

# **DAILY** **VOCAB DOSE**

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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. CULPABLE (ADJECTIVE): दोषी

**Pronunciation:** kuhl-puh-bl

**Meaning:** deserving blame or censure; responsible for wrongdoing or a fault.

**Synonyms:** guilty, blameworthy, at fault

**Antonyms:** innocent, blameless, faultless

**Sentence:** The company was found culpable for the environmental pollution caused by its operations.

### 2. FOOLPROOF (ADJECTIVE): सरल

**Pronunciation:** fool-proof

**Meaning:** incapable of going wrong or being misused.

**Synonyms:** flawless, reliable, infallible

**Antonyms:** imperfect, flawed, defective

**Sentence:** We were told that the backup generator was foolproof, but this was proven false when there was a power outage.

### 3. DIVISIVE (ADJECTIVE): विभाजक

**Pronunciation:** duh-vise-uhv

**Meaning:** tending to cause disagreement, hostility, or division among people or groups.

**Synonyms:** discordant, disharmonious

**Antonyms:** unifying, accordant, inclusive

**Sentence:** The company's new policy proved to be highly divisive, leading to conflicts among employees.

### 4. ABROGATE (VERB) : रद्दकरना

**Pronunciation:** a-bruh-gayt

**Meaning:** the act of formally ending a law, agreement, or custom.

**Synonyms:** abolish, cancel, nullify

**Antonyms:** enact, establish, legislate

**Sentence:** He filed for bankruptcy, which permitted the abrogation of all contracts.

**5. CONSENSUS(NOUN) :** आपसी सहमति**Pronunciation:** kuhn-sen-suhs**Meaning:** a generally accepted opinion or decision among a group of people or a general agreement.**Synonyms:** agreement, unanimity, accord**Antonyms:** disagreement, conflict, denial**Sentence:** I want to get a new bike but I am not getting consensus from my family members.**6. EVANESCENT (ADJECTIVE):** क्षणभंगुर**Pronunciation:** eh-vuh-nes-uhnt**Meaning:** soon passing out of sight, memory, or existence; quickly fading or disappearing.**Synonyms:** vanishing, fading, fleeting**Antonyms:** endless, eternal, everlasting**Sentence:** Talk is evanescent but writing leaves footprints.**7. UNAMBIGUOUS (ADJECTIVE):** स्पष्ट**Pronunciation:** uhn-am-buh-gyoo-uhs**Meaning:** not open to more than one interpretation.**Synonyms:** obvious, plain, apparent**Antonyms:** ambiguous, indefinite, vague, unclear**Sentence:** Reading the unambiguous article, the editor was glad to have found an author that is clear and concise.**8. BIZARRE (ADJECTIVE):** विचित्र**Pronunciation:** bi-zaa**Meaning:** very strange and unusual.**Synonyms:** absurd, insane, crazy**Antonyms:** reasonable, realistic, normal**Sentence:** Everyone stared at the student who wore the bizarre outfit to school.**9. BELIE (VERB):** झुठलाना**Pronunciation:** buh-lai**Meaning:** to show something to be false, or to hide something such as an emotion.**Synonyms:** misrepresent, obscure, conceal**Antonyms:** confirm, validate, prove

**Sentence:** The latest information belies the old theory.

**10. RAPPROCHEMENT (NOUN):** मेल-मिलाप

**Pronunciation:** ra-prawsh-mawn

**Meaning:** the reestablishment of cordial relations, or resumption of harmonious relations.

**Synonyms:** Reconciliation, Harmonization, Agreement

**Antonyms:** Conflict, Hostility, Disagreement

**Sentence:** The recent talks between the two nations have led to a rapprochement, improving diplomatic relations.



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