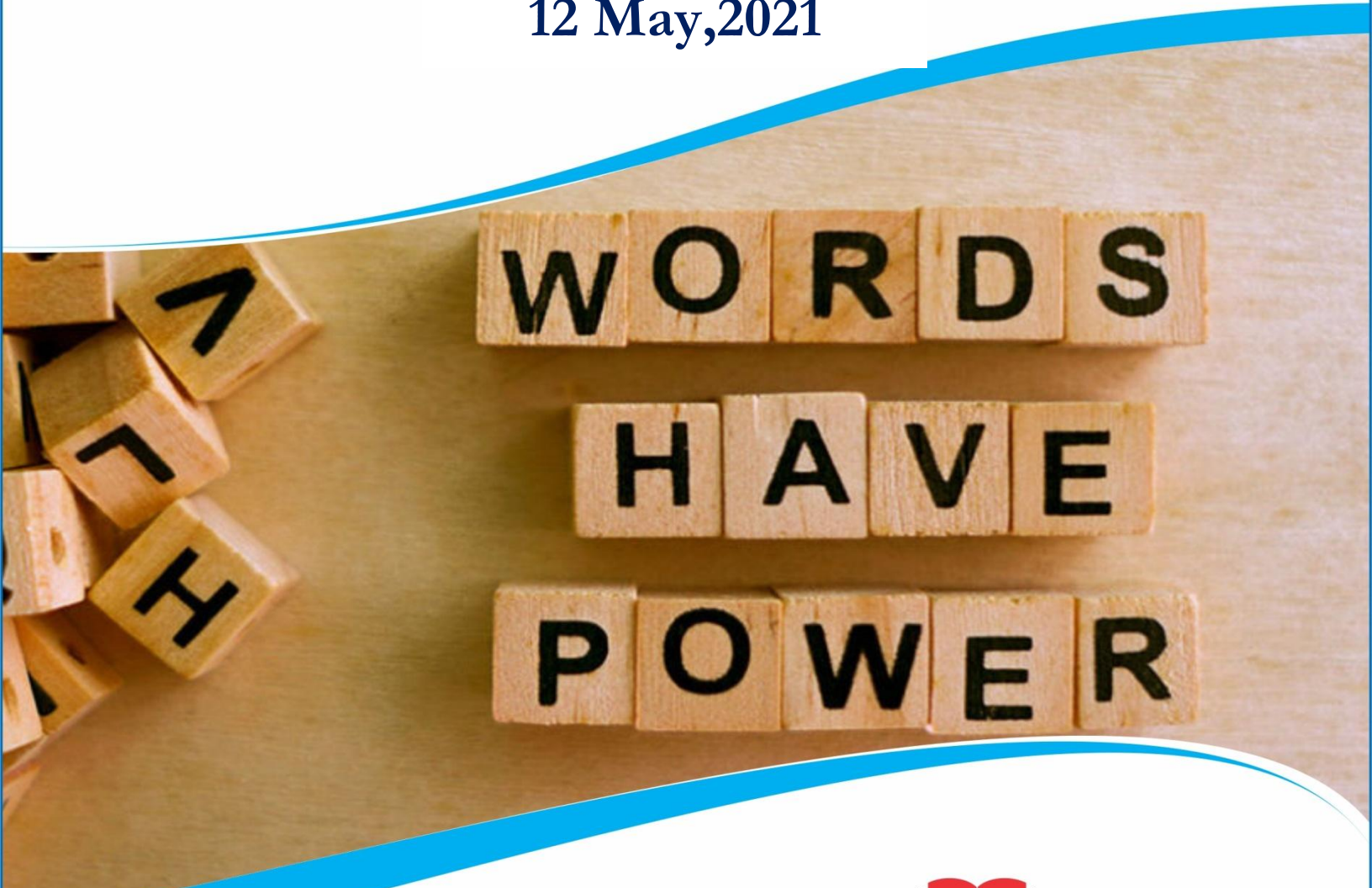
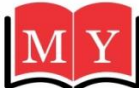


