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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. ANACHRONISM (NOUN): तिथि व समय की अशुद्धता

Pronunciation: uh·na·kruh·ni·zm

Meaning: a person, custom, or object that belongs to a different era.

Synonyms: old-fashioned, outdated

Antonyms: modern, current

Sentence: In the historical movie, there was an anachronism when a character used a smartphone in a scene set in the 18th century.

2. MISCONSTRUE (Verb): गलत समझ लेना

Pronunciation: mis·kuhn·stroo

Meaning: to interpret or understand something incorrectly.

Synonyms: misread, misconceive

Antonyms: grasp, comprehend

Sentence: The reporter misconstrued the politician's statement, leading to a false headline in the newspaper.

3. DEROGATORY (Adjective): अनादरपूर्ण

Pronunciation: duh·raw·guh·tuh·ree

Meaning: shows a critical, disrespectful, or belittling attitude towards someone or something.

Synonyms: disparaging, offensive

Antonyms: complimentary, respectful

Sentence: She was hurt by the derogatory comments made about her appearance.

4. DEROSTERED (Verb): हटा दिया गया

Pronunciation: raw·stuhd

Meaning: the action of removing someone from a roster or list, usually in a formal or official capacity.

Synonyms: Removed, excluded

Antonyms: Included, listed

Sentence: The unreliable player was derostered from the team before the championship.

5. SWARMED (VERB): झुण्ड

Pronunciation: svawmd

Meaning: to gather or move in a large number or group, often in a rapid and overwhelming manner.

Synonyms: Teemed, Crowded, Inundated

Antonyms: Dispersed, Scattered, Isolated

Sentence: Tourists swarmed the beach during the holiday weekend

6. ABETMENT (NOUN): सहयोग

Pronunciation: abet-ment

Meaning: act of encouraging, aiding, or assisting someone in committing a crime or wrongdoing.

Synonyms: Assistance, Support, Encouragement

Antonyms: Hindrance, Deterrence, Opposition

Sentence: Abetment of corruption is a serious offense under the law

7. INTRIGUED (ADJECTIVE): उत्सुक, आकर्षित

Pronunciation: uhn·treegd

Meaning: to make somebody very interested and wanting to know more.

Synonyms: Fascinated, Captivated, Engrossed

Antonyms: Indifferent, Uninterested, Bored

Sentence: The audience was intrigued by the magician's clever tricks

8. SHACKLES (NOUN): हथकड़ी

Pronunciation: sha·klz

Meaning: metal restraints or chains used to confine or restrain a person's wrists or ankles.

Synonyms: Handcuffs, Manacles, Fetters

Antonyms: Freedom, Liberation

Sentence: The prisoner's wrists were bound tightly with cold, steel shackles, preventing any chance of escape from the maximum-security prison.

9. KERFUFFLE (ADJECTIVE): शोरशराबा, हंगामा

Pronunciation: kuh-fuf-ful

Meaning: a commotion or fuss, especially one caused by conflicting views (noise, excitement, and argument).

Synonyms: commotion, stir, fuss, disturbance, turmoil

Antonyms: hush, peace, quiet, calm, tranquility, stillness

Sentence: There was a kerfuffle at the party when two guests got into a heated argument.

10. MENACE (VERB): खतरा

Pronunciation: meh·nuhs

Meaning: danger, or someone or something that is likely to cause harm.

Synonyms: threat, danger, peril, risk, hazard

Antonyms: guard, protect, save

Sentence: Reckless driving on the road is a menace to other drivers and pedestrians.

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