

# VOCABULARY

## 1. EXIGENT (ADJECTIVE): अत्यावश्यक

**Pronunciation:** ek•suh•jnt

**Meaning:** needing immediate attention.

**Synonyms:** urgent, extreme, immediate

**Antonyms:** minor, incidental, trivial

**Sentence:** So, it is an important and exigent problem to estimate the software project size.

## 2. STEALTHIEST (ADJECTIVE): गुप्त

**Pronunciation:** stelh•ee•uhst

**Meaning:** behaving, done, or made in a cautious and surreptitious manner, so as not to be seen or heard.

**Synonyms:** furtive, secretive, clandestine

**Antonyms:** open, public

**Sentence:** Cats are among the stealthiest of stalkers.

## 3. MENIAL (NOUN): सेवक

**Pronunciation:** mee•nee•uhl

**Meaning:** a person hired to perform household or personal services.

**Synonyms:** servant, housekeeper, maid

**Antonyms:** master, mistress, foreman

**Sentence:** Immigrants to that country faced fierce prejudice and could expect to find work only as menials.

## 4. SENESCENCE (NOUN): बुढ़ापा

**Pronunciation:** suh•neh•sns

**Meaning:** the state of being old or the process of becoming old.

**Synonyms:** senility, age, dotage

**Antonyms:** freshness, youthfulness, adolescence

**Sentence:** Senescence of clones is probably caused by the accumulation of deleterious mutations.

## 5. DOFF (VERB): उतारना

**Pronunciation:** dawf

**Meaning:** to rid oneself of (a garment).

**Synonyms:** remove, peel (off), put off

**Antonyms:** don, throw (on), wear

**Sentence:** The blazing sun soon had the men doffing their jackets.

## 6. RELINQUISHMENT (NOUN): त्याग

**Pronunciation:** re•lin•quish•ment

**Meaning:** the usually forced yielding of one's person or possessions to the control of another.

**Synonyms:** surrender, submission, cession

**Antonyms:** possession, retention, holding

**Sentence:** Miraculous, the relinquishment of the hostess was accomplished without bloodshed.

## 7. PACIFY (VERB): शांतकरना

**Pronunciation:** pa•suh•fai

**Meaning:** to lessen the anger or agitation of someone

**Synonyms:** calm, comfort, console

**Antonyms:** anger, inflame, infuriate

**Sentence:** The only thing that would pacify the child and end the tantrum was a new toy.

## 8. AVOUCHMENT (NOUN): घोषणा

**Pronunciation:** avouch•ment

**Meaning:** a solemn and often public declaration of the truth or existence of something.

**Synonyms:** declaration, assertion, claim

**Antonyms:** dispute, question

**Sentence:** Your avouchment of his good intentions means he won't be disciplined.

## 9. PANG (NOUN): पीड़ा

**Pronunciation:** pang

**Meaning:** a sudden sharp pain or painful emotion.

**Synonyms:** pain, sting, discomfort

**Antonyms:** relief, comfort

**Sentence:** He experienced a sudden pang of conscience.

## 10. WREST (VERB): खींचना

**Pronunciation:** rest

**Meaning:** to draw out by force or with effort

**Synonyms:** wrench, pull, extract

**Antonyms:** insert, instill.

**Sentence:** I managed to wrest the photograph from his grasp.