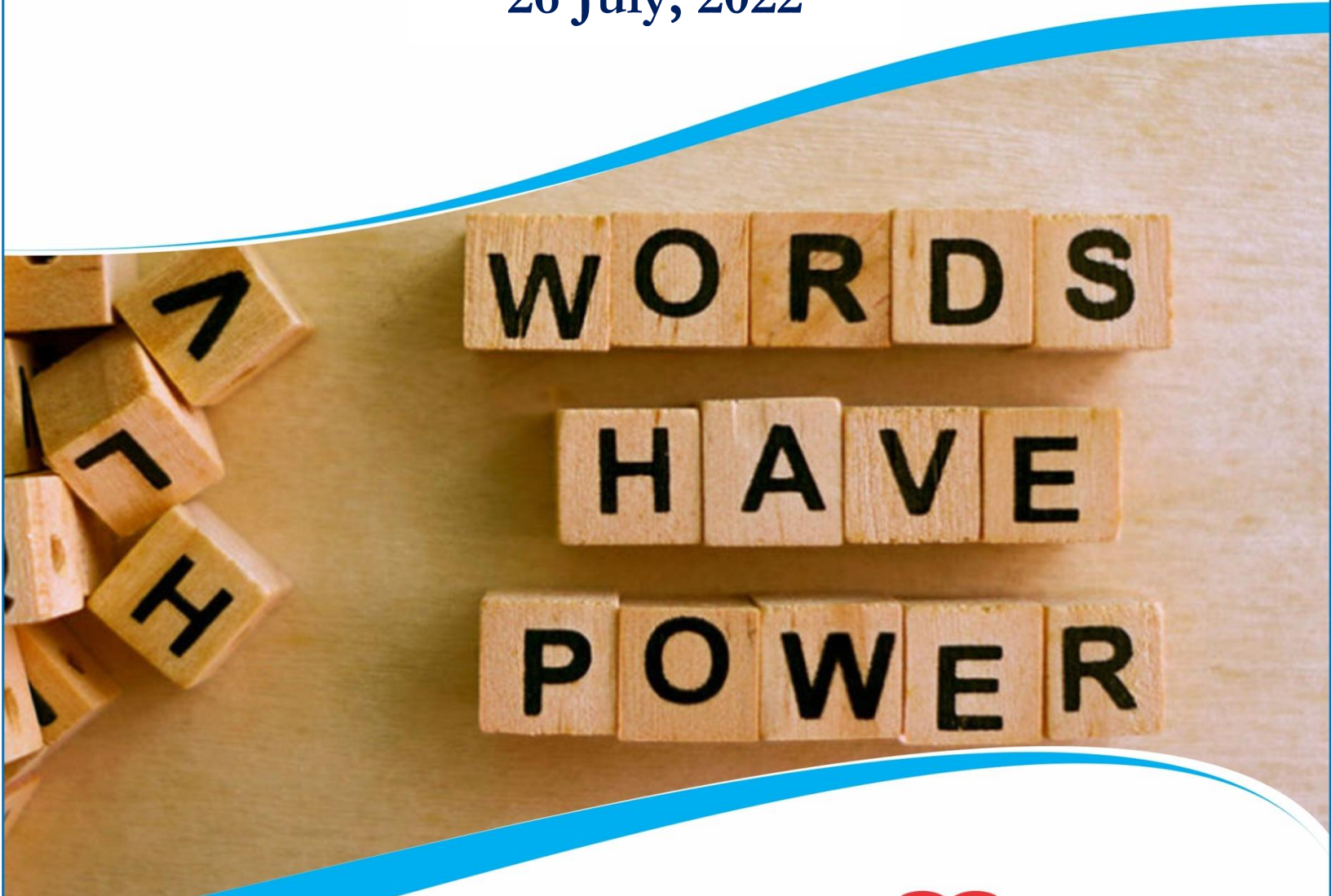
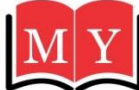


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1. CHAUVINISM (noun) : अंधराष्ट्रीयता

Pronunciation: shoh•vuhn•i•zm

Meaning: exaggerated or aggressive patriotism.

Synonyms: jingoism, excessive patriotism, excessive nationalism

Antonym: internationalism

Sentence: The war stimulated intense national chauvinism.

2. SUPERFLUOUS (adj.) : जरूरत से ज्यादा

Pronunciation: soo•puh•floo•uhs

Meaning: unnecessary, especially through being more than enough.

Synonyms: surplus, redundant, unneeded

Antonyms: deficient, inadequate, insufficient

Sentence: Repack all the superfluous cups in the box.

3. LASSITUDE (noun) : अवसाद

Pronunciation: la•suh•chood

Meaning: a state of physical or mental weariness; lack of energy.

Synonyms: lethargy, listlessness, weariness

Antonyms: refreshment, rejuvenation

Sentence: She was overcome by lassitude and retired to bed.

4. PRELUDE (noun) : प्रस्तावना

Pronunciation: preh•lyood

Meaning: an action or event serving as an introduction to something more important.

Synonyms: preliminary, overture, opening

Antonyms: aftermath, closing, conclusion

Sentence: Education cannot simply be a prelude to a career.

5. IRREFUTABLE (adj.) : अखंडनीय

Pronunciation: i•ri•fyoo•tuh•bl

Meaning: impossible to deny or disprove.

Synonyms: indisputable, undeniable, unquestionable

Antonyms: answerable, arguable, contradictable

Sentence: There was irrefutable evidence of his guilt.

6. PROMISCUITY (noun) : संकीर्णता

Pronunciation: praw•muh•skyoo•uh•tee

Meaning: the fact or state of being promiscuous.

Synonyms: license, licentiousness, promiscuousness

Antonyms: fidelity, allegiance, constancy

Sentence: Although most birds are monogamous, promiscuity is not unusual among brood parasites.

7. FORMIDABLE (adj.) : दुर्जेय

Pronunciation: fuh•mi•duh•bl

Meaning: inspiring fear or respect through being impressively large, powerful, intense, or capable.

Synonyms: intimidating, forbidding, redoubtable

Antonyms: calming, comforting, consoling

Sentence: No government can be long secure without a formidable opposition.

8. TOTTER (verb) : लड़खड़ाते हुए चलना

Pronunciation: taw•tuh

Meaning: move in a feeble or unsteady way.

Synonyms: teeter, walk unsteadily, stagger

Antonyms: be still, calm, continue.

Sentence: The drunkard tottered to the door.

9. SANCTITY (noun) : पवित्रता

Pronunciation: sangk•tuh•tee

Meaning: the state or quality of being holy, sacred, or saintly.

Synonyms: holiness, godliness, sacredness

Antonyms: sanctimony, godlessness, impiety

Sentence: The site of the tomb was a place of sanctity for the ancient Egyptians.

10. INCHOATE (adj.) : शुरु का

Pronunciation: in•cho•ate

Meaning: just begun and so not fully formed or developed.

Synonyms: unfinished, opening, inchoative

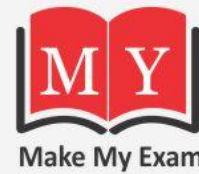
Antonyms: mature, finished, developed

Sentence: Who knows the main symptom of inchoate lung cancer?

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