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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. FARCE (NOUN): स्वांग

Pronunciation: faas

Meaning: a poor, insincere, or insulting imitation of something

Synonyms : parody, joke, caricature

Antonyms : tribute, homage, seriousness

Sentence : The whole procedure has become a complete farce.

2. DESIRABILITY (NOUN): इच्छा

Pronunciation: duh·zai·uh·ruh·bil·uh·tee

Meaning: suitability for bringing about a desired result under the circumstances.

Synonyms : feasibility, advisability, desirableness

Antonyms : imprudence, unwisdom, inadvisability

Sentence : No one questions the desirability of cheaper fares.

3. INTERLUDE (NOUN): अन्तराल

Pronunciation: in·tuh·lood

Meaning: a period of time between two events or activities.

Synonyms : interval, interruption, hiatus

Antonyms : continuation, continuity, run

Sentence : There will now be a 15. minute interlude.

4. IMPROPRIETY (NOUN): अनौचित्य

Pronunciation: im·pruh·prai·uh·tee

Meaning: the quality or state of not being socially proper.

Synonyms: unfitness inappropriateness, disrespect

Antonyms: propriety, correctness, decorum

Sentence : The impropriety of the song that the campers sang for the visitors was embarrassing.

5. DABBLED (VERB): हाथ आजमाया

Pronunciation: da·bld

Meaning: to take part in an activity in a superficial way.

Synonyms: delighted, entertained, played

Antonyms: worked, struggled, labored

Sentence : She dabbled in drawing and painting, but sculpture was her favorite medium.

6. CONSCRIPTION (NOUN): भरती

Pronunciation: kuhn·skrip·shn

Meaning: the practice of ordering people by law to serve in the armed forces.

Synonyms: induction, recruitment, draft

Antonyms: removal, discharge, dismissal

Sentence : At the outbreak of war, young people knew they would soon face conscription into the army.

7. FAR. FLUNG (ADJECTIVE) : दूर दराज

Pronunciation: far·flen

Meaning: distant or remote.

Synonyms: extensive, broad, wide

Antonyms: narrow, limited, restricted

Sentence : The news spread to all corners of our far. flung empire.

8. PRODIGAL (ADJECTIVE): उड़ाऊ

Pronunciation: proh·di·gl

Meaning: given to spending money freely or foolishly.

Synonyms: wasteful, profligate, generous

Antonyms: frugal, thrifty, economical

Sentence : The prodigal child always spent her allowance the minute she got it

9. HITHERTO (ADVERB): अब तक

Pronunciation: hi·dhuh·too

Meaning: up to this or that time.

Synonyms: yet, heretofore, so far

Antonyms: henceforth, hereafter, thereafter

Sentence : At the talent show Kyle revealed his hitherto unknown gift for doing impressions.

10. LUCENT (ADJECTIVE): प्रकाशमान

Pronunciation: loo·snt

Meaning: glowing with or giving off light.

Synonyms : luminous, glowing, shining

Antonyms : dim, dusky, dark

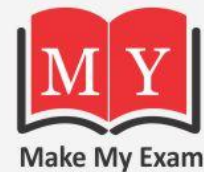
Sentence : The moon was a lucent orb in the cloudless autumn sky.

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