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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. FLAG (VERB): थकना

Pronunciation: flag

Meaning: tire.

Synonyms: weaken, falter

Antonyms: revive

Sentence: If you begin to flag, there is an excellent cafe to revive you.

2. DEFER (VERB): समर्पण करना

Pronunciation: di·fuh

Meaning: yield.

Synonyms: submit, give way

Antonyms: stand up to

Sentence: He was not a man to defer this kind of pressure.

3. NEGATE (VERB): प्रतिवाद करना

Pronunciation: nuh·gayt

Meaning: make ineffective; nullify.

Synonyms: annihilate, disallow

Antonyms: allow, assist

Sentence: The criminal will negate all charges if you fail to prove him guilty.

4. QUEER (ADJECTIVE): विचित्र

Pronunciation: kveeu

Meaning: abnormal.

Synonyms: erratic, weird

Antonyms: sensible, sound

Sentence: They are queer in behaviour and extremely uncultured in their lifestyle.

5. STIMULATE (VERB): उत्तेजित करना

Pronunciation: sti·myoo·layt

Meaning: provoke.

Synonyms: elate, arouse

Antonyms: neglect, dishearten

Sentence: The teacher has to stimulate the students in order to create a hunger in them.

6. CORNUCOPIA (NOUN): प्रचुरता

Pronunciation: kaw·nyoo·koh·pee·uh

Meaning: abundance.

Synonyms: bounty, fullness

Antonyms: need, lack

Sentence: I shall come from London Town with a cornucopia of presents.

7. FRET (VERB): चिड़चिड़ाना

Pronunciation: fret

Meaning: feel uneasy.

Synonyms: be upset, be anxious

Antonyms: please, delight

Sentence: She was always fretting about something or the other.

8. ETHEREAL (ADJECTIVE): कोमल

Pronunciation: uh·theeuh·ree·uhl

Meaning: extremely delicate.

Synonyms: light, sublime

Antonyms: earthly, indelicate

Sentence: In this ethereal realm are the currents that make possible wireless telegraphy.

9. UNLETTERED (ADJECTIVE): निरक्षर

Pronunciation: uhn·leh·tuhd

Meaning: uneducated.

Synonyms: ignorant, illiterate

Antonyms: educated, literate

Sentence: Such misconceptions have not been confined to the unlettered masses.

10. SPRIGHTLY (ADJECTIVE): प्रमुदित

Pronunciation: sprite·lee

Meaning: lively.

Synonyms: agile, active

Antonyms: spiritless, lethargic

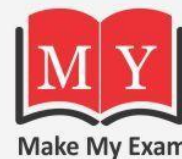
Sentence: The sprightly old woman walks two miles every day.

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