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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. IMPERIOUS (adjective) – आज्ञात्मक

Pronunciation: im·peeuh·ree·uhs **Meaning:** arrogant and domineering

Synonyms: peremptory, commanding, imperial, overbearing, overweening, domineering,

authoritarian **Antonym:** meek

Usage: In an imperious tone, the police officer ordered the driver to step out of the car.

2. EXTROVERT (noun) – बहिर्मुखी

Pronunciation: ek·struh·vuht

Meaning: an outgoing, socially confident person

Synonyms: outgoing, socializer, mixer, socialite, sociable

Antonym: introvert

Usage: Cory is an <u>extrovert</u> who parties with his friends every weekend.

3. IMMORTAL (adjective) – अमर

Pronunciation: uh·maw·tl

Meaning: never dying or decaying

Synonyms: undying, deathless, eternal, everlasting, endless, perpetual, lasting

Antonyms: mortal, terminable, ending

Usage: Because our souls are <u>immortal</u>, they will live on for eternity.

4. ECSTATIC (adjective) – उन्मादपूर्ण, अति आनंदित

Pronunciation: uhk·sta·tuhk

Meaning: feeling or expressing overwhelming happiness or joyful excitement **Synonyms:** enraptured, elated, transported, euphoric, rapturous, joyful, blissful

Antonyms: miserable, sad, sorrowful

Usage: Ellen was <u>ecstatic</u> when she won the free trip to Hawaii.

5. INCEPTION (noun) - आरंभ

Pronunciation: uhn·sep·shn

Meaning: the establishment or starting point of an institution or activity

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Synonyms: initiation, establishment, institution, foundation, founding, formation, origina-

tion

Antonyms: conclusion, end, completion

Usage: Unfortunately, the inception of the Internet has made it easier for bullies to torment

their victims.

6. STIMULATE (verb) - प्रोत्साहित करना

Pronunciation: sti·myoo·leit

Meaning: encourage or arouse interest or enthusiasm in

Synonyms: encourage, prompt, prod, move, motivate, trigger, spark

Antonym: discourage

Usage: The goal of any great teacher is to craft exciting lessons that will stimulate their

students to want to learn.

7. ADAMANT (adjective) – **अਟ**ल

Pronunciation: a.duh.muhnt

Meaning: refusing to be persuaded or to change one's mind

Synonyms: unshakeable, immovable, inflexible, unwavering, uncompromising, resolute,

resolved

Antonyms: unsure, unassertive, flexible

Usage: He is so adamant in his beliefs that no one can change his mind.

8. SUBSEQUENT (adjective) – आगामी

Pronunciation: suhb·suh·kwnt

Meaning: coming after something in time

Synonyms: following, upcoming, ensuing, succeeding, successive, later, future

Antonyms: previous, prior, former

Usage: Subsequent editions of the book will be based on the early lives of the characters.

9. SUMPTUOUS (adjective) – वैभवशाली

Pronunciation: suhmp·tyoo·uhs

Meaning: splendid and expensive-looking

Synonyms: lavish, luxurious, splendid, deluxe, opulent, magnificent, resplendent

Antonyms: humble, plain, cheap

Usage: The restaurant's <u>sumptuous</u> buffet had some of the finest foods from all over the

world.

10. ILLUSTRIOUS (adjective) – प्रसिद्ध

Pronunciation: uh·luh·stree·uhs

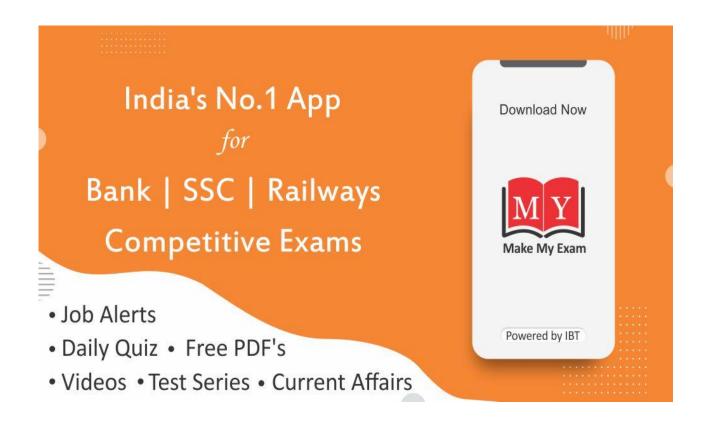
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Meaning: well known, respected, and admired for past achievements **Synonyms:** eminent, distinguished, acclaimed, noted, notable, prominent

Antonyms: unknown, obscure

Usage: He enjoyed a long and illustrious career as a radio producer.



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