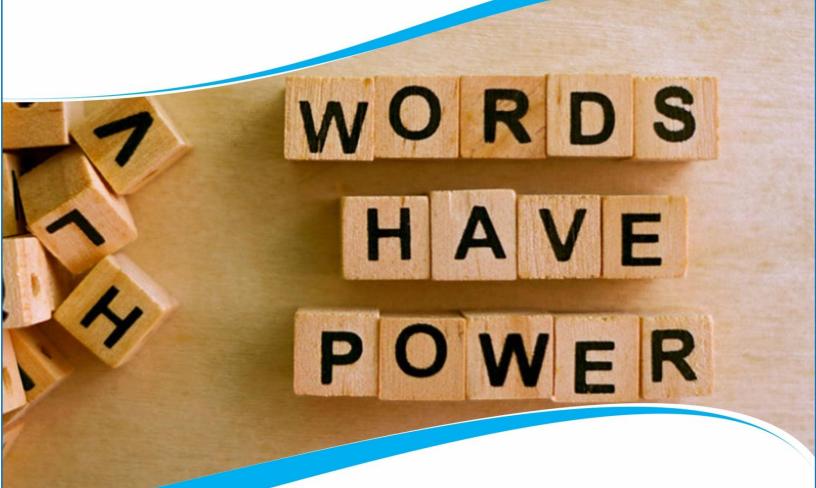




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

1. REMIT (verb) : रद्द करना

Pronunciation: ri- mit

Meaning: cancel or refrain from exacting or inflicting (a debt or punishment).

Synonyms: cancel, revoke, abrogate

Antonyms: hold, keep, receive

Sentence: The legislature has <u>remitted</u> the matter to the next session

2. SANGUINE (adj.) : आशावादी

Pronunciation: sang.gvn

Meaning: optimistic or positive, especially in an apparently bad or difficult situation.

Synonyms: optimistic, hopeful, positive **Antonyms:** doubtful, dubious, uncertain

Sentence: He is <u>sanguine</u> about prospects for the global economy.

3. PRESAGING (verb) : पहले से अनुभाव करना

Pronunciation: preh·suhj·uhng

Meaning: (of an event) be a sign or warning that (something, typically something bad) will

happen.

Synonyms: portend, augur, foreshadow **Antonyms:** fulfilment, event, occurrence

Sentence: The outcome of the game <u>presaged</u> the coming year.

4. IMBIBE (verb) : पी लेना

Pronunciation: uhm bibe

Meaning: to swallow in liquid form **Synonyms:** drink, consume, quaff

Antonyms: abstain, fast

Sentence: Plants can <u>imbibe</u> water through their roots.

5. MOCKERY (noun) : मज़ाक

Pronunciation: mawk·uh·ree

Meaning: teasing and contemptuous language or behavior directed at a particular person

or thing.

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Synonyms: ridicule, derision, jeering

Antonyms: applause, praise

Sentence: There was a tone of <u>mockery</u> in his voice.

6. HECTORED (verb): बदमाशी से बात करना

Pronunciation: hek-tər

Meaning: talk to (someone) in a bullying way.

Synonyms: bully, intimidate, browbeat **Antonyms:** comforted, consoled, soothed

Sentence: Brooks had <u>hectored</u> employees who refused to work overtime.

7. RUMINATE (verb) : विचार करना

Pronunciation: roo·muh·nayt

Meaning: think deeply about something.

Synonyms: think about, contemplate, consider

Antonyms: disregard, ignore, overlook

Sentence: She ruminated for weeks about whether to tell him or not.

8. DIGRESSIONS (noun) : विषयांतर

Pronunciation: dai-greh-shnz

Meaning: a temporary departure from the main subject in speech or writing.

Synonyms: deviation, detour, diversion

Antonyms: Similarity, directness

Sentence: After several <u>digressions</u>, he finally got to the point.

9. PALLIATE (verb) : कम करना

Pronunciation: pa·lee·ayt

Meaning: to make it more bearable or less severe

Synonyms: allay, alleviate, assuage

Antonyms: aggravate, exacerbate, accuse

Sentence: This medicine should <u>palliate</u> your cough at least a little.

10. INVETERATE (adj.) : কছৰ

Pronunciation: uhn · veh · tuh · ruht

Meaning: having a particular habit, activity, or interest that is long-established and

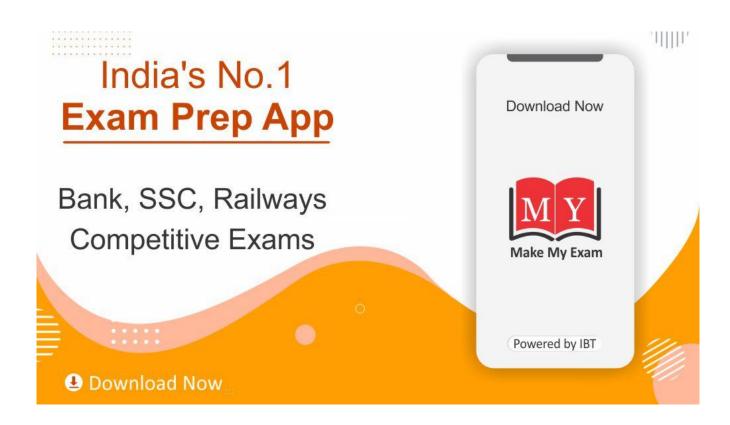
unlikely to change.

Synonyms: ingrained, ineradicable, deep-rooted **Antonyms:** temporary, transient, short-term

Sentence: The man is an inveterate liar who only rarely tells the truth.

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