

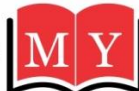
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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

1.DECADENCE (noun) : पतन

Pronunciation: deh•kuh•dns

Meaning: moral or cultural decline as characterized by excessive indulgence in pleasure or luxury.

Synonyms: dissipation, dissoluteness, degeneracy

Antonyms: ascent, rise, morality

Sentence: The decadence of morals is bad for a nation.

2.UNSCATHED (adj.) : पूरा हुआ

Pronunciation: uhn•skaydhd

Meaning: without suffering any injury, damage, or harm.

Synonyms: unharmed, unhurt, uninjured

Antonyms: damaged, harmed, hurt

Sentence: He escaped unscathed from the accident.

3.ASSORTMENT (noun) : वर्गीकरण

Pronunciation: uh•sawt•muhnt

Meaning: a miscellaneous collection of things or people.

Synonyms: mixture, variety, array

Antonyms: likeness, sameness, similarity

Sentence: The room was filled with an assortment of clothes.

4.UNEQUALED (adj.) : अप्रतिम

Pronunciation: uhn•ee•kvld

Meaning: superior to all others in performance or extent.

Synonyms: unbeaten, unmatched, matchless

Antonyms: inferior, lesser, common

Sentence: His power as a popular street-corner orator was probably unequaled in that generation

5.RELINQUISHED (verb) : त्याग कर दिया

Pronunciation: ruh•ling•kvuhsht

Meaning: voluntarily cease to keep or claim; give up.

Synonyms: renounce, give up, part with

Antonyms: kept, retained, withheld

Sentence: He relinquished his managerial role to become chief executive.

6.CONFLATE (verb) : मिलाना

Pronunciation: kuhn•flayt

Meaning: combine (two or more texts, ideas, etc.) into one.

Synonyms: add, admix, combine

Antonyms: break down, separate, unmix

Sentence: The results of the two experiments were conflated.

7.INIQUITOUS (adj.) : अन्यायी

Pronunciation: uh•ni•kvuh•tuhs

Meaning: grossly unfair and morally wrong.

Synonyms: wicked, sinful, evil

Antonyms: decent, ethical, good

Sentence: Have you seen this bill? It's iniquitous!

8.SCURRILOUS (adj.) : मिथ्या

Pronunciation: skuh•ruh•luhs

Meaning: making or spreading scandalous claims about someone with the intention of damaging their reputation.

Synonyms: abusive, vituperative, derogatory

Antonyms: respectful, polite, gracious

Sentence: He wrote a scurrilous piece about me in the local press.

9.PUTREFY (verb) : सड़ना

Pronunciation: pyoo•truh•fai

Meaning: (of a body or other organic matter) decay or rot and produce a fetid smell.

Synonyms: decay, rot, decompose

Antonyms: develop, grow, mature

Sentence: The body was beginning to putrefy.

10.UNFLINCHING (adj.) : बेहिचक

Pronunciation: uhn•flinch•uhng

Meaning: not showing fear or hesitation in the face of danger or difficulty.

Synonyms: resolute, determined, single-minded

Antonyms: slackening, impotent, invertebrate

Sentence: He has shown unflinching determination throughout the campaign.

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