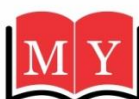


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1.DERELICTION (noun): कर्तव्य का त्याग

Pronunciation: deh·ruh·lik·shn

Meaning: the state of having been abandoned and become dilapidated.

Synonyms: dilapidation, disrepair, decrepitude

Antonyms: reclamation, recoupment, repossession

Sentence: He pleaded guilty to willful dereliction of duty.

2.STAUNCH (adj.) : निष्ठावान

Pronunciation: stanch

Meaning: loyal and committed in attitude.

Synonyms: stalwart, loyal, faithful

Antonyms: disloyal, faithless, false

Sentence: She's a staunch advocate of free trade.

3.EXECRABLE (adj.) : भद्दा

Pronunciation: ek·suh·kruh·bl

Meaning: extremely bad or unpleasant.

Synonyms: appalling, awful, dreadful

Antonyms: excellent, fine, wonderful

Sentence: He stood at the desk, laboring in his execrable handwriting.

4.PESSIMISM (noun) : निराशावाद

Pronunciation: peh·suhm·i·zm

Meaning: a tendency to see the worst aspect of things or believe that the worst will happen; a lack of hope or confidence in the future.

Synonyms: defeatism, negativity, cynicism

Antonyms: optimism, cheer, hopefulness

Sentence: The dispute cast an air of deep pessimism over the future of the peace talks.

5.GRAVEST (adj.) : सबसे गंभीर

Pronunciation: grayv·uhst

Meaning: giving cause for alarm; serious.

Synonyms: serious, important, profound

Antonyms: light, unserious, frivolous

Sentence: That is the gravest problem of all.

6.ASPERSE (verb) : कलंक लगाना**Pronunciation:** uh·spuhs**Meaning:** attack or criticize the reputation or integrity of.**Synonyms:** disparage, denigrate, defame**Antonyms:** glorify, honor, acclaim**Sentence:** His opponents cast aspersions on his patriotism.**7.REVERED (verb) :** सम्मान**Pronunciation:** ruh·veeuhd**Meaning:** feel deep respect or admiration for (something).**Synonyms:** respect, admire, esteem**Antonyms:** blasphemed, desecrated, profaned**Sentence:** Nelson Mandela is revered for his brave fight against apartheid.**8.SYMPOSIUM (noun) :** संगोष्ठी**Pronunciation:** suhm·poze·ee·uhm**Meaning:** a conference or meeting to discuss a particular subject.**Synonyms:** assembly, conclave, congregation**Antonyms:** division, lawlessness, fractionation**Sentence:** He had been taking part in an international symposium on population.**9.CONTRIVANCE (noun) :** युक्ति**Pronunciation:** kuhn·trive·uhns**Meaning:** the use of skill to bring something about or create something.**Synonyms:** scheme, stratagem, tactic**Antonyms:** ignorance, disorganisation**Sentence:** The requirements of the system, by happy chance and some contrivance, can be summed up in an acronym.**10.AMICABLE (adj.) :** मैत्रीपूर्ण**Pronunciation:** a·muh·kuh·bl**Meaning:** (of relations between people) having a spirit of friendliness; without serious disagreement or rancor.**Synonyms:** friendly, good-natured, cordial**Antonyms:** disagreeable, discordant, incompatible**Sentence:** There will be an amicable settlement of the dispute.

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