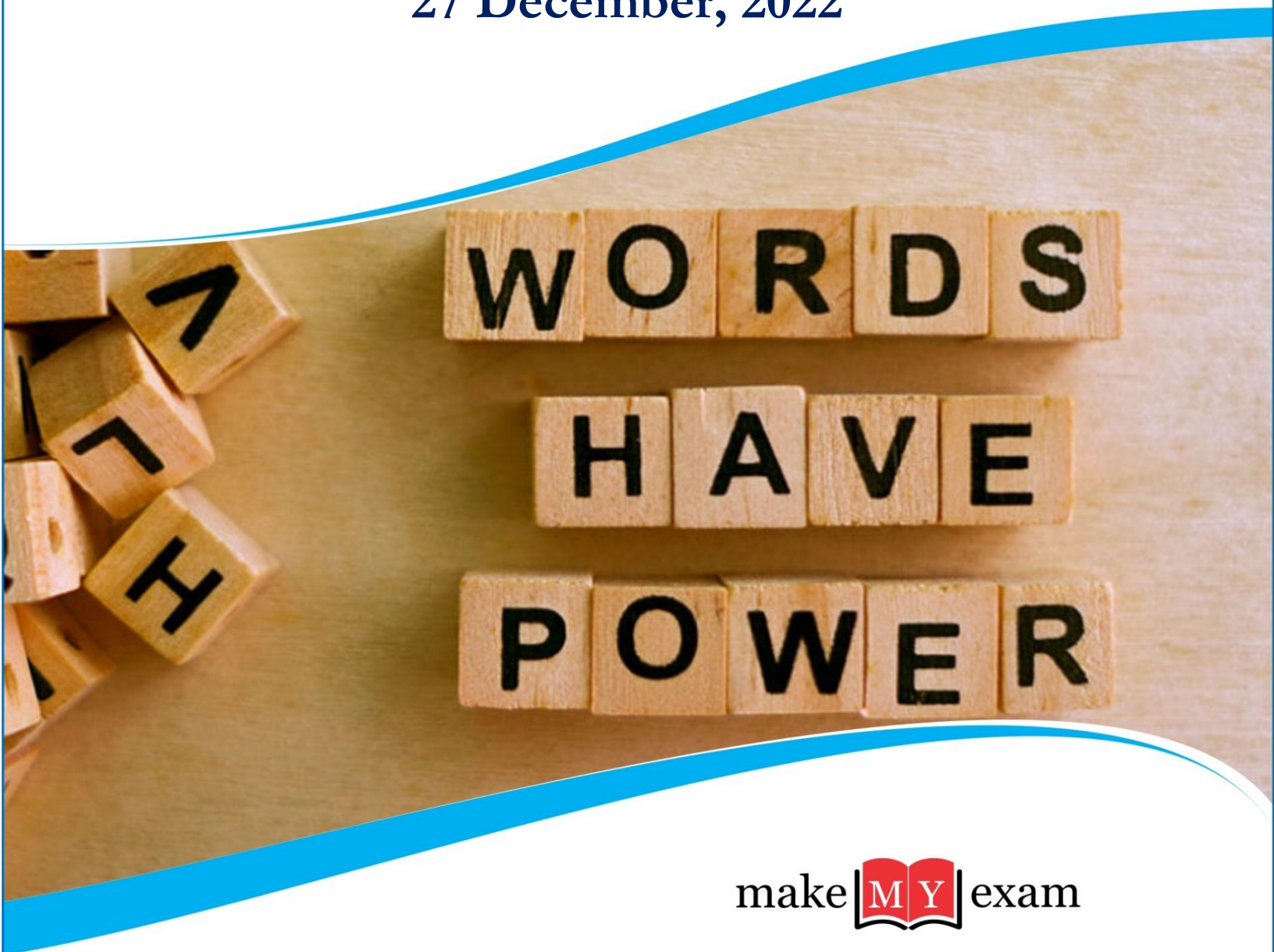


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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!

1. PRESCIENT (adj.) : पूर्वज्ञान रखनेवाला

Pronunciation: preh•shee•uhnt

Meaning: knowing about event before they taking place

Synonyms: farsighted, forehanded, visionary

Antonyms: careless, heedless, incautious

Sentence: It was a remarkably prescient vision.

2. PLUNGE (verb) : डुबकी

Pronunciation: pluhnj

Meaning: to jump, drop with force

Synonyms: dip, immerse, decline

Antonyms: surface, expand, increase & arise

Sentence: Stock price bounced back after steep plunge earlier this week.

3. PROLONG (adj.) : लम्बा

Pronunciation: pruh•laang

Meaning: continuing for a long time

Synonyms: elongate, drag out, attenuate

Antonyms: diminish, reduce, thicken, curtail

Sentence: I don't want to prolong the class unnecessarily.

4. DILAPIDATED (verb) : तबाह करना, नष्ट होना, ग़बन करना

Pronunciation: duh•la•puh•day•tuhd

Meaning: demolish/ deface

Synonyms: ramshackle, tumbledown, run down, decayed

Antonyms: ameliorate, improve, better, upgrade

Sentence: The hotel we stayed in was dilapidated.

5. HEADLONG (adj.) : अननयंत्रित

Pronunciation: hed•laang

Meaning: too quickly / without enough thought

Synonyms: cursory, hasty, quick, rapid

Antonyms: measured, calculated, circumspect

Sentence: I ran headlong for the open door.

6. REIMBURSE (verb) : प्रतिपूर्ति करना

Pronunciation: ree•uhm•burs

Meaning: to pay money back to somebody

Synonyms: refund, repay, reciprocate

Antonyms: deprive, lose, penalise

Sentence: The company will reimburse you for your travelling expenses.

7. DISDAIN (noun) : तिरस्कार

Pronunciation: duhs•dayn

Meaning: the feeling that somebody is not good enough to be respected.

Synonyms: contempt, hate, execration

Antonyms: acceptance, tolerance

Sentence: He turned his head away in disdain.

8. CRONIES (noun) : साथी

Pronunciation: krow•neez

Meaning: friends or relatives

Synonyms: associate, companions, comrades

Antonyms: antagonists, rivals, competitors

Sentence: He was playing with his cronies.

9. LAUDATORY (adj.) : सराहने योग्य, प्रशंसनीय

Pronunciation: laa•duh•taw•ree

Meaning : expressing praise

Synonyms: auditory, predatory, oratory

Antonyms: disrespect

Sentence: Her Teaching way is most laudatory among all in the college.

10. EXPLICIT (adj) : स्पष्ट

Pronunciation: uhk•spli•suht

Meaning: making something easy to understand

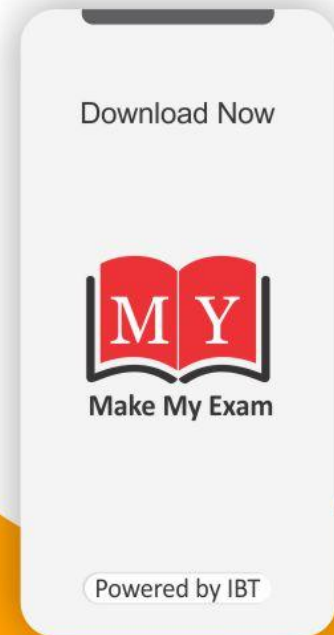
Synonyms: declared, specific, stated

Antonyms: obscure, incorrect, inaccurate

Sentence: He gave me explicit directions on how to get here.

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