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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.ACCEDED (verb): स्वीकार कर लिया

Pronunciation: uhk•seed•uhd

Meaning: Agree to a demand, request, or treaty.

Synonyms: agree to, consent to, accept

Antonyms: dissented, rebuffed, refused

Sentence: The government acceded to public pressure to review the tax.

2.INSUPERABLE (adj.) : अजेय

Pronunciation: uhn•soo•pruh•bl

Meaning: (of difficulty or obstacle) impossible to overcome.

Synonyms: insurmountable, unconquerable, invincible

Antonyms: superable, surmountable, vincible

Sentence: The difficulties that confront us seem insuperable.

3.COUNSELED (verb) : सलाह दी

Pronunciation: kawn•sld

Meaning: give advice to (someone).

Synonyms: advised, confabbed, confabulated

Antonyms: heedlessness, ignorance, neglect.

Sentence: He was counseled by his supporters to return to Germany.

4.EVANESCENT (adj.) : क्षणभंगुर

Pronunciation: eh•vuh•nes•uhnt

Meaning: soon passing out of sight, memory, or existence; quickly fading or disappearing.

Synonyms: vanishing, fading, fleeting

Antonyms: endless, eternal, everlasting

Sentence: Talk is evanescent but the writing leaves footprints.

5.INSCRUTABLE (adj.) : गूढ़

Pronunciation: uhn•skroo•tuh•bl

Meaning: impossible to understand or interpret.

Synonyms: enigmatic, unreadable, impenetrable

Antonyms: transparent, intelligible, understandable

Sentence: There are many inscrutable beliefs of that ancient religion.

6.DEPLORE (verb) : विलाप करना

Pronunciation: duh•plaw

Meaning: feel or express strong disapproval of (something).

Synonyms: abhor, be shocked by, be offended by

Antonyms: delight, exult, enjoy

Sentence: We deeply deplore the loss of life.

7.TRADUCE (verb) : बदनाम करना

Pronunciation: truh•dyoos

Meaning: speak badly of or tell lies about (someone) so as to damage their reputation.

Synonyms: defame, slander, malign

Antonyms: glorify, honor, acclaim

Sentence: It was regarded as a respectable political tactic to traduce him.

8.PUGNACIOUS (adj.) : झगड़ालू

Pronunciation: puhg•nay•shuhs

Meaning: eager or quick to argue, quarrel, or fight.

Synonyms: combative, aggressive, antagonistic

Antonyms: nonaggressive, gentle, calm

Sentence: I found him pugnacious and arrogant.

9.OSTENSIBLY (adv.) : प्रत्यक्ष तौर पर

Pronunciation: aw•sten•suh•blee

Meaning: apparently or purportedly, but perhaps not actually.

Synonyms: apparently, seemingly, on the face of it

Antonyms: genuinely, really, truly

Sentence: Troops were sent in, ostensibly to protect the civilian population.

10.NIMBLE (adj.) : चतुर

Pronunciation: nim•bl

Meaning: quick and light in movement or action; agile.

Synonyms: agile, lithe, sprightly

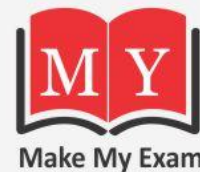
Antonyms: vacuous, weak-minded, witless

Sentence: She showed some nimble footwork and looked like a promising player.

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