

# **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. FOISTING (verb) : थोपना**

**Pronunciation:** foy•stuhng

**Meaning:** impose an unwelcome or unnecessary person or thing on.

**Synonyms:** impose, force, thrust

**Antonyms:** uncover, lose, unplug.

**Sentence:** The government has decided to foist yet another tax increase on the public.

### **2. DEXTERITY (noun) : निपुणता**

**Pronunciation:** dek•steh•ruh•tee

**Meaning:** skill in performing tasks, especially with the hands.

**Synonyms:** deftness, adeptness, adroitness

**Antonyms:** stupidity, clumsiness, inability

**Sentence:** Dexterity comes from experience.

### **3. PERTINENT (adj.) : उचित**

**Pronunciation:** pur•tuh•nuhnt

**Meaning:** relevant or applicable to a particular matter

**Synonyms:** relevant, apposite, appropriate

**Antonyms:** extraneous, immaterial, impertinent

**Sentence:** She asked me a lot of very pertinent questions.

### **4. BURGLARY (noun) : सेंध**

**Pronunciation:** bur•glr•ee

**Meaning:** entry into a building illegally with intent to commit a crime, especially theft.

**Synonyms:** housebreaking, forced entry, robbery

**Antonyms:** return, release, reinstatement

**Sentence:** Crime is on the increase, especially mugging and burglary.

### **5. DISBURSE (verb) : चुकाना**

**Pronunciation:** dis•burs

**Meaning:** payout (money from a fund).

**Synonyms:** payout, spend, expend

**Antonyms:** acquire, earn, gain

**Sentence:** The funds were to be disbursed in two installments.

## **6. AGGRIEVED (adj.) : पीड़ित**

**Pronunciation:** uh•greevd

**Meaning:** feeling resentment at having been unfairly treated.

**Synonyms:** resentful, affronted, indignant

**Antonyms:** gratified, pleased, satisfied

**Sentence:** He felt aggrieved at not being chosen for the team.

## **7. AEGIS (noun) : तत्वावधान**

**Pronunciation:** ee•juhs

**Meaning:** the protection, backing, or support of a particular person or organization.

**Synonyms:** patronage, sponsorship, backing

**Antonyms:** aggression, assault, attack

**Sentence:** Medical supplies are being flown in under the aegis of the Red Cross.

## **8. EVICTION (noun) : निष्कासन**

**Pronunciation:** ee•vik•shn

**Meaning:** the action of expelling someone, especially a tenant, from a property

**Synonyms:** expulsion, ejection, ousting

**Antonyms:** admit, include, welcome

**Sentence:** The family now faces eviction from their home.

## **9. SUCCOR (verb) : परेशानी में सहायता देना**

**Pronunciation:** suc•cor

**Meaning:** give assistance or aid to.

**Synonyms:** help, aid, support

**Antonyms:** damage, harm, hurt

**Sentence:** Prisoners of war were liberated and succored.

## **10. ROBUST (adj.) : मजबूत**

**Pronunciation:** row•buhst

**Meaning:** strong and healthy; vigorous.

**Synonyms:** strong, vigorous, tough

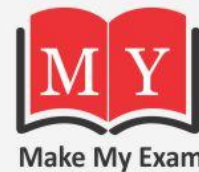
**Antonyms:** unfit, unhealthy, unwell

**Sentence:** His robust strength made him survive the disaster.

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