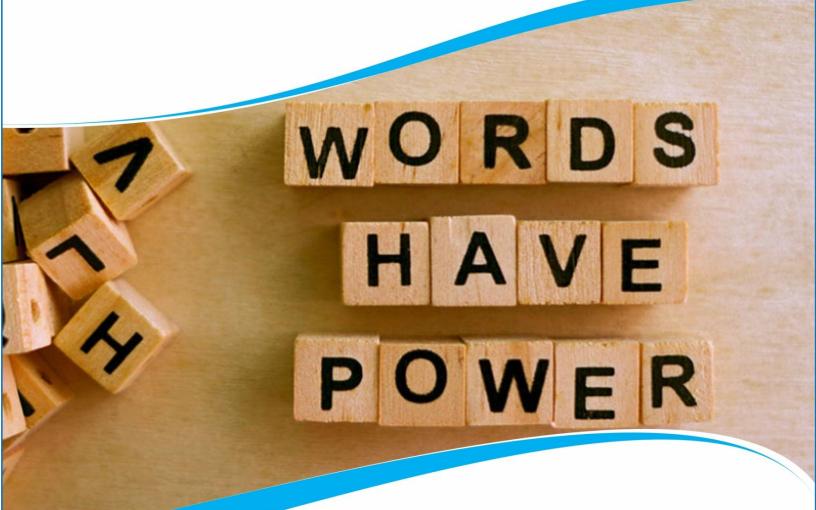




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper '**The Hindu**' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

#### 1. STAMPEDE (NOUN): भगदड़

Pronunciation: stam·peed

**Meaning:** a situation where a large group of frightened animals, esp. horses or cattle.

Synonyms: Panic, Scattering

**Sentence:** The crowd stampeded and many were crushed or trampled underfoot.

#### 2. CONVERGENCE (NOUN): संमिलन

Pronunciation: kuhn·vuh·jns

**Meaning:** the meeting or merging of things that were previously separate or

distinct, resulting in a shared focus.

**Synonyms:** Conflux, Junction **Antonyms:** Dispersal, Deviation

Sentence: The convergence of various cultures at the international festival showcased the

beauty of diversity.

## 3. DENOVO (ADJECTIVE AND ADVERB): नए सिरे से या शुरूसे

Pronunciation: de no·vo

Meaning: starting over or from the beginning.

Synonyms: Anew, Again

Antonyms: Incessantly, Persistently

Sentence: The research team took a Denovo approach to solving the problem, breaking

away from traditional methods.

The legal team decided to present the case of Denovo to ensure a fair trial for the

defendant.

#### 4. HETEROGENEITY (NOUN): विजातिता

Pronunciation: heh·troh·jeh·ni·tee

**Meaning:** the presence of various distinct elements, differences, or variations within a larger whole.

**Synonyms:** Assortment, Mixture **Antonyms:** Conformity, Uniformity

**Sentence:** The economic challenges faced by the region were exacerbated by

the heterogeneity of industries and income levels.





## 5. DRUDGERY (NOUN): कठिन परिश्रम

Pronunciation: druhj·uh·ree

Meaning: dull, repetitive, or menial tasks that are often considered tedious

and uninteresting.

**Synonyms:** Tedium, Routine **Antonyms:** Variety, Stimulation

**Sentence:** The endless drudgery of commuting took a toll on his overall well being.

### 6. SHUDDERING (VERB): कांपना, थरथराना

Pronunciation: shuh·duh·ruhng

Meaning: a sudden and brief convulsive movement.

**Synonyms:** Tremors, quivering **Antonyms:** Composure, Steadiness

Sentence: The artist intentionally incorporated dissonance into his artwork to evoke a

sense of unease and contemplation.

#### 7. EXORBITANT (ADJECTIVE): अत्यधिक

Pronunciation: uhg·zaw·buh·tnt

**Meaning:** unreasonably high or excessive, especially in terms of price, cost, or demand.

**Synonyms:** Extravagant, Inflated **Antonyms:** Sensible, Moderate

Sentence: She was shocked by the exorbitant fees charged by the designer for a custom

made gown.

#### 8. FURORE (NOUN): हंगामा

Pronunciation: fyoo·raw·ree

Meaning: a state of intense excitement, anger, or controversy.

**Synonyms:** Outrage, Uproar

**Antonyms:** Calmness

Sentence: The sudden increase in prices of essential goods led to a furore among the

consumers, prompting calls for government intervention.

#### 9. VEXATIOUS (ADJECTIVE): अफ़सोसनाक

Pronunciation: veks·ay·shuhs

Meaning: causing annoyance, frustration, or distress, often persistently or repeatedly.

**Synonyms:** Annoying, Irritating

**Antonyms:** Pleasant

Sentence: Dealing with the faulty internet connection on a daily basis was a vexatious

issue for the remote workers.



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### 10. EXPULSION (NOUN): निष्कासन

Pronunciation: uhk·spuhl·zhn

Meaning: the act of forcing someone to leave a place, organization, or group, often as

a disciplinary action.

Synonyms: Ejection, Eviction

**Antonyms:** Admission

Sentence: The company announced the expulsion of the employee who was found guilty

of leaking confidential information.





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