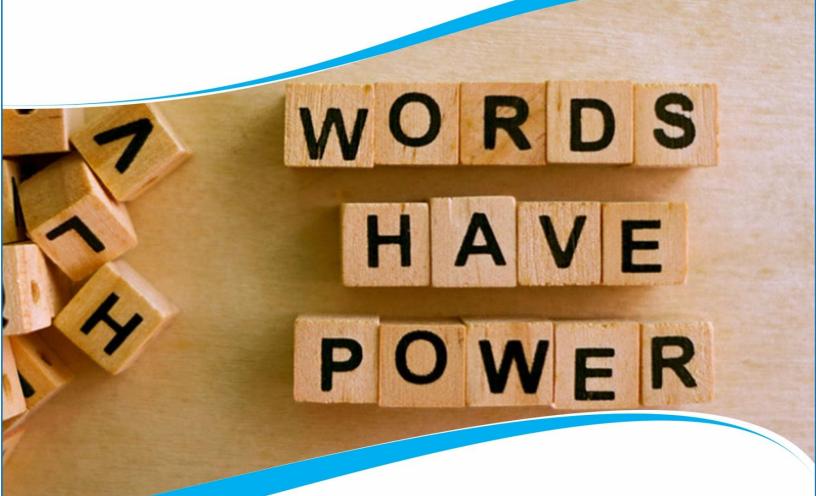




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Happy learning!!!

1.PERENNIAL (ADJECTIVE): चिरस्थायी

Pronunciation:puh·reh·nee·uhl

Meaning: lasting a very long time, or happening repeatedly or all the time.

Synonyms: enduring, perpetual, ongoing

Antonyms: obsolete, dated, passe

Sentence: Every election seems to continue to deal with the same perennial issues that

have been the focus of all the previous elections.

2. PREVARICATE (VERB): छलकपट

Pronunciation:pruh·va·ruh·kayt

Meaning: to avoid telling the truth or saying exactly what you think.

Synonyms: lie, fib, deceive **Antonyms**: testify, assert, swear

Sentence: Because my sister Sarah does not take bad news well, I always prevaricate when

telling her something she does not want to hear.

3. LAMBENT (ADJECTIVE): ব্রত্তবল

Pronunciation:lam·bent

Meaning: (of light or fire) glowing, gleaming or flickering with a soft radiance.

Synonyms: glowing, luminous, shining **Antonyms:** dim, dusky, blackened

Sentence: The <u>lambent</u> flames from our campfire cast a comforting glow.

4. SNAZZY (ADJECTIVE): अत्यधिक आकर्षित

Pronunciation:sna·zee

Meaning: modern and stylish in a way that attracts attention.

Synonyms: stylish, flashy, cool **Antonyms:** simple, modest, plain

Sentence:Innovation is about more than designing snazzy products. It's also about

improving customer experiences and services.

5. IMMURED (VERB) : प्रतिरक्षित

Pronunciation:uh·myawd

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Meaning: enclose or confine (someone) against their will.

Synonyms: caged, imprisoned, enclosed

Antonyms: free, loose, unbound

Sentence: Caught robbing a bank, Jason knew the police would immure him in a jail cell

for an extended period of time.

6.VERBATIM (ADVERB) : प्रति शब्द

Pronunciation:vuh·bav·tm

Meaning: in a way that uses exactly the same words as were originally used.

Synonyms: word for word, exactly, identically **Antonyms:** inaccurately, inexactly, carelessly

Sentence: Everything said by the victim was written <u>verbatim</u> on the police report.

7. RHETORIC (NOUN): वक्रपट्ता

Pronunciation:ruh·taw·rik

Meaning: a way of speaking or writing that is intended to impress or influence people but

is not always sincere.

Synonyms: bombastic, high-sounding, pompous

Antonyms: eloquent, unrhetorical, direct

Sentence: How far the president will be able to translate his campaign <u>rhetoric</u> into action

remains to be seen.

8. OBLIVION (NOUN): विस्मरण

Pronunciation:uh·bli·vee·uhn

Meaning: the state of being unaware or unconscious of what is happening.

Synonyms: unconsciousness, insensibility, stupor **Antonyms:** consciousness, recollection, awareness

Sentence: Alcoholics often suffer from periods of <u>oblivion</u>.

9. DEVOUT (ADJECTIVE): धार्मिक

Pronunciation:duh·vawt

Meaning: having or showing deep religious feeling or commitment.

Synonyms: religious, reverent, holy **Antonyms:** faithless, godless, impious

Sentence: Louis became an extremely devout and ascetic man.

10. MACABRE (ADJECTIVE) : भयंकर

Pronunciation:muh·kaa·bruh

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Meaning: unpleasant and frightening because it is connected with death.

Synonyms: gruesome, grisly, ghastly

Antonyms: delightful, pleasant, appealing

Sentence: Even the police were horrified at the <u>macabre</u> nature of the killings.



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