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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. INDIGENOUS (ADJECTIVE) : स्वदेशी

Pronunciation: in·dee·juh·nuhs

Meaning: originating or occurring naturally in a particular place; native.

Synonyms: native, local, endemic

Antonyms: expatriate, immigrant, alien

Sentence: The class of students enjoyed learning about unusual animals that are indigenous and found naturally in the wild in North America.

2. REITERATE (VERB) : बार बार दुहराना

Pronunciation: ree·i·tuh·rayt

Meaning: say something again or a number of times, typically for emphasis or clarity.

Synonyms: repeat, replicate, reprise

Antonyms: elapse, recant

Sentence: To ensure her students understand the key points of her lessons, Mrs. Morgan always asks them to reiterate the main ideas back to her.

3. ELEVATE (Verb) : ऊपर उठाना

Pronunciation: eh·luh·vayt

Meaning: raise or lift (something) to a higher position.

Synonyms: excite, elate, uplift

Antonyms: depress, discourage, demoralize

Sentence: The teacher hoped to elevate the minds of her young pupils by reading them religious stories.

4. UNTENABLE (Adjective) : अस्थिर

Pronunciation: uhn·teh·nuh·bl

Meaning: (especially of a position or view) not able to be maintained or defended against attack or objection.

Synonyms: misleading, weak, irrational

Antonyms: logical, validated, confirmed

Sentence: Since Jack and Jill felt that marriage was untenable, they decided to get a divorce.

5. REGIME (Noun) : प्रशासन**Pronunciation:**reh·zheem**Meaning:** a government, especially an authoritarian one; a system or ordered way of doing things.**Synonyms:** rule, governance, tyranny**Antonyms:** chaos, disorder, anarchy**Sentence:** In order to build muscle and lose fat, a weight lifter must follow a rigorous regime composed of intense workouts and a strict diet.**6. REplete (Adjective) : परिपूर्ण****Pronunciation:**ruh·pleet**Meaning:** filled or well-supplied with something.**Synonyms:** plump, full, fat**Antonyms:** barren, empty, lacking**Sentence:** I received a low score on my essay because the paper was replete with mistakes.**7. MARAUD (Verb) : लूटना****Pronunciation:**muh·rawd**Meaning:** go about in search of things to steal or people to attack.**Synonyms:** plunder, pillage, despoil**Antonyms:** assist, guard, aid**Sentence:** Once the police catch the marauder, they hope to retrieve all the jewels he stole.**8. HURL (Verb) : उछालना****Pronunciation:**huhl**Meaning:** throw or impel (someone or something) with great force.**Synonyms:** throw, cast, pitch**Antonyms:** hold, heave, dash**Sentence:** When Sarah teased her little brother, he took the book in his hand and decided to hurl it at her breaking her nose.**9. TROVE (Noun) : निधि****Pronunciation:**trove**Meaning:** a store of valuable or delightful things**Synonyms:** treasure, miscellanea, assortment**Antonyms:** fail, struggle, flounder**Sentence:** The museum is a treasure trove for antique lovers.

10. STASH (Verb): छिपाने की जगह**Pronunciation:**stash**Meaning:** store (something) safely in a hidden or secret place.**Synonyms:** stockpile, store, cache**Antonyms:** dump, ditch, unload**Sentence:** Lindsey uses an old shoe box to stash all of her photos.

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