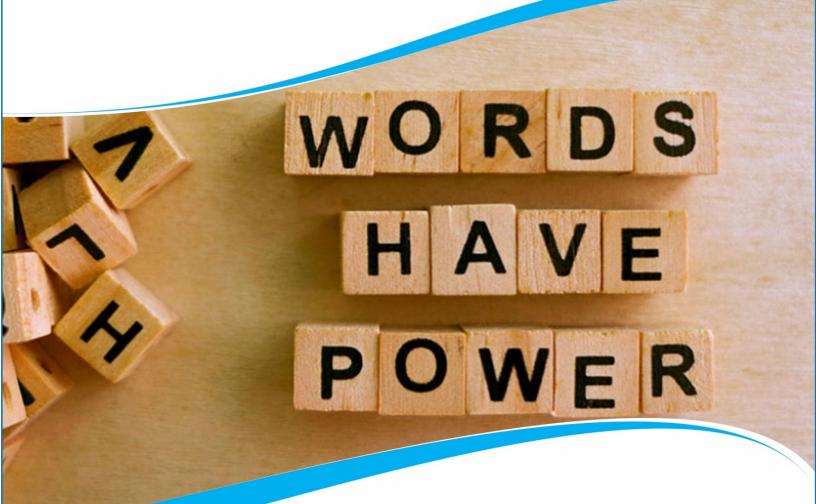




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

### 1. HOVER (verb) : मंडराना

Pronunciation: hover

**Meaning:** remain in one place in the air.

**Synonyms:** float, be suspended **Antonyms:** lie, rest, settle

**Sentence:** Army helicopters <u>hovered</u> overhead.

## 2. MENDACITY (noun) : झूठ

Pronunciation: men·da·suh·tee

Meaning: a statement known by its maker to be untrue and made in order to deceive

Synonyms: lie, prevarication, falsity

**Antonyms:** truth, fact, honesty

**Sentence:** Politicians are often accused of <u>mendacity</u>.

## 3. PROVIDENCE (noun): मितव्ययिती

Pronunciation: praw·vuh·dns

Meaning: the protective care of God or of nature as a spiritual power.

Synonyms: fate, destiny, fortune

Antonyms: improvidence, myopia, negligence

**Sentence:** Providence is always on the side of the strongest battalions.

#### 4. TRUMPET (verb) : घोषणा करना

Pronunciation: truhm·pet

**Meaning:** to make known openly or publicly **Synonyms:** announce, publish, proclaim **Antonyms:** withhold, conceal, suppress

Sentence: The company trumpeted the launch of the new phone with none of the bugs the

old one was known for.

# 5. PERSPICACIOUS (adj.) : कुशाग्र बुद्धि

Pronunciation: puh·spuh·kay·shuhs

Meaning: having a ready insight into and understanding of things.

Synonyms: discerning, shrewd, perceptive

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**Antonyms:** foolish, idiotic, moronic

**Sentence:** He was <u>perspicacious</u> enough to realize that things were soon going to change.

#### 6. FOYER (noun) : प्रवेशदवार

Pronunciation: foy ay

**Meaning:** an entrance hall or other open area in a building used by the public, especially a

hotel or theater.

Synonyms: entrance hall, hallway, lobby

**Antonym:** disassembly

**Sentence:** I'll meet you in the <u>foyer</u>.

# 7. RENASCENCE (noun) : नवयुग

Pronunciation: ri-nas-uh ns

**Meaning:** the revival of something that has been dormant.

**Synonyms:** revival, rebirth, resurgence **Antonyms:** death, extinction, expiration

**Sentence:** While both revival and renascence are based on the new choice made by

ourselves.

#### 8. LENITY (noun) : सज्जनता

**Pronunciation:** *lenity* 

Meaning: kind, gentle, or compassionate treatment especially towards someone

Synonyms: mercy, clemency, empathy

Antonyms: vengeance, revenge, ruthlessness

Sentence: Michael was admired for his lenity and tolerance.

# 9. HAPHAZARD (adj.) : बेढ़ंगा

Pronunciation: hap·ha·zuhd

**Meaning:** lacking any obvious principle of organization.

Synonyms: random, unplanned, unsystematic

**Antonyms:** systematic, orderly, regular

**Sentence:** The government's approach to the problem was <u>haphazard</u>.

## 10. VENEER (noun) : दिखावा

Pronunciation: vuh·neer

Meaning: a deceptively attractive external appearance

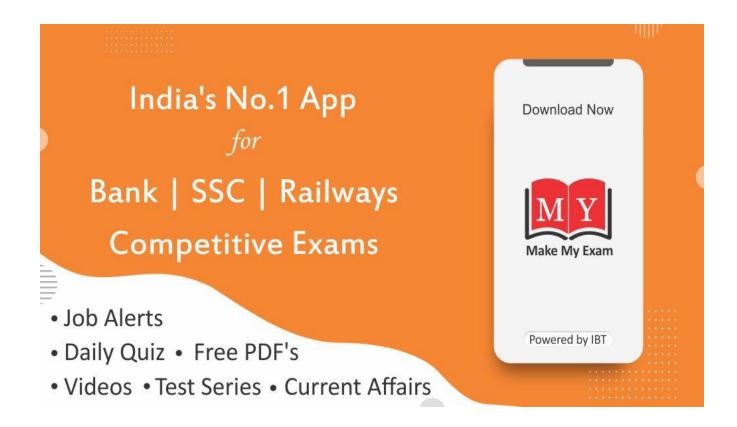
Synonyms: facade, gloss

Antonyms: interior, inside, ruffle

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**Sentence:** The <u>veneer</u> of civility that the neighbors had maintained over the years disappeared with the filing of the first lawsuit.



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