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Some exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper 'The Hindu' are listed here. Go through these words and read their usages to learn how to use them in sentences. This will really help you boost up your learning.

Happy Learning!!!

1. REMISSION (noun) – छूट

Pronunciation: rimi-shun

Meaning: the cancellation of a debt, charge, or penalty

Synonyms: suspension, revocation, repeal, rescinding, abrogation

Usage: New businesses may qualify for tax remission.

2. ENERVATION (noun) – निर्बलता

Pronunciation: enur-vei-sh(u)n

Meaning: a feeling of being drained of energy or vitality

Synonyms: fatigue, exhaustion, tiredness, weariness, lassitude

Usage: I was affected with enervation even after recovering from severe fever.

3. DISSENSION (noun) – कलह

Pronunciation: dis-en-shun

Meaning: disagreement that leads to conflict

Synonyms: disagreement, dispute, dissent, conflict, friction, strife

Antonyms: agreement, harmony

Usage: These issues caused bitter dissension in the party.

4. FRACAS (noun) – कोलाहल

Pronunciation: frak-aa

Meaning: a noisy disturbance or quarrel

Synonyms: disturbance, quarrel, scuffle, brawl, affray, tussle

Usage: Eight people were injured in the fracas.

5. PLACATORY (adjective) – शांत करनेवाला

Pronunciation: pluk-eit-uri

Meaning: intended to make someone less angry or hostile

Synonyms: conciliatory, pacifying, appeasing, calming, mollifying

Antonyms: exciting, thrilling, disturbing

Usage: The tone of the letter was placatory.

6. DILATORY (adjective) – विलम्बकारी, धीमा

Pronunciation: dilute(u)ri

Meaning: slow to act; intended to cause delay

Synonyms: slow, unhurried, tardy, unpunctual; delaying, stalling, temporizing, procrastinating, postponing

Antonyms: fast, prompt

Usage: The government has been dilatory in dealing with the problem of unemployment.

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7. SCHISM (noun) – मतभेद, फूट

Pronunciation: ski-z(u)m / si-z(u)m

Meaning: a split or division between strongly opposed sections or parties, caused by differences in opinion or belief

Synonyms: division, split, rift, breach, rupture, break, separation

Antonym: unification

Usage: The great schism splits the Catholic and Orthodox churches.

8. QUANDARY (noun) – व्याकुलता

Pronunciation: kwonduri

Meaning: a state of not being able to decide what to do in a situation

Synonyms: dilemma, plight, predicament

Usage: Kate was in a quandary.

9. BESEECH (verb) – निवेदन करना

Pronunciation: bi-seech

Meaning: ask (someone) urgently to do something

Synonyms: implore, beg, entreat, importune

Usage: I beseech you to forgive me.

10. UPBRAID (verb) – फटकारना

Pronunciation: up-braid

Meaning: find fault with (someone)

Synonyms: reprimand, rebuke, reproach, scold, admonish, reprove

Antonym: congratulate

Usage: The captain upbraided the men for falling asleep.



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