

# **DAILY** **VOCAB DOSE**

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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. INCARCERATION (noun) : कैद कर देना

**Pronunciation:** uhñ•kaar•sr•ay•shñ

**Meaning:** the state of being confined in prison; imprisonment.

**Synonyms:** imprisonment, internment, confinement

**Antonyms:** freedom, independence, liberty

**Sentence:** A Manhattan court sentenced him to two to four years of incarceration.

### 2. INSOLENCIE (noun) : बदतमीजी

**Pronunciation:** in•suh•luhñs

**Meaning:** rude and disrespectful behavior.

**Synonyms:** impertinence, impudence, cheek

**Antonyms:** civility, graciousness, politeness

**Sentence:** She was sacked for insolence.

### 3. RELY (verb) : भरोसा करना

**Pronunciation:** ruh•lai

**Meaning:** depend on with full trust or confidence.

**Synonyms:** trust, be confident of, reckon

**Antonyms:** distrust, mistrust, suspect

**Sentence:** I know I can rely on your discretion.

### 4. CHASM (noun) : खाई

**Pronunciation:** ka•zm

**Meaning:** a deep fissure in the earth, rock, or another surface.

**Synonyms:** gorge, abyss, canyon

**Antonyms:** closing, closure, remembrance

**Sentence:** He stood at the edge of the chasm and stared into the void.

### 5. SHUN (verb) : त्यागना

**Pronunciation:** shuhn

**Meaning:** persistently avoid, ignore, or reject (someone or something) through antipathy or caution.

**Synonyms:** avoid, evade, eschew

**Antonyms:** accept, embrace, pursue

**Sentence:** He shunned fashionable society.

### 6. DEBAR (verb) : निषेध करना

**Pronunciation:** duh•baar

**Meaning:** exclude or prohibit (someone) officially from doing something.

**Synonyms:** exclude, ban, prevent

**Antonyms:** admit, include

**Sentence:** They have debarred entry to the port.

### 7. GELID (adj.) : ठंडा

**Pronunciation:** gel•id

**Meaning:** icy; extremely cold.

**Synonyms:** frozen, freezing, icy

**Antonyms:** ardent, blazing, boiling

**Sentence:** The Titanic passengers could not long survive the gelid waters of the North Atlantic.

### 8. FORBORNE (verb) : रोकना

**Pronunciation:** faw•bawn

**Meaning:** politely or patiently restrain an impulse to do something; refrain.

**Synonyms:** refrain, abstain, desist

**Antonyms:** bow (to), give in (to), submit (to)

**Sentence:** He modestly forbears to include his own work.

### 9. QUEER (adj.) : विचित्र

**Pronunciation:** kweer

**Meaning:** strange; odd.

**Synonyms:** odd, strange, unusual

**Antonyms:** common, ordinary, familiar

**Sentence:** She had a queer feeling that they were being watched.

### 10. DODDER (verb) : डगमगाना

**Pronunciation:** daa•dr

**Meaning:** move in a feeble or unsteady way, especially because of old age.

**Synonyms:** totter, teeter, toddle

**Antonym:** sprightly

**Sentence:** An elderly couple gave us a concerned glance as they doddered past.



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