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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. PERDITION (noun) : विनाश

Pronunciation: puh·di·shn

Meaning: (in Christian theology) a state of eternal punishment and damnation into which a sinful and unpenitent person passes after death.

Synonyms: damnation, destruction, downfall

Antonyms: bliss, paradise

Sentence: Simple stupidity is not enough to doom one to perdition.

2. FOOLHARDY (adj.) : असावधान

Pronunciation: fool·haad·ee

Meaning: recklessly bold or rash.

Synonyms: reckless, careless, incautious

Antonyms: careful, cautious, heedful

Sentence: It would be foolhardy to go into the scheme without support.

3. CLUTTER (noun) : ढेरी

Pronunciation: kluh·tuh

Meaning: an unorganized collection or mixture of various things

Synonyms: agglomerate, agglomeration, mixed bag

Antonyms: order, organization, singularity

Sentence: Sorry about the clutter in the kitchen

4. EXCULPATE (verb) : निर्दोष सिद्ध करना

Pronunciation: ek·skuhl·payt

Meaning: show or declare that (someone) is not guilty of wrongdoing.

Synonyms: absolve, acquit, clear

Antonyms: accuse, arraign

Sentence: He exculpates himself from stealing the money.

5. CONVENE (verb) : आमन्त्रित करना

Pronunciation: kuhn·veen

Meaning: come or bring together for a meeting or activity; assemble.

Synonyms: assemble, call, convoke

Antonyms: disperse, divide, scatter, separate

Sentence: He had convened a secret meeting of military personnel.

6. SUPINE (adj.) : कमज़ोर

Pronunciation: soo·pine

Meaning: lacking the ability or will to act on one's own

Synonyms: weak, feeble, yielding

Antonyms: powerful, puissant, strong

Sentence: They blamed the disaster on supine politicians who allowed large corporations to flout regulations.

7. DEMARCATÉ (verb) : निर्धारित करना

Pronunciation: dee·maa·kayt

Meaning: to mark the limits of

Synonyms: bound, circumscribe, delimit

Antonyms: attach, combine, connect

Sentence: A bright yellow line demarcated the county on the road map.

8. MOIETY (noun) : आधा भाग

Pronunciation: moy·uh·tee

Meaning: each of two parts into which a thing is or can be divided.

Synonyms: half, moiety, part

Antonyms: entirety, whole, full

Sentence: The tax was to be delivered in two moieties.

9. MEEKLY (adv.) : नमी से

Pronunciation: meek·lee

Meaning: in a quiet, gentle, and submissive manner.

Synonyms: abjectly, deferentially, modestly

Antonyms: arrogantly, audaciously, boldly

Sentence: Most have meekly accepted such advice.

10. RUMMAGE (verb) : चप्पा चप्पा छान मारना

Pronunciation: ruh·muhj

Meaning: search unsystematically and untidily through a mass or receptacle.

Synonyms: search, explore

Antonyms: hide, abandon

Sentence: Have a rummage around in the drawer and see if you can find a pen.



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