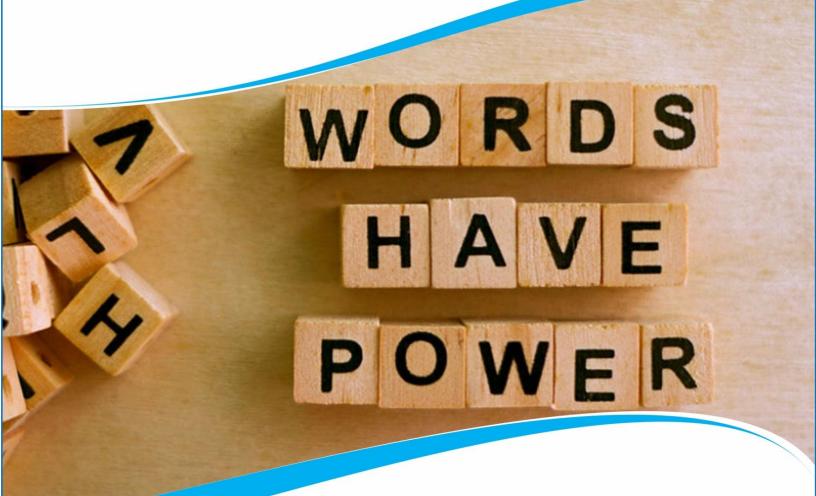




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt. This will really help you boost up your learning.

Happy learning!!!

#### 1. EXODUS (noun): प्रस्थान

**Pronunciation:** ek·suh·duhs

Meaning: a situation in which many people leave a place at the same time.

**Synonyms:** outflow, drain, diaspora **Antonyms:** deluge, influx, inflow

**Sentence:** Due to No job, there has been a mass exodus of workers from city to village.

## 2. HOSTILE (noun): शत्रुतापूर्ण

Pronunciation: haw stile

**Meaning:** having very strong feeling against somebody

**Synonyms:** adverse, antagonist, belligerent **Antonyms:** affable, amiable, convivial

**Sentence:** The PM had a <u>hostile</u> reception in Bengal.

### 3. DENOUNCE (verb): आरोप लगा देना

**Pronunciation:** duh nawns

**Meaning:** to say publicly that something is wrong.

**Synonyms:** censure, condemn, decry **Antonyms:** approve, endorse, sanction **Sentence:** We must <u>denounce</u> injustice.

#### 4. INCARNATION (noun): अवतार

**Pronunciation:** uhn·kaa·nay·shn

**Meaning:** a period of life on earth in a particular form

Synonyms: epitome, abstract, image

Antonyms: disembodiment, spiritualization, abstraction

**Sentence:** She is very <u>incarnation</u> of goodness.

# 5. BOMBASTIC (adj.): बडे बडे शब्दों से भरा हुआ

**Pronunciation:** bawm·baa·stuhk

Meaning: high sounding but little meaning Synonyms: flatulent, pompous, tumid Antonyms: eloquent, well- spoken

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**Sentence:** His <u>bombastic</u> style made him unpopular.

### 6. CORROBORATE (verb): मंडित कतना

**Pronunciation:** kuh·raw·buh·rayt

Meaning: establish or strength as with new evidence or facts

**Synonyms:** certify, confirm, support **Antonyms:** contradict, deny, disclaim

**Sentence:** Recent research seems to <u>corroborate</u> his theory.

## 7. AUTOCRATIC (adj.): निरंकुश

**Pronunciation:** aw·toh·kra·tuhk

Meaning: exercising power or authority without interference by others

**Synonyms:** absolute, arbitrary, dictator

Antonyms: circumscribed, restricted, democratic

**Sentence:** The <u>autocratic</u> govt call out the army to suppress the protest.

## 8. AVERSE (adj.): प्रतिकूल

**Pronunciation:** uh vuhs **Meaning:** strongly opposed

**Synonyms:** against, opposite to, antipathetic

Antonyms: keen, fond, admiring

Sentence: He seems to averse to hard work

### 9. APPARENT (adj.): स्पष्ट

**Pronunciation:** uh·pa·ruhnt

Meaning: clear

**Synonyms:** assumed, evident, prima facie **Antonyms:** hidden, impossible, implausible

**Sentence:** Her Happiness is <u>apparent</u> to everyone.

## 10. QUACK (noun): अनाड़ी

Pronunciation: kvak

**Meaning:** a person who dishonestly claim to have special knowledge & skill

**Synonyms:** charlatan, fake, fraud **Antonyms:** ace, adept, expert **Sentence:** That doctor's a <u>quack</u>.

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