

# **DAILY** **VOCAB DOSE**

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**Happy learning!!!**

### **1. HAUGHTY (adjective) – घमंडी**

**Pronunciation:** haw·tee

**Meaning:** arrogantly superior and disdainful

**Synonyms:** proud, vain, arrogant, conceited, snobbish, stuck-up, pompous

**Antonyms:** modest, humble

**Usage:** Derrick's haughty attitude made him an undesirable friend.

### **2. PROTEAN (adjective) – परिवर्तनशील**

**Pronunciation:** prow·tee·uhn

**Meaning:** tending or able to change frequently or easily

**Synonyms:** variable, changeable, mutable, kaleidoscopic, erratic, quicksilver, inconstant

**Antonyms:** constant, consistent

**Usage:** George is a protean actor who is capable of playing numerous characters.

### **3. AGNOSTIC (noun) – संशयवादी**

**Pronunciation:** ag·no·stuhk

**Meaning:** a person who believes that nothing is known or can be known of the existence or nature of God

**Synonyms:** doubter, questioner, challenger, cynic, unbeliever, disbelieve

**Antonyms:** believer, theist

**Usage:** Amelia was an inquiring agnostic and an insatiable searcher for knowledge.

### **4. EQUILIBRIUM (noun) – संतुलन**

**Pronunciation:** ee·kwuh·li·bree·uhm

**Meaning:** a state in which opposing forces or influences are balanced

**Synonyms:** balance, symmetry, equipoise, parity, equality, stability, counterpoise

**Antonyms:** imbalance, disproportion

**Usage:** We have achieved equilibrium in the economy.

### **5. LIMBER (adjective) – लचीला**

**Pronunciation:** lim·buh

**Meaning:** lithe or supple

**Synonyms:** flexible, lithe, supple, nimble, lissome, fit, spry

**Antonyms:** stiff, unfit

**Usage:** The limber gymnast was able to do the back flip with ease.

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## 6. UNERRING (adjective) – अचूक

**Pronunciation:** uh·nuh·ruhng

**Meaning:** always right or accurate

**Synonyms:** unfailing, infallible, unswerving, perfect, flawless, faultless, impeccable

**Antonym:** fallible, imperfect

**Usage:** He danced with an unerring sense of rhythm.

## 7. CONSIDERATE (adjective) – विचारशील

**Pronunciation:** kuhn·si·duh·ruht

**Meaning:** careful not to inconvenience or harm others

**Synonyms:** attentive, thoughtful, concerned, solicitous, mindful, heedful, obliging

**Antonym:** inconsiderate, thoughtless

**Usage:** He is always polite and considerate towards his employees.

## 8. BELLICOSE (adjective) – लड़ाकू

**Pronunciation:** beh·luh·kows

**Meaning:** demonstrating aggression and willingness to fight

**Synonyms:** belligerent, aggressive, threatening, antagonistic, pugnacious, truculent

**Antonyms:** peaceable, peaceful, harmonious

**Usage:** Your bellicose nature will get you into serious trouble someday!

### 9. HOSTILE (adjective) – शत्रुतापूर्ण

**Pronunciation:** ho·stail

**Meaning:** showing or feeling opposition or dislike; unfriendly

**Synonyms:** antagonistic, aggressive, confrontational, belligerent, pugnacious, militant, truculent

**Antonyms:** friendly, mild

**Usage:** Her speech evoked a hostile response.

### 10. GRISLY (adjective) – भयानक

**Pronunciation:** griz·lee

**Meaning:** causing horror or disgust

**Synonyms:** gruesome, ghastly, frightful, horrid, horrifying, fearful, hideous, macabre

**Antonym:** pleasant, attractive

**Usage:** It is a grisly night.



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