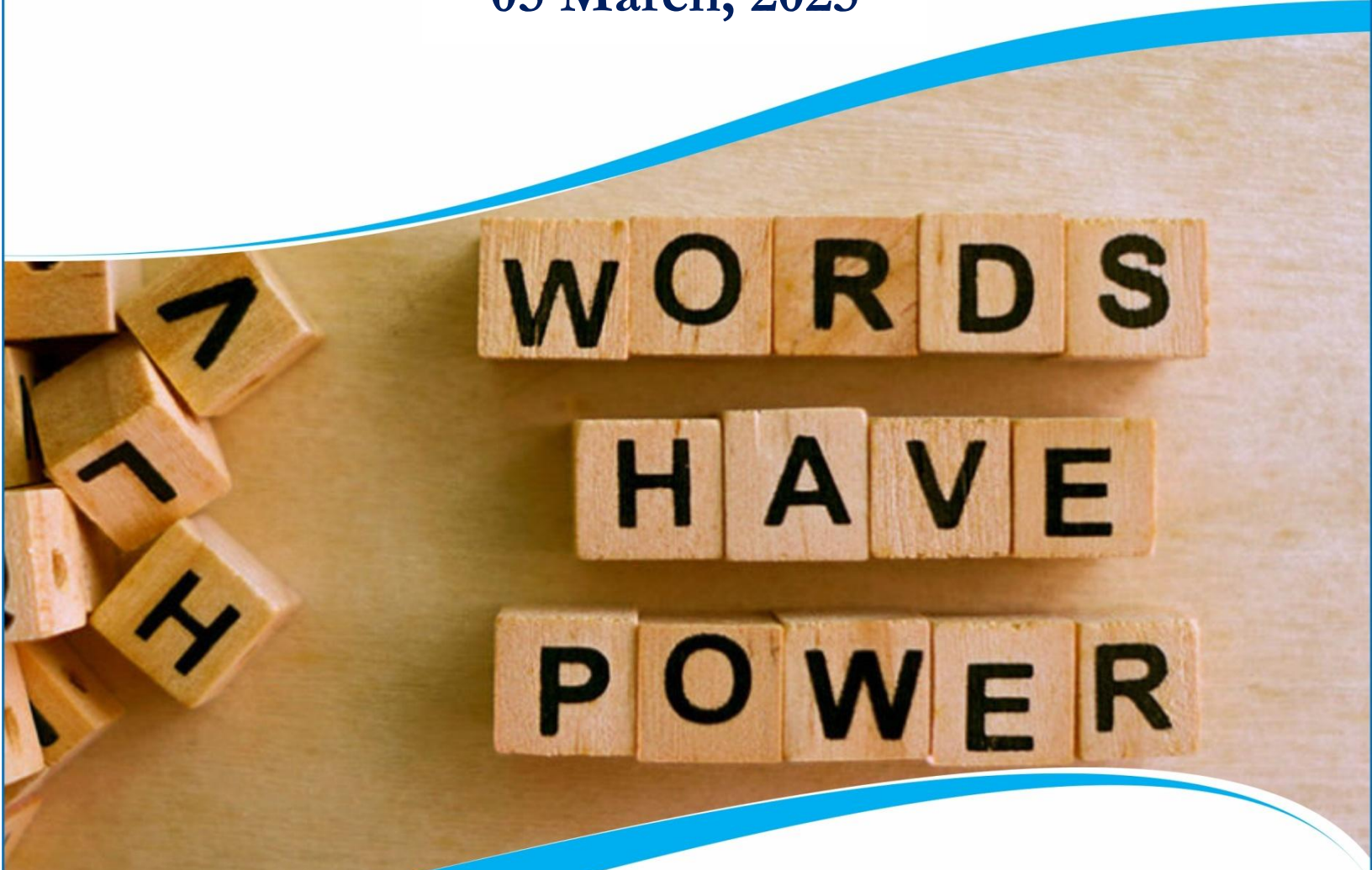


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Happy learning!!!

1.GROUSE (verb): बड़बड़ाना

Pronunciation: grows

Meaning: complaint pettily; grumble.

Synonyms: grumble, complain, moan

Antonyms: commendation, compliment, plaudit

Sentence: She heard him grouse about his assistant.

2.SURMOUNT (verb): विजय पाना

Pronunciation: sur·mount

Meaning: overcome (a difficulty or obstacle).

Synonyms: overcome, conquer, get over

Antonyms: be beaten by, be dominated by, give up

Sentence: She was well aware of the difficulties that had to be surmounted.

3.DELINQUENT (noun): अपराधी

Pronunciation: duh·ling·kvnt

Meaning: (typically of a young person or that person's behavior) showing or characterized by a tendency to commit a crime, mainly minor crime.

Synonyms: lawless, lawbreaking, criminal

Antonyms: saint, well-behaved, conformist

Sentence: Most delinquents have deprived backgrounds.

4.DEFERENCE (noun): सम्मान

Pronunciation: deh·fuh·ruhns

Meaning: humble submission and respect.

Synonyms: respect, regard, esteem

Antonyms: defiance, disobedience, intractability

Sentence: He treats her with such deference.

5.BRANDISHING (verb): दिखाते

Pronunciation: bran·duhsh·uhng

Meaning: to put into view in a threatening or excited manner

Synonyms: flourishing, waving, displaying

Antonyms: concealing, covering, hiding

Sentence: The horseman came up to Robin Hood, brandishing his sword.

6. INDESCRIBABLE (adj.): अवर्णनीय

Pronunciation: in·duh·skribe·uh·bl

Meaning: too unusual, extreme, or indefinite to be adequately described.

Synonyms: inexpressible, undefinable, inenarrable

Antonyms: definable, expressible

Sentence: The chaos and confusion were indescribable.

7. LITTORALS (noun): समुद्र तट

Pronunciation: lit·to·ral

Meaning: a region lying along a shore.

Synonyms: coastlands, seaside, banks

Antonyms: oceanic, deepwater, blue-water

Sentence: The tea plant thrives and is being planted relatively rapidly on the Black Sea littoral in Transcaucasia

8. MUZZY (adj): तेजहीन

Pronunciation: muz·zy

Meaning: unable to think clearly; confused.

Synonyms: groggy, lightheaded, faint

Antonyms: clearheaded, lucid

Sentence: He stopped drinking when his head started getting muzzy.

9. INGENUITY (adj.): सरलता

Pronunciation: in·juh·nyoo·uh·tee

Meaning: the quality of being clever, original, and inventive.

Synonyms: inventiveness, creativity, imagination

Antonyms: dryness, dullness

Sentence: We are looking for someone with ingenuity and imagination.

10. WAGGISH (adj): शरारती

Pronunciation: wag·gish

Meaning: humorous in a playful, mischievous, or facetious manner.

Synonyms: playful, roguish, jolly

Antonyms: solemn, sober, grim

Sentence: Milo is no longer the waggish bohemian he was in his youth.

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