

VOCABULARY

1. OVERKILL (NOUN): अतिकरना

Pronunciation: oh•vuh•kil

Meaning: the state or an instance of going beyond what is usual, proper, or needed.

Synonyms: surplus, excess, overflow

Antonyms: deficiency, deficit, insufficiency

Sentence: That's enough, anymore just overkill.

2. EPHEMERAL (ADJECTIVE): अल्पकालिक

Pronunciation: uh•feh•muh•ruhl

Meaning: lasting for a very short time.

Synonyms: brief, short, little

Antonyms: eternal, lasting, enduring

Sentence: Fashion is by nature ephemeral.

3. CONTRAVENTION (NOUN): उल्लंघन

Pronunciation: kaw•n•truh•ven•shn

Meaning: a failure to uphold the requirements of law, duty, or obligation.

Synonyms: violation, breach, offence

Antonyms: observance, respecting, upholding

Sentence: Sending the troops was a contravention of the treaty.

4. VERTIGINOUS (ADJECTIVE): चक्कर आना

Pronunciation: ver•tig•i•nous

Meaning: having or causing a whirling sensation; liable to failing.

Synonyms: giddy, dizzy, woozy

Antonyms: steady, stable, clearheaded

Sentence: 3-D effect is likely to leave some audience members feeling vertiginous.

5. CONGRUITY (NOUN): समानता

Pronunciation: con•gru•i•ty

Meaning: a point which two or more things share in common.

Synonyms: similarity, resemblance, commonality

Antonyms: difference, discrepancy, dissimilarity

Sentence: The book alleges certain congruities between several political assassinations that were thought to be unrelated.

6. BREAKTHROUGH (NOUN): वृद्धि

Pronunciation: brayk•throo

Meaning: an instance of notable progress in the development of knowledge, technology, or skill.

Synonyms: improvement, advancement, enhancement

Antonyms: setback, collapse

Sentence: Researchers say they have made a major breakthrough in cancer treatment.

7. PEREMPTORY (ADJECTIVE): आदेश पूर्ण

Pronunciation: puh•remp•tuh•ree

Meaning: as in authoritarian

Synonyms: authoritarian, aggressive, commanding

Antonyms: humble, unassuming, indecisive

Sentence: He started issuing peremptory instructions.

8. COLOSSAL (ADJECTIVE): अतिविशाल

Pronunciation: kuh•law•sl

Meaning: as in gigantic.

Synonyms: gigantic, huge, huge

Antonyms: tiny, micro, Lilliputian

Sentence: A colossal statue of the town's founder.

9. DEEM (VERB): सोचना

Pronunciation: deem

Meaning: as in to think.

Synonyms: guess, assume, suppose

Antonyms: question, suspect, doubt

Sentence: I deem it advisable to purchase the shares in the railway now.

10. FALLOUT (VERB): विवाद करना

Pronunciation: fawl•awt

Meaning: to express different opinions about something often angrily.

Synonyms: argue, fight, quarrel

Antonyms: accept, agree, assent

Sentence: Both the members start fallout with each other.