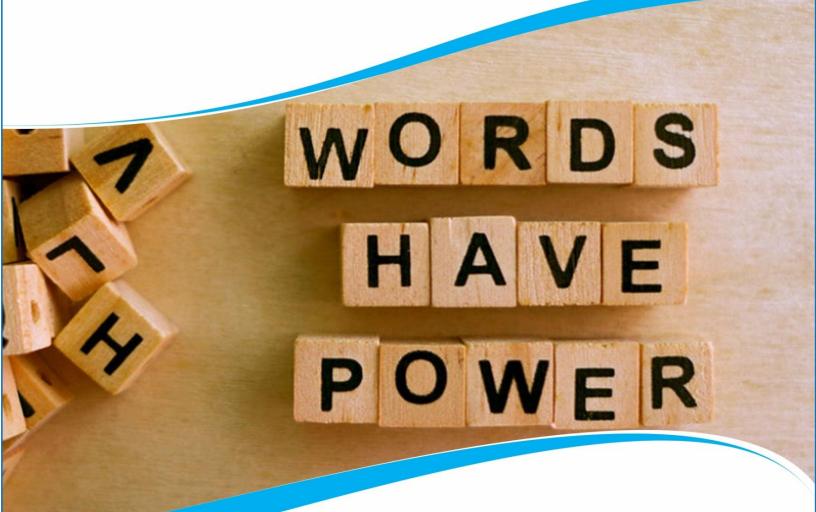




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper '**The Hindu**' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

1. CAPACIOUS (ADJECTIVE): विशाल

Pronunciation: kuh·pay·shuhs

Meaning: a space or container that is able to hold or accommodate a

significant amount.

Synonyms: Spacious, Roomy, Ample **Antonyms:** Compact, Cramped, Narrow

Sentence: The house had a capacious living room with high ceilings and large

windows, providing a sense of openness and comfort.

2. PRANCE (VERB): বজন-কুর

Pronunciation: praans

Meaning: to move with high spirits or lively steps, especially in a playful or proud

manner.

Synonyms: Dance, Skip, Strut, Caper, Frolic **Antonyms:** Stumble, Trudge, Plod, Lumber

Sentence: The little girl couldn't contain her excitement and began to prance around

the room, twirling and leaping with joy.

3. VEILED (ADJECTIVE): घूंघट में

Pronunciation: vayld

Meaning: concealed or hidden.

Synonyms: Covered, Masked, Obscured **Antonyms:** Revealed, Exposed, Clear

Sentence: The veiled figure stood silently in the corner, her face hidden beneath a

black veil.

4. VANDALISED (VERB): तोड़-फोड़

Pronunciation: van·dal·ized

Meaning: to intentionally damage, destroy, or deface property or public belongings.

Synonyms: Defaced, Desecrated

Antonyms: Restored, Repaired, Preserved

Sentence: The abandoned building had been vandalized with graffiti and broken

windows, leaving a sad and neglected impression on the neighborhood.

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5. PRUDENCE (NOUN): सावधानी

Pronunciation: proo·dns

Meaning: behavior that is careful and avoids risks.

Synonyms: caution, circumspection, care

Antonyms: recklessness, brashness, carelessness

Sentence: The captain said we ought to shorten sail anyway, out of common prudence.

6. IRIDESCENT (ADJECTIVE): रंग-बिरंग

Pronunciation: i·ruh·deh·snt

Meaning: showing luminous colors that seem to change when seen from different angles.

Synonyms: shimmery, glittering, colorful

Antonyms: dull, dreary

Sentence: Her latest fashion collection features shimmering iridescent materials.

7. PESTILENT (ADJECTIVE): बिनाशक

Pronunciation: peh·stuh·luhnt

Meaning: likely to cause or capable of causing death.

Synonyms: lethal, deadly, harmful

Antonyms: salubrious, beneficial, salutary **Sentence:** Smallpox is a pestilent disease.

8. CORPUS (NOUN): संग्रह

Pronunciation: kaw·puhs

Meaning: a collection of written texts, especially the entire works of a particular author

or a body of writing on a particular subject.

Synonyms: collection, compilation, body

Antonyms: part

Sentence: I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings is probably the most well-known work

among the corpus of poems.

9. HUSK (NOUN): भूसी निकालना

Pronunciation: huhsk

Meaning: the dry outer covering of some fruits or seeds.

Synonyms: Shell, Covering **Antonyms:** Inside, Interior

Sentence: Money may be the husk of many things, but not the kernel.

10. SNUBBED (VERB): नीचा बनाना

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Pronunciation: snuhbd

Meaning: to reject or dismiss someone in a rude or disdainful manner.

Synonyms: spurn, disregard

Antonyms: Acknowledge, greet, welcome

Sentence: He snubbed the invitation to the party, preferring to stay home instead.



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