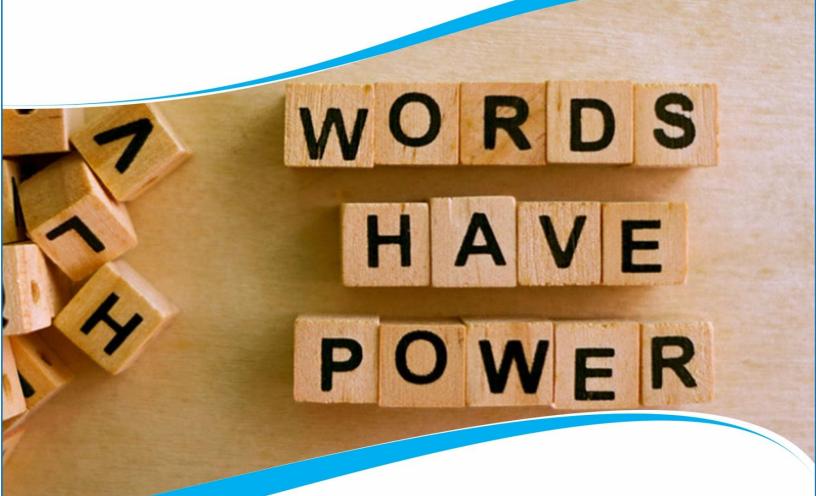




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Exceptional words of English vocabulary from the newspaper '**The Hindu**' are listed here. Go through these words and read the usages to learn how to use them in sentences. After this, take the quiz based on the vocabulary to check how much you learnt.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

Happy learning!!!

1. DISINGENUOUS (ADJECTIVE): कपटी

Pronunciation: di·sin·jeh·nyoo·uhs

Meaning: dishonest, or not speaking the complete truth.

Synonyms: dishonest, deceitful, underhand

Antonyms: honest, sincere, genuine

Sentence: he was being somewhat disingenuous as well as cynical.

2. EXPUNGE (VERB): मिटाना

Pronunciation: uhk·spuhnj

Meaning: to rub off or remove information from a piece of writing.

Synonyms: erase, delete, abolish **Antonyms:** add, construct, insert

Sentence: His name has been expunged from the list of members.

3. OBFUSCATE (VERB): अस्पष्ट बनाना

Pronunciation: awb·fuh·skayt

Meaning: to make something unclear, confusing, or difficult to understand.

Synonyms: confuse, complicate, blur **Antonyms:** clarify, simplify, illuminate

Sentence: The loan contract was filled with legal words meant to obfuscate trusting

borrowers.

4. UNREMITTING (ADJECTIVE): निरंतर

Pronunciation: uhn·ruh·mit·uhng

Meaning: going on and on without any interruptions.

Synonyms: continuous, relentless, incessant **Antonyms:** recurrent, intermittent, discontinuous

Sentence: As long as continuous efforts, and <u>unremitting</u> struggle, there are no things that

cannot be conquered.

5. CORROBORATE (VERB): पुष्टि करना

Pronunciation: kuh·raw·buh·rayt

Meaning: confirm or give support to (a statement, theory, or finding).

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Synonyms: confirm, verify, endorse **Antonyms:** refute, disprove, rebut

Sentence: Recent research seems to <u>corroborate</u> his theory.

6. UNFURL (VERB): खोलना

Pronunciation: uhn·fuhl

Meaning: make or become spread out from a rolled or folded state, especially in order to

be open to the wind.

Synonyms: unfold, expand, extend **Antonyms:** fold, close, reduce

Sentence: During the spring, the sprouting leaves begin to unfurl, and each petal that

opens will sprout a colorful bloom.

7. INVERSION (NOUN): विपरीतता

Pronunciation: uhn·vuh·zhn

Meaning: a situation in which something is changed so that it is the opposite of what

it was before, or in which something is turned upside down.

Synonyms: reversal, reverse, contrary **Antonyms:** verticality, erectness, stability

Sentence: Her account of the case was an inversion of the facts (it said the opposite

of what really happened).

8. COGNOSCENTE (NOUN): विशेषज्ञ

Pronunciation: co·gno·scen·te

Meaning: a connoisseur; a discerning expert (a person who has expert knowledge in a

subject).

Synonyms: expert, authority, specialist **Antonyms:** novice, amateur, neophyte

Sentence: Michael Meredith, a French cognoscente and librarian at Eton College in

England, is less supportive.

9. INGENIOUS (ADJECTIVE): रचनात्मक

Pronunciation: in jee nee uhs

Meaning: having the skill and imagination to create new things.

Synonyms: inventive, innovative, creative **Antonyms:** imitative, uninventive, unskillful

Sentence: With how skilled my chess opponent was, it would take an <u>ingenious</u> strategy

to defeat him, and a fair amount of luck.

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10. SQUANDERED (VERB): गंवाना

Pronunciation: skvawn·duhd

Meaning: waste (something, especially money or time) in a reckless and foolish manner.

Synonyms: waste, misspend, misuse

Antonyms: conserved, preserved, preserve

Sentence: Eddie has a tendency to squander his entire allowance on comic books and

movies.



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