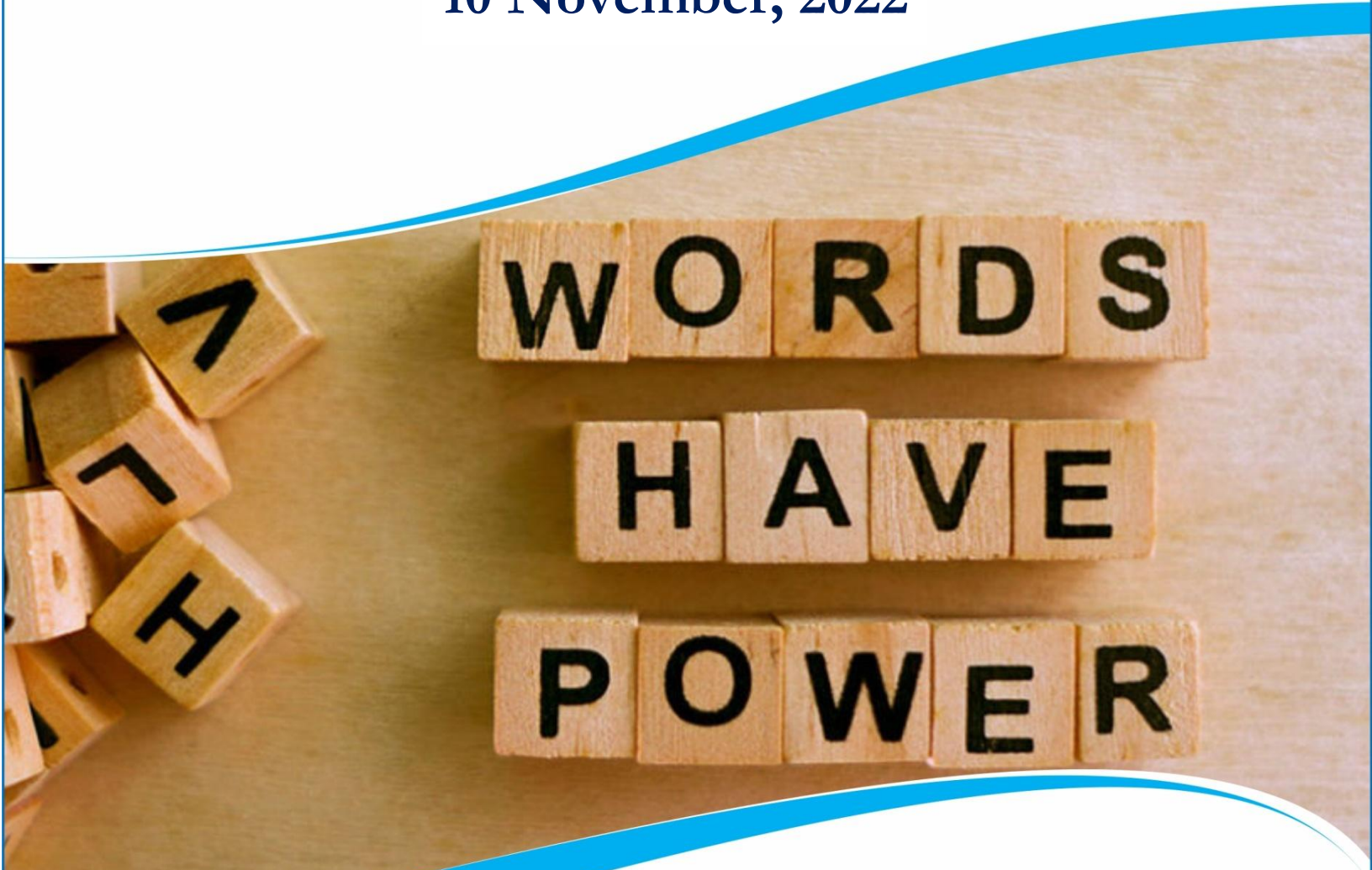



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1. VAGUELY (adv.) : अनिश्चित रूप से

Pronunciation: vayg·lee

Meaning: in a way that is uncertain, indefinite, or unclear; roughly.

Synonyms: roughly, more or less, approximately

Antonyms: considerably, extensively, significantly

Sentence: He vaguely remembered talking to her once.

2. POSIT (verb) : प्रस्तुत करना

Pronunciation: paw·zuht

Meaning: assume as a fact; put forward as a basis of argument.

Synonyms: postulate, put forward, propound

Antonyms: ignore, disregard

Sentence: The Confucian view posits a perfectible human nature.

3. CASTIGATED (verb) : आलोचना

Pronunciation: ka·stuh·gayt·uhd

Meaning: reprimand (someone) severely.

Synonyms: reprimand, rebuke, admonish

Antonyms: approved, endorsed, praised

Sentence: She castigated him for having no intellectual interests.

4. EXASPERATES (verb) : परेशान करना

Pronunciation: uhg·zaa·spuh·rayts

Meaning: irritate and frustrate (someone) intensely.

Synonyms: infuriate, irritate, anger

Antonyms: appeases, conciliates, mollifies

Sentence: Small children can exasperate their parents with endless questions about why this or that is so.

5. FRAIL (adj.) : अनैतिक

Pronunciation: frayl

Meaning: (of a person) weak and delicate.

Synonyms: infirm, weak, feeble

Antonyms: mighty, powerful, rugged

Sentence: His frail hands could hardly hold a cup.

6. INADVERTENCE (noun) : असावधानी

Pronunciation: in·ad·ver·tence

Meaning: failure to give sufficient attention to avoiding harm or errors; negligence.

Synonyms: carelessness, heedlessness, laxity

Antonyms: care, carefulness, caution

Sentence: Mistakes proceed from inadvertence.

7. ABREAST (adv.) : बराबर में

Pronunciation: uh·brest

Meaning: side by side and facing the same way.

Synonyms: in a row, side by side, alongside

Antonyms: lost, out of touch, unaware

Sentence: His car was abreast of the leading car.

8. ETHEREAL (adj.) : नाजुक

Pronunciation: uh·theeh·ree·uhl

Meaning: extremely delicate and light in a way that seems too perfect for this world.

Synonyms: delicate, exquisite, dainty

Antonyms: bodily, corporeal, substantial

Sentence: She's the prettiest, most ethereal romantic heroine in the movies.

9. ELOQUENCE (noun) : वाग्मिता

Pronunciation: eh·luh·kvns

Meaning: fluent or persuasive speaking or writing.

Synonyms: oratory, rhetoric

Antonym: inarticulateness

Sentence: Wealth of words is not eloquence.

10. ASPERSE (verb) : कलंक लगाना

Pronunciation: uh·spuhs

Meaning: attack or criticize the reputation or integrity of.

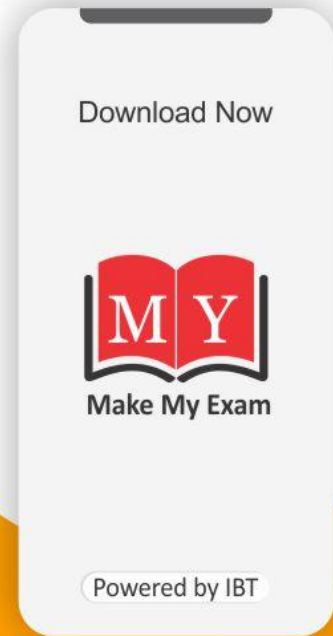
Synonyms: disparage, denigrate, defame

Antonyms: glorify, honor, acclaim

Sentence: Why is he always trying to vilify my reputation?

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