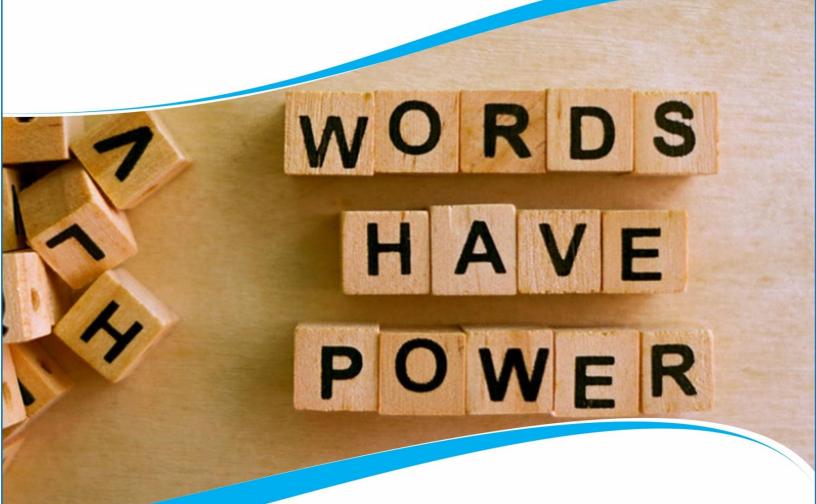




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper '**The Hindu**' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt. This will really help you boost up your learning.

Happy learning!!!

1. Vile (Adjective): बह्त ख़राब या अ प्रय

**Pronunciation: vile** 

Meaning: something extremely unpleasant, morally repulsive.

**Synonyms:** Loathsome, Repugnant **Antonyms:** Virtuous, Admirable

**Sentence:** The vile smell coming from the garbage bin made everyone hold their noses.

#### 2. Pelted (Verb): पत्थर मारना

Pronunciation: pelt·uhd

Meaning: the action of repeatedly striking or hitting someone or something with great

force.

Synonyms: Barraged, Hailed Antonyms: Evaded, Missed

**Sentence:** Protesters pelted the police with rocks and bottles.

## 3. Vengeance (Noun): प्रतिशोध

Pronunciation: ven·jns

Meaning: the act of seeking revenge or inflicting punishment on someone.

Synonyms: Payback, Retaliation

**Antonyms:** Mercy, Pardon

**Sentence:** After years of mistreatment, he finally sought vengeance against his oppressors.

## 4. Frosty (Adjective): रूखा और अमैत्रीपूर्ण

Pronunciation: frawst·ee
Meaning: cold and unfriendly.
Synonyms: Chilly, Glacial
Antonyms: Warm, Cordial

**Sentence:** The ground was covered in a frosty layer of ice on the winter morning.

## 5. Queer (Adjective): अजीब या असामान्य

**Pronunciation: kveeuh** 

Meaning: strange, unusual, or unconventional.

Synonyms: Peculiar, Eccentric

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**Antonyms:** Normal, Traditional

**Sentence:** The film explores queer themes and challenges societal norms.

#### 6. Penchant (Noun): लगन

Pronunciation: pawn·shawn

**Meaning:** a strong liking or preference for something.

**Synonyms:** Affinity, Fondness **Antonyms:** Detestation, Dislike

**Sentence:** She has a penchant for cooking and spends hours experimenting with different

recipes.

## 7. SACROSANCT (Adjective): प वत्र या पुण्य

Pronunciation: sa·kroh·sangkt

**Meaning:** too important or valuable to be interfered with, criticized, or violated.

**Synonyms:** Hallowed, Revered **Antonyms:** Profane, Ordinary

**Sentence:** The privacy of people's personal information should be treated as sacrosanct and

protected from unauthorized access.

## 8. PARTAKE (Verb): हिस्सालेना

Pronunciation: paa·tayk

Meaning: To participate in or share in something, especially an activity or event.

Synonyms: Participate, Engage

Antonyms: Shun, Decline

Sentence: The whole family will partake in the celebration of their grandparents' 50th

wedding anniversary.

## 9. Sojourn (Noun): अस्थायी निवास

Pronunciation: soh·juhn

**Meaning:** a temporary stay or visit in a place, often implying a period of rest or leisure.

Synonyms: Stopover, Vacation

Antonyms: Permanent Stay, Settlement

Sentence: We had a delightful sojourn in the quaint village, enjoying the peaceful

atmosphere.

### 10. Forage (Noun): चारा

Pronunciation: faw·ruhj

Meaning: to search or rummage for food, provisions, or supplies.

Synonyms: Food, Fodder, Provender

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Antonyms: Scarcity, Shortage

**Sentence:** (N)The farmer gathered fresh forage to feed the livestock.

(V)The birds forage for worms and insects in the garden.



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