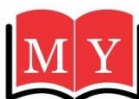


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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

1.CONSCIENCE (noun): अंतरात्मा की आवाज

Pronunciation: kaw'n•shns

Meaning: an inner feeling or voice viewed as acting as a guide to the rightness or wrongness of one's behavior.

Synonyms: sense of right, moral sense, inner voice

Antonyms: defiance, disdain, happiness

Sentence: Her conscience told her to find the lost wallet's owner.

2.TRAPPINGS (noun) : ताम-झाम

Pronunciation: trap•uhngz

Meaning: the outward signs, features, or objects associated with a particular situation, role, or thing. ()

Synonyms: adornment, beautifier, caparison

Antonyms: blemish, defacement, disfigurement

Sentence: Despite its democratic trappings, the country's government was a dictatorship.

3.FALLIBLE (adj.) : दोषक्षम

Pronunciation: fa•luh•bl

Meaning: capable of making mistakes or being erroneous.

Synonyms: error-prone, erring, errant

Antonyms: faultless, flawless, impeccable

Sentence: This method is more fallible than most because it depends on careful and accurate timing.

4.EFFETE (adj.) : अशक्त

Pronunciation: uh•feet

Meaning: (of a person) affected, overrefined, and ineffectual.

Synonyms: affected, over-refined, ineffectual

Antonyms: undecadent, determined, mettlesome

Sentence: People said the aristocracy was effete.

5.LONGEVITY (noun) : समय सीमा

Pronunciation: lawn•jev•uh•tee

Meaning: the time period during which something exists or lasts

Synonyms: life, life span, lifetime

Antonyms: fragility, brittleness, flimsiness

Sentence: Certain species of tortoise are known for their extreme longevity.

6.PUERILE (adj.) : बचकाना

Pronunciation: pyu•rile

Meaning: having or showing the annoying qualities (as silliness) associated with children

Synonyms: childish, immature, infantile

Antonyms: adult, experienced, mature

Sentence: I find his sense of humor rather puerile.

7.DEPORTATION (noun) : निर्वासन

Pronunciation: dee•pawt•ay•shn

Meaning: the action of deporting a foreigner from a country.

Synonyms: expulsion, expelling, banishment

Antonyms: repatriation, return, immigration

Sentence: Several of the asylum seekers now face deportation.

8.DISTRAUGHT (adj.) : व्याकुल

Pronunciation: duh•strawt

Meaning: deeply upset and agitated.

Synonyms: worried, upset, distressed

Antonyms: calm, peaceful, placid

Sentence: Her distraught mother had spent all night waiting by the phone.

9.CATAclysmic (adj.) : दुर्घटना

Pronunciation: ka•tuh•kliz•muhk

Meaning: relating to or denoting a violent natural event.

Synonyms: disastrous, catastrophic, calamitous

Antonyms: non-destructive, protective

Sentence: These countries are on the brink of cataclysmic famine.

10.SLAPDASH (adj.) : किसी न किसी तरह

Pronunciation: slap•dash

Meaning: done too hurriedly and carelessly.

Synonyms: careless, slipshod, lackadaisical

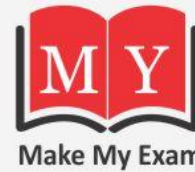
Antonyms: methodical, organized, systematic

Sentence: She has a very slapdash approach to keeping accounts.

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