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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.BESET (verb) : घेर लेना

Pronunciation: buh-set

Meaning: be covered or studded with Synonyms: attack, harass, bother Antonyms: defend, cover, protect

Sentence: Our troops were <u>beset</u> by enemy fire.

2.BOTCHED (adj.): असफल

Pronunciation: bawcht

Meaning: carried out badly or carelessly. **Synonyms:** awkward, inexpert, clumsy **Antonyms:** adroit, deft, dexterous

Sentence: a botched attempt to steal a car

3.EVINCE (verb): जताना

Pronunciation: uh vins

Meaning: reveal the presence of (a quality or feeling).

Synonyms: reveal, show, make clear **Antonyms:** conceal, cover, hide

Sentence: His letters evince the excitement he felt at undertaking this journey.

4.ENTRANT (noun): शामिल होनेवाला

Pronunciation: en truhnt

Meaning: a person or group that enters, joins, or takes part in something.

Synonyms: beginner, newcomer, fresher

Antonyms: dropout, noncandidate

Sentence: The prize will be awarded to the <u>entrant</u> who wins the tiebreak.

5.DISPOSITION (noun): स्वभाव

Pronunciation: di-spuh-zi-shn

Meaning: a person's inherent qualities of mind and character.

Synonyms: nature, character, mentality **Antonyms:** disinclination, dislike, hate

Sentence: Your sunny disposition has a way of rubbing off on those around you.

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6.UNFATHOMABLE (adj.): अपरिमेय

Pronunciation: uhn·fa·dhuhm·uh·bl

Meaning: incapable of being fully explored or understood.

Synonyms: inscrutable, incomprehensible, enigmatic **Antonyms:** fathomable, intelligible, understandable

Sentence: His glance at her was <u>unfathomable</u>.

7.ZEAL (noun) : उत्साह

Pronunciation: zeel

Meaning: great energy or enthusiasm in pursuit of a cause or an objective.

Synonyms: passion, zealousness, ardor **Antonyms:** laziness, lethargy, listlessness

Sentence: Zeal without knowledge is fire without light.

8.CAVILING (verb) : गुस्ताखी करना

Pronunciation: ka·vuhl·uhng

Meaning: make petty or unnecessary objections.

Synonyms: complaint, carp, grumble **Antonyms:** applauding, commending **Sentence:** Let us not <u>cavil</u> too much.

9.BLUSTER (noun): धमकी

Pronunciation: bluh-stuh

Meaning: talk in a loud, aggressive, or indignant way with little effect.

Synonyms: rant, thunder, boast **Antonyms:** quiet, silence, calm

Sentence: I knew that it was all <u>bluster</u> and he wasn't really angry with me.

10.DESIST (verb): बंद कर देना

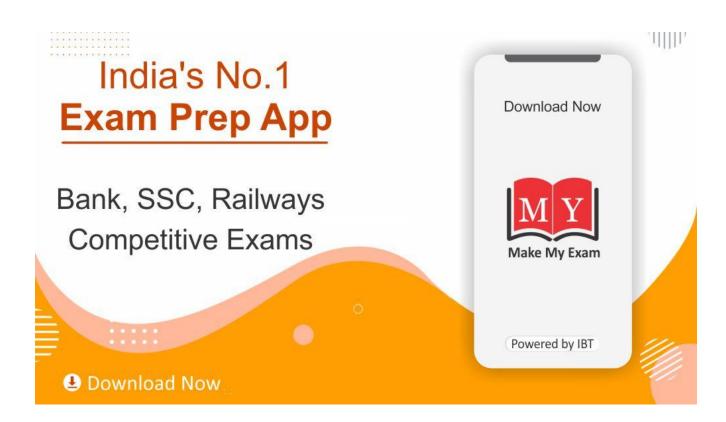
Pronunciation: duh zist Meaning: cease; abstain.

Synonyms: abstain, refrain, forbear **Antonyms:** actualize, appear, start

Sentence: The shopping center agreed to <u>desist</u> from false advertising.

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