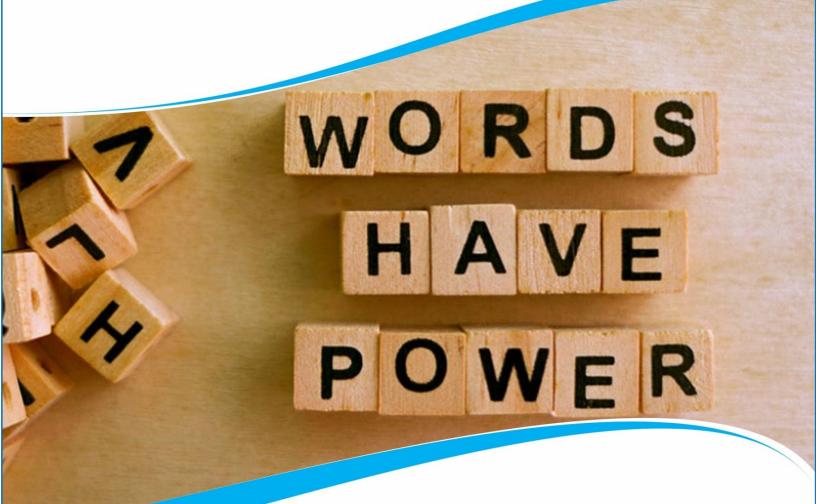




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Happy learning!!!

1.RECKLESS(ADJECTIVE) : लापरवाह

Pronunciation:rek·luhs

Meaning: not thinking about possible bad or dangerous results that could come from your actions.

Synonyms: Rash, Heedless, careless

Antonyms: Cautious, Careful, responsible

Sentence: He showed a reckless disregard for the safety of others.

2.SPREE(NOUN): आनंद का उत्सव

Pronunciation:spree

Meaning: A short period of doing a particular, usually enjoyable, activity much more than

is usual.

Synonyms: Binge, Orgy, splurge **Antonyms:** temperance, restraint

Sentence: I went on a shopping/spending <u>spree</u> on Saturday.

3.EMBLEMATIC(ADJECTIVE) : प्रतीकात्मक

Pronunciation:em·bluhm·a·tuhk

Meaning: Serving as a symbol of a particular quality or concept; symbolic.

Synonyms: Exemplary, Representative, symbolic

Antonyms: literal, nonsymbolic, actual

Sentence: A sword is <u>emblematic</u> of power gained by violence.

4.SUBSIDENCE(NOUN): घटाव

Pronunciation:suhb·sai·dns

Meaning: The process by which land or buildings sink to a lower level

Synonyms: Sinking, Collapse, giving way

Antonyms: Rise, Increase, advance

Sentence: Under certain circumstances, land <u>subsidence</u> is covered under flood policies.

5.SAG(VERB): शिथिलता

Pronunciation: sag.uhng

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Meaning: To bend or sink lower Synonyms: Slump, Hung, sinking Antonyms: Stiffen, rigid, raised

Sentence: The shelf <u>sagged</u> under the weight of so many books.

6.HEED(VERB): सावधानी

Pronunciation:heed

Meaning: To pay attention to advice, a warning, etc.

Synonyms : Caution , Carefulness, care **Antonyms :** Disregard , Ignorance, neglect

Sentence: She does not pay their concerns any <u>heed</u>.

7.PLUNDER(VERB): लूट

Pronunciation:pluhn·duh

Meaning: To steal goods forcefully from a place, esp. during a war.

Synonyms: Pillage, Rob, strip

Antonyms: Preserved, real estate, immovables

Sentence: After the battle the soldiers began looting and <u>plundering</u>.

8.STRATA(NOUN): परतं

Pronunciation:straa·tuh

Meaning: A layer of material, naturally or artificially formed.

Synonyms: Layers, vein, sheet **Antonyms:** Laminae, angled

Sentence: I detest using these terms, but they do describe the different <u>stratas</u> of our

society.

9.ALLEGED(ADJECTIVE) : कथित

Pronunciation:uh·lejd

Meaning: Accused but not proven or convicted. **Synonyms:** Supposed, Claimed, so.called

Antonyms: Actual, real, factual

Sentence: It was <u>alleged</u> that the policeman had accepted bribes.

10.AMBIGUITY(NOUN) : अस्पष्टता

Pronunciation:am·buh·gyoo·uh·tee

Meaning: Doubtfulness or uncertainty of meaning or intention.

Synonyms: Vagueness, Dubiety, mystery

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Antonyms: Clarity, Certainty, clearness

Sentence: The <u>ambiguity</u> begins to disappear as more explanations are made.



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