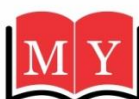


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1.AFFRONTED (verb): अपमानित

Pronunciation: uh·fruhnt·uhd

Meaning: offend the modesty or values of.

Synonyms: insult, offend, outrage

Antonyms: acclaimed, applauded, praised

Sentence: Her speech affronted all of us.

2.DETRITUS (noun) : बेकार

Pronunciation: duh·traɪ·tuhs

Meaning: waste or debris of any kind.

Synonyms: debris, waste, rubble

Antonyms: trove, valuable

Sentence: Streets filled with rubble and detritus.

3.PROCRASTINATION (noun) : टालमटोल

Pronunciation: pruh·kra·stuh·nay·shn

Meaning: the action of delaying or postponing something.

Synonyms: dithering, delaying tactics, dilatoriness

Antonyms: alacrity, eagerness, readiness

Sentence: Procrastination is the thief of time.

4.EVOCATIVE (adj.) : विचारोत्तेजक

Pronunciation: uh·vawk·uht·uhv

Meaning: bringing strong images, memories, or feelings to mind.

Synonyms: reminiscent, suggestive, redolent

Antonyms: unreminiscent

Sentence: Those old toys are evocative of my childhood.

5.SENTINEL (noun) : पहरेदार

Pronunciation: sen·tuhn·uhl

Meaning: a soldier or guard whose job is to stand and keep watch.

Synonyms: bodyguard, convoy, defender

Antonyms: aggress, attack, whop

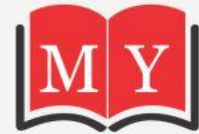
Sentence: The sentinel was stationed on a hill.

6.DICEY (adj.) : अप्रत्याशित**Pronunciation:** dise·ee**Meaning:** unpredictable and potentially dangerous.**Synonyms:** risky, uncertain, unpredictable**Antonyms:** certain, changeless, constant**Sentence:** The company's finances look a bit dicey.**7.KNAVERY (noun) :** धूर्तता**Pronunciation:** knavery**Meaning:** a playful or mischievous act intended as a joke**Synonyms:** roguery, waggery, frolic**Antonyms:** gravity, seriousness, solemnity**Sentence:** Knavery may serve for a turn, but honesty is in the long run.**8.BEWAIL (verb) :** शोक मनाना**Pronunciation:** buh·vayl**Meaning:** express great regret, disappointment, or bitterness over (something).**Synonyms:** lament, bemoan, sorrow for**Antonyms:** delight, glory, joy**Sentence:** She bewailed her misfortune.**9.RUDIMENTARY (adj.) :** मौलिक**Pronunciation:** roo·duh·ment·uh·ree**Meaning:** involving or limited to basic principles.**Synonyms:** basic, elementary, introductory**Antonyms:** advanced, developed, evolved**Sentence:** He had only a rudimentary knowledge of science.**10.INIQUITOUS (adj.) :** अधर्म**Pronunciation:** uh·ni·kvuh·tuhs**Meaning:** grossly unfair and morally wrong.**Synonyms:** wicked, sinful, evil**Antonyms:** decent, ethical, good**Sentence:** It is an iniquitous system that allows a person to die because they have no money to pay for medicine.

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