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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. LAUDATORY (adjective) – स्तुतिवाद, प्रशंसायुक्त

Pronunciation: law·duh·tree

Meaning: expressing praise and commendation

Synonyms: congratulatory, complimentary, acclamatory, adulatory, approbatory, approving, commendatory

Antonyms: critical, disparaging, blaming

Usage: The president issued a laudatory tweet celebrating the national's team Olympic victory.

2. CONVENE (verb) – एकत्र होना

Pronunciation: kuhn·veen

Meaning: come or bring together for a meeting or activity

Synonyms: summon, assemble, order, hold, convoke, gather, meet

Antonyms: disperse, scatter, separate

Usage: Tomorrow morning, the teachers will convene in the cafeteria to discuss the dress code

3. TREASON (noun) - राज-द्रोह

Pronunciation: tree·zn

Meaning: the offense of betraying a nation

Synonyms: disloyalty, crime, mutiny, sedition, subversion, treachery, deceit

Antonyms: allegiance, loyalty, faithfulness

Usage: When the soldier sold military secrets to a foreign government, he was arrested for the crime of treason.

4. IMPUDENT (adjective) – धृष्ट, गुस्ताख

Pronunciation: im·pyuh·dnt

Meaning: not showing due respect for another person

Synonyms: impertinent, insolent, cheeky, audacious, brazen, shameless, immodest

Antonyms: polite, respectful, modest

Usage: Even though Mary needed a new vacuum cleaner, the impudent attitude of the sales clerk made her decide to leave the store.

5. INCEPTION (noun) – आरंभ**Pronunciation:** uhn·sep·shn**Meaning:** the establishment or starting point of an institution or activity**Synonyms:** initiation, establishment, institution, foundation, founding, formation, origination**Antonyms:** conclusion, end, completion**Usage:** Unfortunately, the inception of the Internet has made it easier for bullies to torment their victims.**6. DEBONAIR (adjective) – सुशील****Pronunciation:** deh·buh·neuh**Meaning:** confident, stylish, and charming**Synonyms:** suave, urbane, sophisticated, cultured, confident, charming, gracious**Antonyms:** unsophisticated, ignorant, clumsy**Usage:** Onscreen and in person, the Hollywood actor always manages to look so debonair.**7. JUVENILE (adjective) – किशोर****Pronunciation:** joo·vuh·nail**Meaning:** for or relating to young people**Synonyms:** young, teenage, adolescent, teenaged, junior, underage**Antonym:** adult**Usage:** He was shipped off to a juvenile detention center.**8. ELUCIDATE (verb) – स्पष्ट करना, समझाना****Pronunciation:** il-yusi-deit**Meaning:** make something clear**Synonyms:** explain, illuminate, clarify, enlighten, unfold**Antonyms:** confuse, obscure, complicate**Usage:** Please elucidate the reasons for your action.**9. CONJECTURE (noun) – अनुमान****Pronunciation:** kuhn·jek·chuh**Meaning:** an opinion or conclusion formed on the basis of incomplete information**Synonyms:** guess, speculation, surmise, fancy, hypothesis**Antonyms:** proof, reality, truth**Usage:** That was a conjecture, not a fact.**10. ORATE (verb) – भाषण देना**

Pronunciation: aw·reit

Meaning: make a speech, especially pompously or at length

Synonyms: declaim, speak, discourse, pontificate, preach, sermonize, spiel

Antonym: whisper

Usage: It certainly is a fine thing to be able to orate.

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