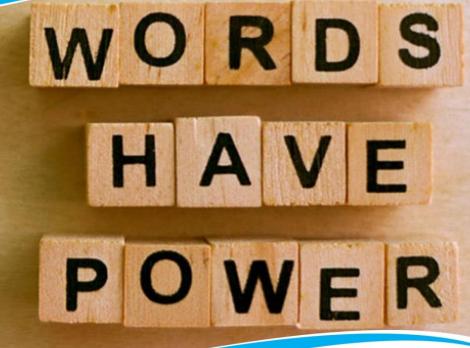






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#### Happy learning!!!

# 1.FARCICAL (adj.) :- हंसी का

Pronunciation: faas•uhk•uhl
Meaning: relating to or resembling farce, especially because of absurd or ridiculous aspects.
Synonyms: ridiculous, silly, idiotic
Antonyms: humorless, unhumorous, unfunny
Sentence: The whole situation has become <u>farcical</u>.

## 2.DEROGATORY (adj.) :- अपमानजनक

Pronunciation: duh•raw•guh•tuh•ree
Meaning: showing a critical or disrespectful attitude.
Synonyms: dishonoring, uncomplimentary, disrespectful
Antonyms: honoring, complimentary, respectful
Sentence: She tells me I'm fat and is always making derogatory remarks.

#### 3.DERIDE (verb) :- उपहास करना

Pronunciation: duh•rideMeaning: express contempt for; ridicule.Synonyms: make fun of, poke fun at, laugh atAntonyms: applaud, respect, praiseSentence: You shouldn't deride their efforts.

## 4.TOPPLE (verb) :- गिर पड़ना

Pronunciation: taw•plMeaning: overbalance or become unsteady and fall slowly.Synonyms: fall, slip, stumbleAntonyms: get up, rise, standSentence: The disagreement had threatened to topple the government.

## 5.CUNNING (adj.) :- चालाक

Pronunciation: kuh•nuhng
Meaning: having or showing skill in achieving one's ends by deceit or evasion.
Synonyms: artful, sly, guileful
Antonyms: artless, guileless, innocent
Sentence: A <u>cunning</u> look came into his eyes.



# 6.BRAZEN (adj.) :- बेशर्म

Pronunciation: bray•zn
Meaning: bold and without shame.
Synonyms: bold, shameless, cheeky
Antonyms: shy, timid, mousy
Sentence: He exhibited a brazen disregard for other people's feelings.

## 7.MUTT (noun) :- मूर्ख

Pronunciation: muhtMeaning: a person regarded as stupid or incompetent.Synonyms: fool, idiot, moronAntonyms: brain, genius, sensibleSentence: Do not give me orders, <u>mutt</u>.

## 8.RAMIFICATION (noun) :- उपशाखा

Pronunciation: ra•muh•fuh•kay•shn
Meaning: a consequence of an action or event, especially when complex or unwelcome.
Synonyms: outcome, effect, development
Antonyms: beginning, cause, decline
Sentence: Any change is bound to have legal <u>ramifications</u>.

## 9.SORENESS (noun) :- पीड़ा

Pronunciation: saw•nuhsMeaning: pain in a part of one's body.Synonyms: ache, pain, pangAntonyms: comfort, ease, easinessSentence: He limped off complaining of soreness in the knee.

#### 10.THRIVE (verb) :- फलना

Pronunciation: thriveMeaning: grow or develop well or vigorously.Synonyms: burgeon, flourish, prosperAntonyms: die, shrink, failSentence: A business cannot <u>thrive</u> without investment.



