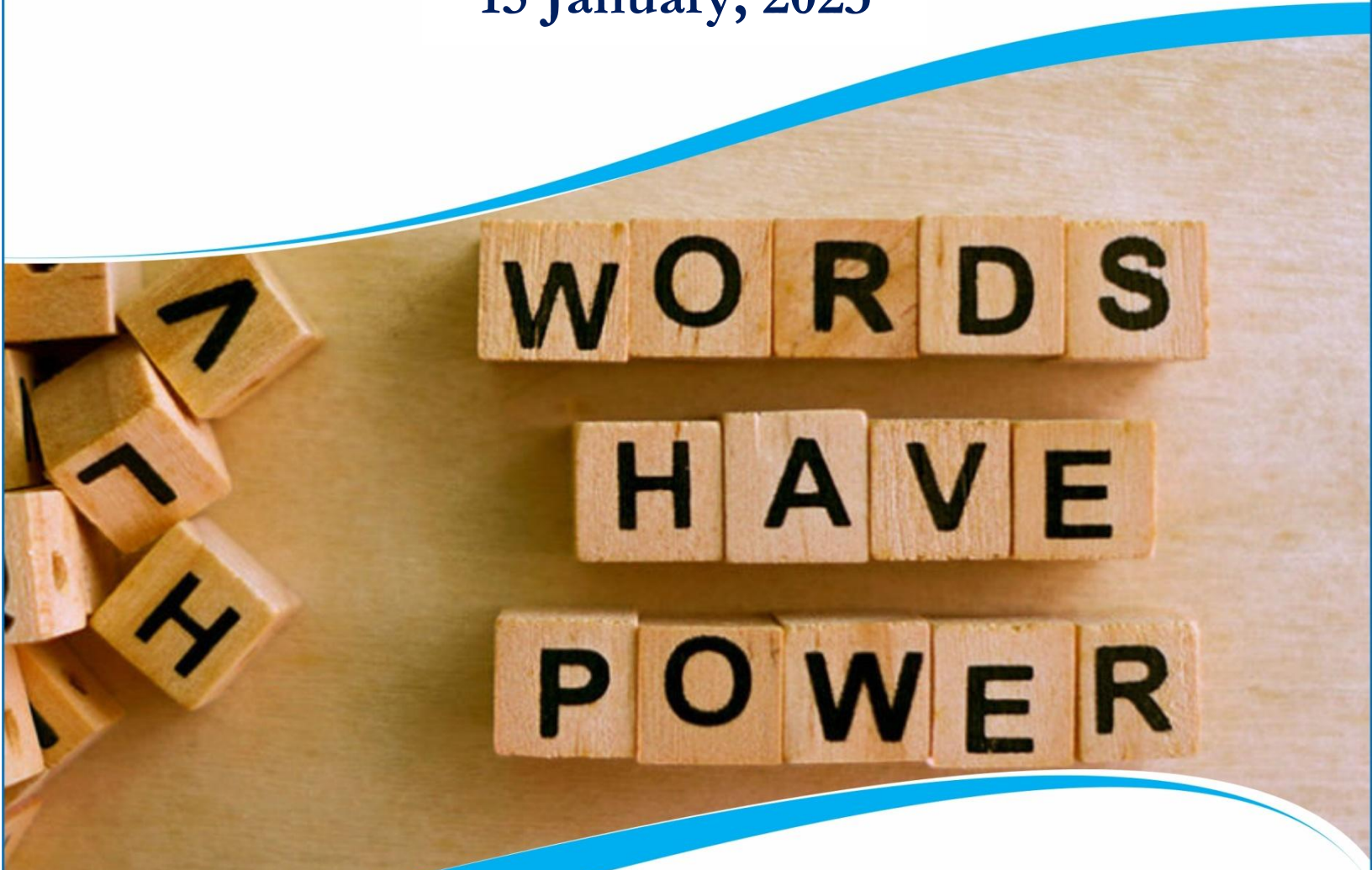
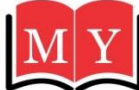


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Happy learning!!!

1. INGRAINED (adj) : अंतर्निहित, स्थायी

Pronunciation: in·greind

Meaning: firmly fixed or established

Synonyms: entrenched, established, fixed, inbred, implanted

Antonyms: transient, superficial

Usage: The idea of doing our duty is deeply ingrained in most people.

2. RIGHTEOUSNESS (noun) : सच्चाई, निष्कपटता

Pronunciation: rai·chus·nus

Meaning: the quality of being morally right or justifiable

Synonyms: goodness, rectitude, virtuousness, uprightness, decency, integrity, worthiness

Antonyms: infamy, dishonesty

Usage: Both sides in the dispute have been adopting a tone of moral righteousness.

3. LIAISE (verb) : मिलकर काम करना

Pronunciation: li·eiz

Meaning: cooperate on a matter of mutual concern

Synonyms: cooperate, collaborate, coordinate, synchronize, assist

Antonyms: counteract, negate, counterwork

Usage: Our head office will liaise with the suppliers to ensure delivery.

4. CONVINCCE (verb) : मनाना

Pronunciation: kun·vins

Meaning: cause someone to do or believe something

Synonyms: persuade, induce, assure, satisfy, reassure

Antonyms: dissuade, confuse, dissatisfy

Usage: I was convinced by his explanation.

5. PREREQUISITE (noun) : शर्त, आधार

Pronunciation: pri·rik·wizit

Meaning: a thing that is required as a prior condition for something else to happen or exist

Synonyms: precondition, essential, requirement, qualification, requisite

Antonyms: nonessential, unnecessary, extra

Usage: Having good communication skill is a prerequisite for qualifying the interview.

6. SPRUCE (verb) : स्वच्छ और सुंदर बनाना

Pronunciation: sproos

Meaning: to make something clean or neat

Synonyms: cleanse, wash, purify, neatens, refine

Antonyms: pollute, adulterate, worsen

Usage: The fund will be used to spruce up historic buildings.

7. VAIN (adj) : व्यर्थ

Pronunciation: vein

Meaning: producing no result

Synonyms: futile, useless, worthless, nugatory, fruitless

Antonyms: successful, productive, useful

Usage: The toddler's attempt to reach the cookie jar on the counter was in vain.

8. ABSOLUTION (noun) : मुक्ति

Pronunciation: ab·suh·loo·shn

Meaning: formal release from guilt, obligation, or punishment

Synonyms: forgiveness, exoneration, remission, dispensation, pardoning

Antonym: punishment

Usage: The priest heard her confession and granted absolution.

9. IMPERATIVE (adj) : अनिवार्य

Pronunciation: uhm·peh·ruh·tuhv

Meaning: of vital importance

Synonyms: vital, crucial, critical, essential, necessary, indispensable, exigent

Antonyms: unimportant, optional, inessential

Usage: It is imperative for your recovery to continue the treatment for at least two months.

10. TUSSLE (noun) : संघर्ष

Pronunciation: tuh·sl

Meaning: fight or struggle

Synonyms: scuffle, fight, struggle, skirmish, brawl, scrimmage

Antonyms: harmony, peace, accord

Usage: Because they like to tussle, the lion cubs spend a good part of their day wrestling each other.

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