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**Happy learning!!!**

### **1.Repression (noun) - दमन**

**Pronunciation:** ree-preh-shn

**Meaning:** the use of force or violence to control a group of people

**Synonyms:** suppression ,quashing ,subduing ,restraint ,reserve,

**Antonyms:** indulgence ,frankness ,bluntness ,unconstraint

**Usage:** They were fighting against repression and injustice in their country.

### **2.Condemnation (noun) - निंदा**

**Pronunciation:** kaan-duhm-nei-shn

**Meaning:** the expression of very strong disapproval

**Synonyms:** censure ,mock ,excoriation ,punishment ,admonishment

**Antonyms:** endorsement ,citation ,praise ,honor ,approval

**Usage:** The shooting of policeman has received universal condemnation.

### **3.Vowed (verb) - कसम खाई**

**Pronunciation:** vawd

**Meaning:** solemnly promise to do a specified thing

**Synonyms:** swear , oath, pledge, engage, plight,

**Antonyms:** mistrust, deny, dishonour, disbelieve, unlock

**Usage:** She vowed to solve the problem without further bloodshed.

### **4.Chasm (noun) - दरार**

**Pronunciation:** ka.zm

**Meaning:** a wide difference in people , viewpoints ,feeling etc. or a large gap in earth`s surface.

**Synonyms:** breach, gulf, split , division , cavity , hollow , ommission

**Antonyms:** closing , solid, remembrance, junction, juncture

**Usage:** There is still a vast economic chasm between developed and developing countries.

### **5.Rebuffed (verb) - अस्वीकार कर दिया**

**Pronunciation:**ree-buhft

**Meaning:** reject ( someone or something) in abrupt or ungracious manner.

**Synonyms:** refuse, decline, banishment, ostracism, repulse, dismissal

**Antonyms:** acceptance, embrace, welcome, adopt , accept.

**Usage:** As soon as the homeowners heard the low bid on their property ,they immedietly rebuff the offer.

### **6.Rigorous (adjective) - कठिन**

**Pronunciation :** ri-gr-uhs

**Meaning:** very strict or careful

**Synonyms:**challenging , demanding , toilsome ,complex , abstract

**Antonyms:**comfort , painless , accessible , relaxed

**Usage:** Our teacher is so rigorous that he seldom lets up on us.

### **7.Expeditiously (adverb) - शीघ्र**

**Pronunciation:** ex-spuh-di-shuh-slee

**Meaning:** with speed and efficiency

**Synonyms:** alert , prompt , quick , responsive , immediate , fast

**Antonyms:** crawling , creeping , dragging, leisurely , sluggish

**Usage:** Various special keys have been invented for performing the electrical operations expeditiously.

### **8.Insistence (noun) - आग्रह**

**Pronunciation:** in-si-stns

**Meaning:** The act of stating or demanding something forcefully

**Synonyms:** affirmation , assertion , claim , declaration , justification

**Antonyms:** dispute , disclaimer , denial , contradiction

**Usage:** At the insistence of his father , he bought himself a new suit.

### **9.Mitigate (verb) - कमकरना**

**Pronunciation:** mi-tuh-geit

**Meaning:** make (something bad) less severe, serious, or painful

**Synonyms:** reduce , diminish, lessen, relieve, soothe, enrich

**Antonyms:** injure, heighten, intensify, sharpen, aggravate

**Usage:** To mitigate your dry skin condition , you should moisturize your skin three times a day.

### **10.Succour (noun) - परेशानी में सहायता**

**Pronunciation:** suh-kr

**Meaning:** assistance and support in times of hardship and distress.

**Synonyms:** aid , help , support, relief, boost , encourage,

**Antonyms:** blockage, obstruction, hindrance, stop, repression, discouragement

**Usage:** Her organization gave succour and strength to those who had been emotionally damaged.

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