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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. INDIGENT (adj.) : दरिद्र

Pronunciation: uhn·dig·nuhnt

Meaning: poor; needy.

Synonyms: poor, impecunious, destitute

Antonyms: prosperous, opulent, rich

Sentence: Because he was indigent, the court-appointed a lawyer to represent him.

2. TRAIPISE (verb) : धीरे-धीरे चलना

Pronunciation: trayps

Meaning: walk or move wearily or reluctantly.

Synonyms: trudge, trek, tramp

Antonyms: run, tiptoe, stay

Sentence: I spent the day traipsing around the shops but found nothing suitable for her.

3. ACCRUE (verb) : उपाजित होना

Pronunciation: uh·kroo

Meaning: (of sums of money or benefits) be received by someone in regular or increasing amounts over time.

Synonyms: result, arise, follow

Antonyms: abate, decline, diminish

Sentence: A penny-pincher who is accruing a fortune by spending next to nothing.

4. PONTIFICATING (verb) : व्याख्या करना

Pronunciation: pawn·tif·uhk·ayt·uhng

Meaning: express one's opinions in a way considered annoyingly pompous and dogmatic.

Synonyms: expound, declaim, preach

Antonyms: humble, lowly, modest

Sentence: Politicians like to pontificate about falling standards.

5. BRUSQUE (adj.) : अशिष्ट

Pronunciation: broosk

Meaning: abrupt or offhand in speech or manner.

Synonyms: abrupt, blunt, terse

Antonyms: circuitous, mealy-mouthed, civil

Sentence: Madison's brusque style tends to irritate colleagues.

6. PERFIDY (noun) : विश्वासघात

Pronunciation: puh·fuh·dee

Meaning: deceitfulness; untrustworthiness.

Synonyms: treachery, duplicity, deceit

Antonyms: allegiance, constancy, devotedness

Sentence: As devotion unites lovers, so perfidy estranges friends.

7. TROVE (noun) : भंडार

Pronunciation: trove

Meaning: a store of valuable or delightful things.

Synonyms: assortment, treasure, assemble

Antonyms: ragbag, clutter

Sentence: The dictionary is a vast treasure trove of information.

8. INTERREGNUM (noun) : दो राजा के भीतर समय

Pronunciation: in·tuh·reg·nuhm

Meaning: a period when the typical government is suspended, especially between successive reigns or regimes.

Synonyms: discontinuity, adjournment, suspension

Antonyms: continuation, continuity

Sentence: The democratic regime proved to be a short-lived interregnum between dictatorships.

9. COMMISERATED (verb) : हमदर्दी रखना

Pronunciation: kuh·mi·zuh·rayt·uhd

Meaning: express or feel sympathy or pity; sympathize.

Synonyms: offer sympathy to, feel pity for, condole with

Antonyms: distressed, tormented, irritated

Sentence: They commiserated the misfortune of their teacher.

10. CONTEMPORANEOUS (adj.) : समसामयिक

Pronunciation: kuhn·tem·puh·ray·nee·uhs

Meaning: existing or occurring in the same period of time.

Synonyms: coetaneous, coeval, coexistent

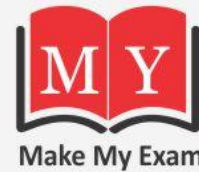
Antonyms: asynchronous, noncontemporary

Sentence: The two events were more or less contemporaneous, with only months between them.

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