



# DAILY VOCAB DOSE

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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.BOULDER (noun): कंकर

Pronunciation: bole duh

**Meaning:** a large rock, typically one that has been worn smooth by erosion.

**Synonyms:** rock, stone, gibber

**Antonyms:** accomplished, aggregate, all **Sentence:** He sat down on a <u>boulder</u>.

# 2.ANTAGONISM (noun) : विरोध

Pronunciation: an ta guh ni zm

**Meaning:** active hostility or opposition. **Synonyms:** hostility, friction, enmity **Antonyms:** friendship, goodwill, amity **Sentence:** The <u>antagonism</u> between them.

# 3.APPEASE (verb) : तुष्ट करना

Pronunciation: uh peez

Meaning: pacify or placate (someone) by acceding to their demands.

**Synonyms:** conciliate, placate, pacify **Antonyms:** anger, enrage, incense

**Sentence:** Amendments have been added to <u>appease</u> local pressure groups.

#### 4.UNENVIABLE (adj.) : अवांछनीय

**Pronunciation:** uhn·en·vee·uh·bl

**Meaning:** difficult, undesirable, or unpleasant. **Synonyms:** disagreeable, unpleasant, undesirable **Antonyms:** charming, enchanting, fascinating

**Sentence:** Cooper had the <u>unenviable</u> job of announcing the redundancies.

#### 5.DELIMITATION (noun) : हदबंदी

Pronunciation: duh·li·muht·ay·shn

Meaning: the action of fixing the boundary or limits of something.

**Synonyms:** custody, detention, incarceration

Antonyms: freedom, liberation, liberty

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**Sentence:** The main focus was the <u>delimitation</u> of responsibilities between the police and the judiciary.

# 6.ERUDITE (adj.) : वैज्ञानिक

Pronunciation: eh·roo·dite

**Meaning:** having or showing great knowledge or learning.

**Synonyms:** learned, scholarly, well educated **Antonyms:** illiterate, uneducated, unlearned

**Sentence:** He could turn any conversation into an <u>erudite</u> discussion.

#### 7.TEDIOUS (adj.) : थकानेवाला

Pronunciation: tee·dee·uhs

**Meaning:** too long, slow, or dull; tiresome or monotonous.

Synonyms: boring, monotonous, dull

Antonyms: engaging, engrossing, gripping

**Sentence:** It gets <u>tedious</u>, but I get a kick out of doing it that way.

# 8.PERVERSITY (noun) : प्रतिकूलता

Pronunciation: puh·vuhs·uh·tee

**Meaning:** a deliberate desire to behave in an unreasonable or unacceptable way;

contrariness.

**Synonyms:** contrariness, perverseness, awkwardness

Antonyms: amiability, serenity

Sentence: She's marrying him out of sheer perversity.

# 9.VERACITY (noun) : सच्चाई

Pronunciation: vuh·ra·suh·tee

**Meaning:** conformity to facts; accuracy. **Synonyms:** truthfulness, truth, accuracy **Antonyms:** deceit, dishonesty, lying

**Sentence:** Officials expressed doubts concerning the <u>veracity</u> of the story.

#### 10.MOIETY (noun): आधा भाग

Pronunciation: moy·uh·tee

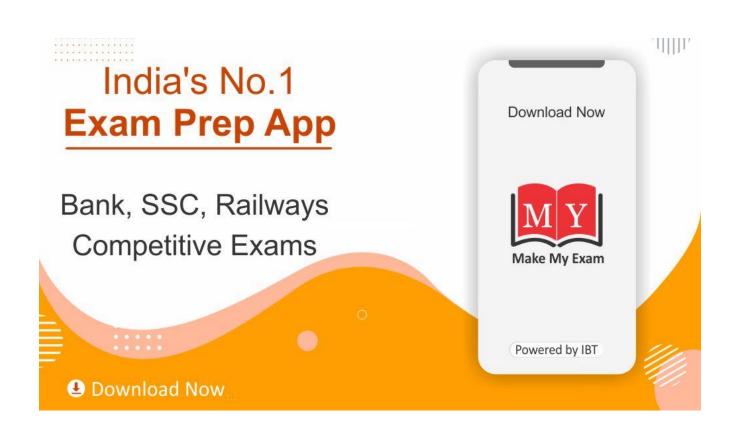
**Meaning:** each of two parts into which a thing is or can be divided.

**Synonyms:** half, moiety, part **Antonyms:** entirety, whole, full

**Sentence:** The tax was to be delivered in two <u>moieties</u>.

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