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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.DISPELLED(VERB) : दूर हो जाना

Pronunciation:duh·speld

Meaning: To remove fears, doubts, or false ideas, usually by proving them wrong or unnecessary

Synonyms: Eliminate , Banish, dismiss

Antonyms: Collect , Gather, unite

Sentence: We need to dispel the myths and establish real facts.

2.BARBARITY(NOUN): बर्बता

Pronunciation:baa·ba·ruh·tee

Meaning: Extremely cruel and violent behavior.

Synonyms: Brutality , Atrocity, savagery

Antonyms: Humanity, sympathy, compassion

Sentence: He is accused of inflicting unimaginable barbarities on his own people.

3.OUSTED (VERB) : बेदखल

Pronunciation: awst·uhd

Meaning: To force someone to leave a position of power, job, place, or competition.

Synonyms: Fired , Expel, eject

Antonyms: Admitted, took, received

Sentence:The president was ousted (from power) in a military coup in January 1987.

4.UNSHACKLE (VERB) : स्थिर होना

Pronunciation:uhn·sha·kl

Meaning: To set free from restrictions

Synonyms: Unfetter, Liberated, unchain

Antonyms: Restrain, govern, hold

Sentence: He can unshackle you from the love of money.

5.STAKE(VERB) : दांव

Pronunciation:stayk

Meaning: A share or a financial involvement in something such as a business

Synonyms: Support, pole, pale

Antonyms: defund

Sentence: He holds a 40 percent stake in/of the company.

6.STRANGLEHOLD(NOUN) : बोलबाला

Pronunciation:strang·guhl·holed

Meaning: A position of complete control that prevents something from developing

Synonyms: Grip, Suppress

Antonyms: Powerless

Sentence: The two major companies have been tightening their stranglehold on the beer market.

7.SUPREMACY(NOUN) : प्रभुत्व

Pronunciation:soo·pruh·muh·see

Meaning: The highest authority or greatest power.

Synonyms: Dominance, Hegemony, authority

Antonyms: Inferiority, Weakness, impotence

Sentence: He approved the supremacy of a strong federal government over the demands of states.

8.VIOLATION(NOUN): उल्लंघन

Pronunciation:vai·uh·lay·shn

Meaning: An action that breaks or acts against something.

Synonyms: Breach, Infringement, contravention

Antonyms: Honor, Obey, virtue

Sentence: The verdict was a gross violation of justice.

9.DEROGATION(NOUN) : मानमर्दन

Pronunciation:deh·ruh·gay·shn

Meaning: Process of weakening, lessening, or taking away power or authority

Synonyms: Aspersions, Disparage, abuse

Antonyms: Approval, Praise, hype

Sentence:Such conduct will derogate from your reputation.

10.USURP(VERB) : हड़पना

Pronunciation:yoo·zuhp

Meaning: To take power or control of something by force or without the right to do so

Synonyms: Annex, Arrogate, grab

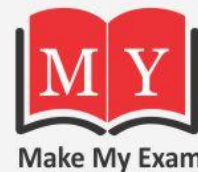
Antonyms: Release

Sentence:This decision will usurp the powers of the committee.

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