

VOCABULARY

1. DOPEY (ADJECTIVE): सुस्ती

Pronunciation: dope•ee

Meaning: Suffering from mental confusion.

Synonyms: dazed, stunned, distracted

Antonyms: conscious, alert, clearheaded

Sentence: The medicine always made him feel dopey and unable to concentrate.

2. TYRANT (NOUN): तानाशाह

Pronunciation: tai•ruhnt

Meaning: A person who uses power or authority in a cruel, unjust, or harmful way.

Synonyms: dictator, ruler, monarch

Antonyms: democrat, commoner, victim

Sentence: The people universally feared the tyrant, who was notorious for his frequent use of torture.

3. INVECTIVE (NOUN): अपशब्द

Pronunciation: uhn•vek•tuhv

Meaning: Harsh insulting language.

Synonyms: abuse, vituperation, insult

Antonyms: praise, applause, acclaim

Sentence: A woman had hurled racist invective at the family.

4. DOCILITY (NOUN): विनम्रता

Pronunciation: do•cil•i•ty

Meaning: A readiness or willingness to yield to the wishes of others.

Synonyms: obedience, submissiveness, acquiescence

Antonyms: disobedience, defiance, hostility

Sentence: At theological college, near Oxford, the docility of most of the wives of other students irritated Anna.

5. SUAVE (ADJECTIVE): शालीन

Pronunciation: svaav

Meaning: Having or showing very polished and worldly manners.

Synonyms: graceful, smooth, civilized

Antonyms: clumsy, awkward, classless

Sentence: In conversation, he was suave and urban.

6. LACHRYMOSE (ADJECTIVE): रोना

Pronunciation: la•kruh•mose

Meaning: Given to expressing strong emotion (as sorrow) by readily shedding tears.

Synonyms: emotional, tearful, weeping

Antonyms: smiling, laughing, grinning

Sentence: The more lachrymose mourners at the funeral required a steady supply of tissues.

7. LARCENY (NOUN): चोरी

Pronunciation: laa•suh•nee

Meaning: The unlawful taking and carrying away of property without the consent of its owner.

Synonyms: robbery, stealing, theft

Antonyms: compensation, charity.

Sentence: Issuing a bad check is a form of larceny.

8. DENOUEMENT (NOUN): अंत

Pronunciation: day•noo•mawn

Meaning: The final part of something (such as a book, a play, or a series of events).

Synonyms: finale, ending, conclusion

Antonyms: start, beginning, foundation

Sentence: The plot takes us to Paris for the denouement of the story.

9. AMBROSIAL (ADJECTIVE): मन मोहक

Pronunciation: am•bro•sial

Meaning: Having a pleasant smell.

Synonyms: fragrant, aromatic, scented

Antonyms: putrid, malodorous, fetid

Sentence: The ambrosial aroma of the roast whetted our appetites.

10. ADEPT (ADJECTIVE): कुशल

Pronunciation: a-dept

Meaning: Having or showing exceptional knowledge, experience, or skill in a field of endeavor.

Synonyms: skilled, proficient, experienced

Antonyms: inexperienced, incapable, unskilled

Sentence: He's an adept pitcher, and the team is lucky to have him.