

# VOCABULARY

## 1.MILIEU (noun): प्रतिवेश

**Pronunciation:** muh•lyoo

**Meaning:** a person's social environment.

**Synonyms:** environment, ambient, atmosphere

**Antonyms:** advantage, boon, calm.

**Sentence:** Coming from another milieu, she found life as an actor's wife very strange at first.

## 2.OBDURACY (noun) : हठ

**Pronunciation:** awb•joo•ruh•see

**Meaning:** a steadfast adherence to an opinion, purpose, or course of action in spite of reason, arguments, or persuasion

**Synonyms:** obdurateness, obstinacy, stubbornness

**Antonyms:** broad-mindedness, open-mindedness, reasonability

**Sentence:** His error was sheer obduracy in refusing to admit a mistake.

## 3.FORSOOTH (adv.) : वास्तव में

**Pronunciation:** fuh•sooth

**Meaning:** Indeed (often used ironically or to express surprise or indignation).

**Synonyms:** actually, frankly, honestly

**Antonyms:** had, kept, possessed

**Sentence:** Forsooth, there is no one I trust more.

## 4.CONFRONTATION (noun) : आमना-सामना

**Pronunciation:** kaw•n•fruhnt•ay•shn

**Meaning:** a hostile or argumentative meeting or situation between opposing parties.

**Synonyms:** conflict, clash, brush

**Antonyms:** concord, harmony, peace

**Sentence:** The government was dragged willy-nilly into the confrontation.

## 5.DISCONSOLATE (adj.) : निराश

**Pronunciation:** duh•skawn•suh•luht

**Meaning:** without consolation or comfort; unhappy.

**Synonyms:** unhappy, doleful, woebegone

**Antonyms:** happy, cheerful, blissful

**Sentence:** The death of her father left Mary disconsolate.

### 6.REMIT (verb) : रद्द करना

**Pronunciation:** 'ri:mit

**Meaning:** cancel or refrain from exacting or inflicting (a debt or punishment).

**Synonyms:** cancel, revoke, abrogate

**Antonyms:** hold,keep,receive.

**Sentence:** The legislature has remitted the matter to the next session,

### 7.HECTORED (verb) : बदमाशी से बात करना

**Pronunciation:** fak•tuhd

**Meaning:** talk to (someone) in a bullying way.

**Synonyms:** bully, intimidate, browbeat

**Antonyms:** comforted, consoled, soothed

**Sentence:** Brooks had hectored employees who refused to work overtime.

### 8.PERFERVID (adj.) : उत्साही

**Pronunciation:** per-fur-vid

**Meaning:** intense and impassioned.

**Synonyms:** ardent, emotional, fervent

**Antonyms:** dispassionate, emotionless, impassive

**Sentence:** I feel the people of the city are perfervid.

### 9.INDUBITABLE (adj.) : ज़ाहिर

**Pronunciation:** uhn•dyoo•buh•tuh•bl

**Meaning:** impossible to doubt; unquestionable.

**Synonyms:** unquestionable, undoubtedly, indisputable

**Antonyms:** doubtful, dubious, iffy

**Sentence:** The indubitable evidence we produced bore down our opponents in the debate.

### 10.RAPPROCHEMENT (noun) : मेल-मिलाप

**Pronunciation:** ra•prawsh•mawn

**Meaning:** (especially in international relations) an establishment or resumption of harmonious relations.

**Synonyms:** reconciliation, fellowship, rapport

**Antonyms:** alienation, disaffection, disgruntlement

**Sentence:** I hope for a rapprochement between our two countries.