

VOCABULARY

1. CLOY (VERB): ऊबाना

Pronunciation: kloy

Meaning: disgust or sicken (someone) with an excess of sweetness, richness, or sentiment.

Synonyms: oversweet, sickening, nauseating

Antonyms: abstain, deplete, amuse

Sentence: Her sweet submissive smile began to *cloy* after a while.

2. CONFIDE (VERB): गुप्त बात कहना

Pronunciation: kuhn•fide

Meaning: tell someone about a secret or private matter while trusting them not to repeat it to others.

Synonyms: reveal, disclose, divulge

Antonyms: hold, retain, conceal

Sentence: Why didn't you *confide* the secret to me?

3. PITFALLS (NOUN): खतरा

Pronunciation: pit•fawlz

Meaning: a danger or difficulty that is hidden or not easily recognized.

Synonyms: risks, perils, hazards

Antonyms: safeguards, protections, upsides

Sentence: The *pitfalls* of working abroad are numerous.

4. GLINT (NOUN): चमक

Pronunciation: glint

Meaning: give out or reflect small flashes of light.

Synonyms: shine, gleam, sparkle

Antonyms: dimness, dinginess, dullness

Sentence: There was a *glint* of mischief in her eyes.

5. DISRELISH (VERB): ना पसंद करना

Pronunciation: dis•rel•ish

Meaning: regard (something) with dislike or distaste.

Synonyms: aversion, disfavor, dislike

Antonyms: appetite, affection, fondness

Sentence: I *disrelish* the thought of sitting through endless meetings on the matter.

6. DUNCE (NOUN): मूर्ख

Pronunciation: duhns

Meaning: a person who is slow at learning; a stupid person

Synonyms: fool, idiot, stupid person

Antonyms: brainy, genius, intellect

Sentence: It is very impolite to call others a *dunce*.

7. HAGGARD (ADJECTIVE): थका हुआ

Pronunciation: ha•guhhd

Meaning: looking exhausted and unwell, especially from fatigue, worry, or suffering.

Synonyms: tired, unwell, drained

Antonyms: fresh, energetic, healthy

Sentence: Sam looked tired and *haggard*.

8. SANGFROID (NOUN): धीरता

Pronunciation: sahng-frwah

Meaning: evenness of emotions or temper.

Synonyms: composure, calmness, equanimity

Antonyms: perturbation, agitation, concern

Sentence: They showed great *sang-froid* in dealing with the fire.

9. PRODIGALITY (NOUN): फिजूल खर्ची

Pronunciation: praw•duh•gal•uh•tee

Meaning: an instance of spending money or resources without care or restraint.

Synonyms: waste, wastefulness, extravagance

Antonyms: necessity, economy, frugality

Sentence: They criticized the *prodigality* of the administration.

10. DAPPER (ADJECTIVE): आकर्षक

Pronunciation: da•puh

Meaning: being strikingly neat and trim in style or appearance.

Synonyms: elegant, smart, stylish

Antonyms: disheveled, slovenly, unkempt

Sentence: He is a *dapper* little salesman in a business suit.