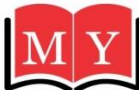


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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper ‘The Hindu’ are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

**Happy learning!!!**

### **1. STUPENDOUS (adjective) – विस्मयकारी**

**Pronunciation:** styoo·pen·duhs

**Meaning:** extremely impressive

**Synonyms:** amazing, fantastic, breathtaking, astonishing, astounding, fabulous

**Antonyms:** unimportant, terrible, unimpressive

**Usage:** The fireworks were stupendous.

### **2. PROBABLE (adjective) – संभावित**

**Pronunciation:** pro·buh·bl

**Meaning:** likely but not certain

**Synonyms:** apparent, likely credible, feasible, plausible, possible, presumed, reasonable

**Antonyms:** improbable, unlikely, impossible

**Usage:** The probable cause of the fire was faulty wiring.

### **3. RELEVANCY (noun) – प्रासंगिकता**

**Pronunciation:** reh·luh·vuhn·see

**Meaning:** the connectedness or appropriateness of a situation

**Synonyms:** accordance, applicability, significance, application, appositeness, aptness

**Antonyms:** insignificance

**Usage:** The attorney questioned the relevancy of the opposing council’s queries.

### **4. VISIONARY (noun) – दूरदर्शी**

**Pronunciation:** vi·zhuh·nuh·ree

**Meaning:** a person with original ideas about the future

**Synonyms:** dreamer, idealist, prophet, seer, theorist, zealot

**Antonyms:** realist, practical

**Usage:** Jim was a visionary leader who had the foresight to lead our company in a profitable direction for many years.

### 5. LURE (verb) – प्रलोभित करना

**Pronunciation:** luor

**Meaning:** to tempt a person or an animal to do something

**Synonyms:** tempt, entice, attract, induce, persuade, inveigle

**Antonyms:** deter, repel, offend

**Usage:** The kidnapper was able to lure the small child into his van by offering her candy.



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### 6. IMPECCABLE (adjective) – त्रुटिहीन

**Pronunciation:** uhm·peh·kuh·bl

**Meaning:** perfect in every way

**Synonyms:** flawless, faultless, unblemished, spotless, stainless, untarnished, perfect

**Antonyms:** imperfect, flawed, defective

**Usage:** Without a scratch, this car is in impeccable condition.

### 7. VERSATILE (adjective) – बहुमुखी

**Pronunciation:** vuh·suh·tail

**Meaning:** able to adapt to many different functions or activities

**Synonyms:** adaptable, flexible, multifaceted, multitalented, multiskilled, resourceful, adjustable

**Antonyms:** inflexible, limited, incapable

**Usage:** He is a very versatile young actor.

### 8. QUAIN (adjective) – पुराने ढंग का

**Pronunciation:** kweint

**Meaning:** appearing old-fashioned in an appealing way

**Synonyms:** antiquated, archaic, charming, curious, cute, fanciful, picturesque

**Antonyms:** modern, new, current

**Usage:** As I walked through the quaint shop, I felt as though I was transported back in time.

### 9. GLANCE (verb) – झलक

**Pronunciation:** glaans

**Meaning:** a quick look

**Synonyms:** glimpse, peek, peep, gander, squiz, look

**Antonyms:** stare, ignore

**Usage:** He gave another impatient glance at his watch.

### 10. PERILOUS (adjective) – खतरनाक

**Pronunciation:** peh·ruh·luhs

**Meaning:** full of danger or risk

**Synonyms:** dangerous, hazardous, risky, unsafe, treacherous, precarious, vulnerable

**Antonyms:** safe, secure

**Usage:** Putting out wildfires is a very perilous job.

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