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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.OVERSIGHT (noun) : चूक

Pronunciation: oh·vuh·site

Meaning: an unintentional failure to notice or do something.

Synonyms: mistake, error, blunder

Antonyms: accuracy, precision

Sentence: Claiming "three billion" instead of "three million" was just an oversight.

2.STODGY (adj.) : उबाऊ

Pronunciation: stawj·ee

Meaning: causing weariness, restlessness, or lack of interest

Synonyms: boring, dull, monotonous

Antonyms: interesting, intriguing, engaging

Sentence: The sitcom was offbeat and interesting in its first season, but has since become predictable and stodgy.

3.HAYWIRE (adj.) : उत्तेजित

Pronunciation: hay·vai·uh

Meaning: erratic; out of control.

Synonyms: out of order, erratic, faulty

Antonyms: in order, under control

Sentence: After that, things started to go haywire.

4.UNWITTINGLY (adv.) : बेइरादा

Pronunciation: uhn·vit·uhng·lee

Meaning: without being aware; unintentionally.

Synonyms: accidentally, fortuitously, inadvertently,

Antonyms: meticulously, orderly, intentionally

Sentence: If I offended you it was unwittingly.

5.GARISH (adj.) : भड़कीला

Pronunciation: geuh·ruhsh

Meaning: obtrusively bright and showy; lurid.

Synonyms: gaudy, lurid, loud

Antonyms: quiet, muted, subdued

Sentence: It's a little too garish for my taste.

6.IMMURED (verb) : कैद करना

Pronunciation: uh·myawd

Meaning: enclose or confine (someone) against their will.

Synonyms: caged, imprisoned, enclosed

Antonyms: free, loose, unbound

Sentence: He was immured in a dark room.

7.VOUCHSAFE (verb) : अनुदान करना

Pronunciation: vawch·sayf

Meaning: give or grant (something) to (someone) in a gracious or condescending manner.

Synonyms: grant, confer on, concede

Antonyms: hinder, impede, refuse

Sentence: He vouchsafed the information that the meeting had been postponed.

8.DOSSIER (noun) : फाइल

Pronunciation: daw·seeuh

Meaning: a collection of documents about a particular person, event, or subject.

Synonyms: file, report, data

Antonyms: ambiguity, disinformation, fabrication

Sentence: The company is compiling a dossier of evidence to back its allegations.

9.DISINGENUOUS (adj.) : कपटी

Pronunciation: di·sin·jeh·nyoo·uhs

Meaning: not candid or sincere, typically by pretending that one knows less about something than one really does.

Synonyms: dishonest, deceitful, underhand

Antonyms: honest, sincere, genuine

Sentence: He was being somewhat disingenuous as well as cynical.

10.PILLORY (verb): निंदा करना

Pronunciation: pi·luh·ree

Meaning: to subject (someone) to harsh public criticism

Synonyms: blame, criticize, scold

Antonyms: endorse, approve, commend

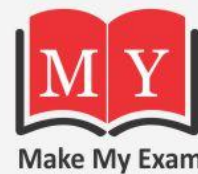
Sentence: The press pilloried the judge for his decision.

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