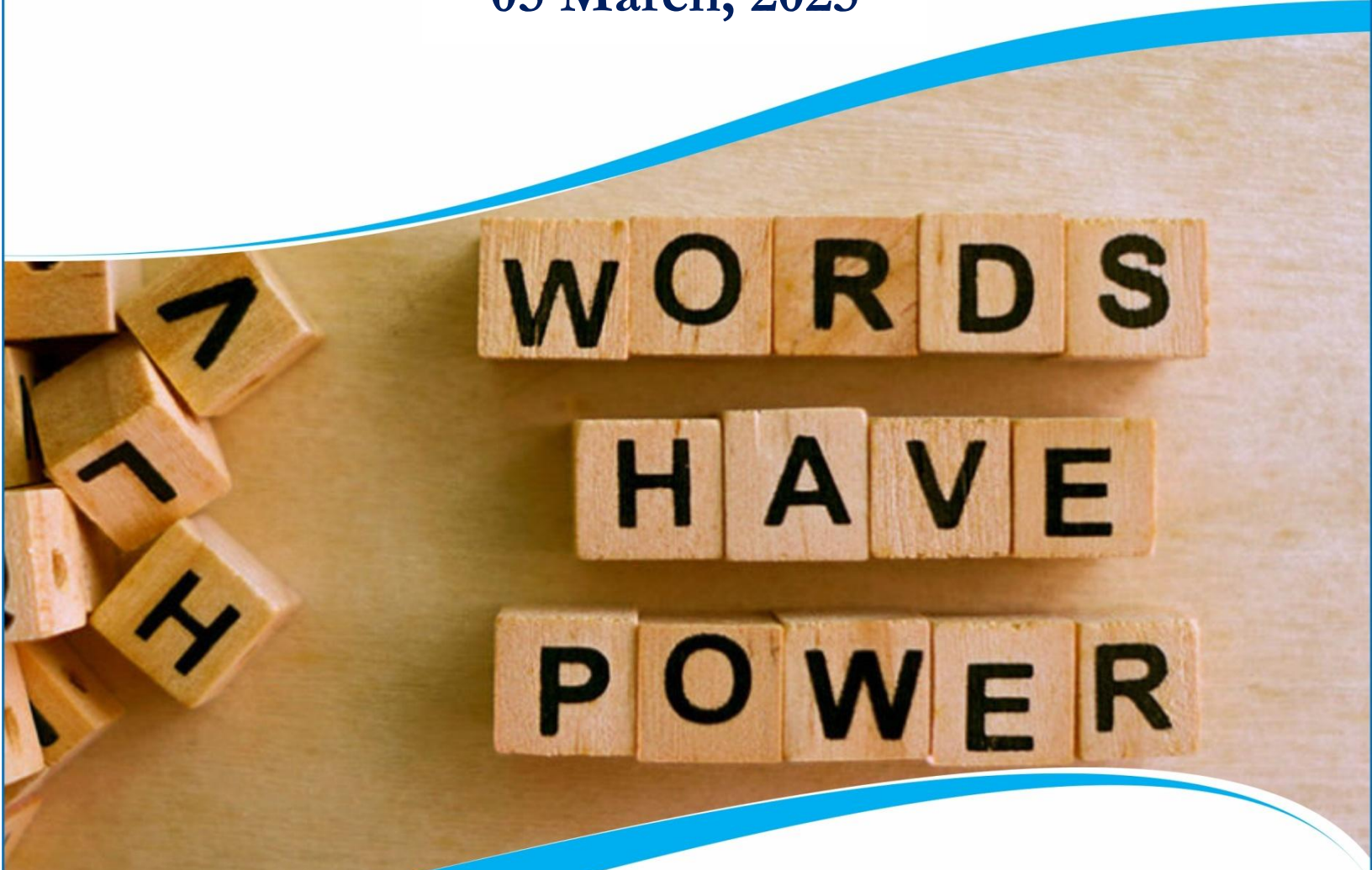
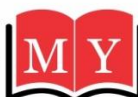


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Happy learning!!!

1.SHEEN (noun): चमक

Pronunciation: sheen

Meaning: a soft luster on a surface.

Synonyms: shine, luster, gleam

Antonyms: dimness, dinginess, dirtiness

Sentence: The conditioner gives the hair a beautiful soft sheen.

2.RUMLINGS (noun) : गड़गड़ाहट

Pronunciation: ruhm·buhl·uhngz

Meaning: a continuous deep, resonant sound.

Synonyms: clamor, murmurs, rumbles

Antonyms: silence, quiet, tranquil

Sentence: There were rumblings of discontent among the students.

3.PROPHYLACTIC (adj.) : प्रतिबंधक

Pronunciation: praw·fuh·lak·tuhk

Meaning: concerned with or serving to keep something from happening

Synonyms: precautionary, preventative, preventive

Antonyms: aiding, assisting, easing

Sentence: The many prophylactic measures that city officials could have taken to reduce the scope of the disaster.

4.THRONG (noun) : भीड़

Pronunciation: thrawng

Meaning: a large, densely packed crowd of people or animals.

Synonyms: crowd, mass, gathering

Antonyms: smattering, few, sprinkling

Sentence: A huge throng had gathered around the speaker.

5.PELLUCID (adj.) : पारदर्शक

Pronunciation: peh·loo·suhd

Meaning: translucently clear.

Synonyms: translucent, transparent, clear

Antonyms: cloudy, opaque

Sentence: They sat there watching the water of the pellucid stream rush by.

6.SCHISM (noun) : फूट

Pronunciation: ski·zm

Meaning: a split or division between strongly opposed sections or parties, caused by differences in opinion or belief.

Synonyms: division, split, rift

Antonyms: accord, agreement, concord

Sentence: Schism within the charitable organization was preventing it from achieving its goals.

7.REPINE (verb) : विलाप करना

Pronunciation: ruh·pine

Meaning: feel or express discontent; fret.

Synonyms: fret, be/feel unhappy, mope

Antonyms: delight, rejoice

Sentence: The old woman repined at her misfortune.

8.PRECARIOUS (adj.) : अनिश्चित

Pronunciation: pruh·keuh·ree·uhs

Meaning: not securely held or in position; dangerously likely to fall or collapse.

Synonyms: treacherous, uncertain, dicey

Antonyms: safe, innocuous, nonhazardous

Sentence: The world is a precarious and unstable place.

9.CONNOTATION (noun) : अर्थ

Pronunciation: kaw·nuht·ay·shn

Meaning: an idea or feeling that a word invokes in addition to its literal or primary meaning.

Synonyms: implication, hidden meaning

Antonyms: meaninglessness, insignificant, insignificance

Sentence: A good dictionary will give us the connotation of a word as well as its denotation.

10.VICIOUS (adj) : दुष्ट

Pronunciation: vi·cious

Meaning: deliberately cruel or violent.

Synonyms: brutal, ferocious, savage

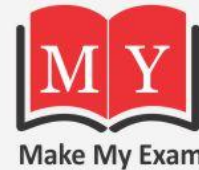
Antonyms: gentle, kindly, benevolent

Sentence: As nations become more corrupt and vicious, they have more need of masters.

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