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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. ENVISION (VERB): कल्पना करना

Pronunciation: uhn·vi·zhn

Meaning: imagine as a future possibility.

Synonyms: visualize, imagine, envisage

Antonyms: disregard, ignore, look away

Sentence: Envision a future where you can live and work anywhere in the world.

2. PAUCITY (NOUN): अभाव

Pronunciation: paw·suh·tee

Meaning: scarcity or a lack of something.

Synonyms: shortage, dearth, insufficiency, inadequacy

Antonyms: abundance, surplus, plenty

Sentence: The paucity of resources made it difficult to complete the project on time.

3. BUOYANCY (NOUN): उत्तेजना / उछाल

Pronunciation: boy·uhns·ee

Meaning: the ability of a fluid or gas to exert an upward force; a cheerful and optimistic attitude; a high level of activity in an economy.

Synonyms: Floatability, cheerfulness, optimism, liveliness

Antonyms: Heaviness, despondency, depression, gloominess, lethargy

Sentence: The economy showed signs of buoyancy as consumer spending increased.

4. RESILIENCE (NOUN): लचीलापन

Pronunciation: reh·zuh·lee·uhns

Meaning: the ability to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness, adaptability.

Synonyms: Flexibility, adaptability, toughness, strength, durability

Antonyms: Fragility, weakness, inflexibility, vulnerability, sensitivity

Sentence: The team showed great resilience in overcoming a series of challenges to win the championship.

5. ACCLIMATIZE (VERB): जलवायु के अनुकूल बनाना

Pronunciation: ac·cli·ma·tize

Meaning: to adjust or adapt to a new environment or conditions.

Synonyms: acclimate, accommodate, adapt, adjustment

Antonyms: misadjust

Sentence: Runners had to acclimatize to the humid tropical conditions.

6. VEXED (ADJECTIVE): परेशान

Pronunciation: vekst

Meaning: causing difficulty, worry, and a lot of discussion

Synonyms: annoyed, irritated, exasperated, bothered, upset, angry, displeased, aggravated

Antonyms: pleased, satisfied, happy, delighted, content

Sentence: The inability to find a cure for the fatal disease has vexed the team of doctors for many years.

7. ANOMALOUS (ADJECTIVE): नियम वरूद्ध

Pronunciation: uh·naw·muh·luhs

Meaning: deviating from what is standard, normal, or expected.

Synonyms: abnormal, atypical, nontypical

Antonyms: natural, normal, regular

Sentence: An anomalous storm was hanging over the city that no one could explain, as it had seemingly appeared out of nowhere on a sunny day.

8. PERSPICACIOUS (ADJECTIVE): कुशाग्रबुद्ध

Pronunciation: puh·spuh·kay·shuhs

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

Synonyms: Insightful, Discerning, Perceptive, Sharp

Antonyms: Dull, Stupid, Ignorant, Naïve

Sentence: He was perspicacious enough to realize that things were soon going to change.

9. ASTOUNDING (ADJECTIVE): च कत करने वाला

Pronunciation: uh·stawnd·uhng

Meaning: extremely surprising or shocking.

Synonyms: incredible, Stunning

Antonyms: mundane, Expected

Sentence: The transformation of the old, dilapidated building into a luxurious hotel was nothing short of astounding.

10. SIPHONED (VERB): निकाल लया

Pronunciation: sai·fnd

Meaning: the unauthorized or secret transfer of funds or resources.

Synonyms: funneled, Extracted

Antonyms: replenished, Poured

Sentence: The hackers managed to siphon confidential data from the company's database, leading to a major security breach.

