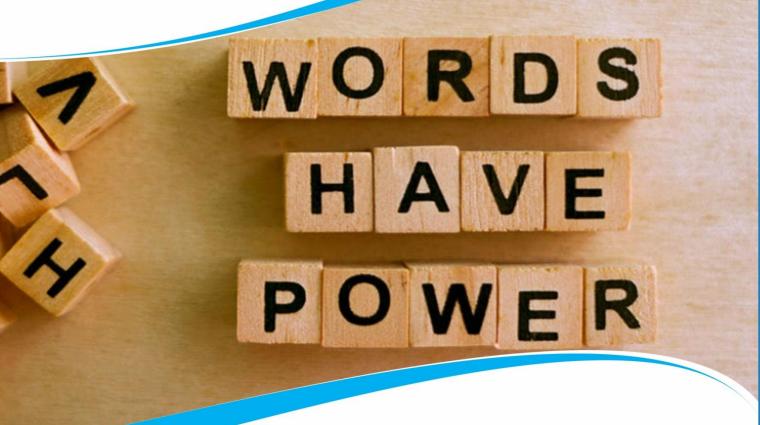






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#### Happy learning!!!

#### 1.MOUNT (verb) – चढ़ना

Pronunciation: mawnt
Meaning: to climb or get on something
Synonyms: climb, arise, escalate, rise, soar, ascend, escalade
Antonyms: lower, descend, dismount
Usage: Trying to mount the horse, the nervous rider fell off several times before actually getting on.

#### 2. BIDDABLE (adjective) – आज्ञाकारी

Pronunciation: bi·duh·bl
Meaning: ready to accept and follow instructions
Synonyms: obedient, tractable, amenable, pliable, pliant, complaisant, cooperative
Antonyms: disobedient, uncooperative, rebellious
Usage: He was a <u>biddable</u> boy, and went on without further question.

# 3. COSMOPOLITAN (adjective) - सर्वदेशीय

Pronunciation: koz·muh·po·luh·tn
Meaning: including people from many different countries
Synonyms: international, multiracial, worldwide, global, universal, worldly
Antonyms: particular, specific, provincial
Usage: Jamaica is a very <u>cosmopolitan</u> island.

# 4. PIONEERING (adjective) – पथप्रदर्शक

Pronunciation: pai·uh·neeuh·ruhng
Meaning: being the first to do or use a new idea
Synonyms: groundbreaking, trailblazing, innovative, trendsetting, revolutionary
Antonyms: terminating, concluding, closing
Usage: One of Australia's pioneering women aviators learnt to fly in the 1930s.



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# 5. IMPERCEPTIBLE (adjective) - अप्रत्यक्ष, अगोचर

**Pronunciation**: im·puh·sep·tuh·bl

Meaning: impossible or difficult to perceive

Synonyms: unnoticeable, invisible, minute, indistinguishable, indiscernible, unapparent, microscopic

Antonyms: apparent, obvious, noticeable

Usage: The transition is almost *imperceptible*.

# 6. ABSURDITY (noun) – मूर्खता

Pronunciation: uhb·suh·duh·tee Meaning: ridiculous situation or behavior Synonyms: ridiculousness, idiocy, stupidity, foolishness, folly, silliness, inanity Antonyms: reasonableness, sense, wisdom UsageThe <u>absurdity</u> of the situation made everyone laugh.

# 7. ABHORRENCE (noun) – घृणा

Pronunciation: uhb·ho·ruhns Meaning: a feeling of revulsion Synonyms: hatred, loathing, detestation, revulsion, abomination, disgust, repugnance Antonyms: love, admiration, delight Usage: He has a great <u>abhorrence</u> of medicine.

# 8. OFFICIAL (adjective) - आधिकारिक

Pronunciation: uh·fi·shl



Meaning: relating to an authority

**Synonyms**: ceremonial, formal, solemn, ritualistic, ceremonious, pompous, bureaucratic **Antonyms**: informal, unofficial, unauthorized

Usage: The government issued an <u>official</u> denial of the rumor.

#### 9. INTRIGUING (adjective) – दिलचस्प

**Pronunciation**: uhn tree guhng **Meaning**: arousing curiosity or interest **Synonyms**: interesting, absorbing, exciting, alluring, appealing, beguiling, captivating **Antonyms**: boring, unexciting, unstimulating **Usage**: I found the story rather <u>intriguing</u>.

#### 10. ARTISTIC (adjective) - कलात्मक

Pronunciation: aa·ti·stuhk
Meaning: being skilled in creative activity
Synonyms: creative, imaginative, inventive, artful, crafty, original, expressive
Antonyms: unimaginative, inelegant, unoriginal
Usage: His <u>artistic</u> talents were wasted in his boring job.

