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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. APHORISTIC (adj.): सूत्र-रूप में

Pronunciation: aph·o·rism

Meaning: marked by the use of few words to convey much information or meaning

Synonyms: brief, capsule, compact

Antonyms: long-winded, prolix, redundant

Sentence: The language is austere and aphoristic.

2. OUTPACE (verb) : आगे बढ़ना

Pronunciation: awt·pays

Meaning: go, rise, or improve faster than.

Synonyms: outrun, outstrip, overtake

Antonyms: decelerate, slow

Sentence: Population growth has continued to outpace job growth for the last several decades.

3. EDIFICE (noun) : भवन

Pronunciation: eh·duh·fuhs

Meaning: a building, especially a large, imposing one.

Synonyms: building, structure, construction

Antonyms: ruin, wreck, wreckage

Sentence: The town hall is the only edifice surviving from the fifteenth century.

4. CALIGINOUS (adj.) : अंधेरा

Pronunciation: ca·lig·i·nous

Meaning: being without light or without much light

Synonyms: black, dark, darkened

Antonyms: bright, brightened, illuminated

Sentence: Without a flashlight, there was no way to tell what kind of creatures lurked in the caliginous cave.

5. STEALTHILY (adv.) : छिपकर

Pronunciation: stelth·uh·lee

Meaning: in a cautious and surreptitious manner, so as not to be seen or heard.

Synonyms: furtively, secretively, sneakily

Antonyms: openly, publicly

Sentence: The thief stealthily stole into the house.

6. GRIPPING (adj.) : मनोरंजक

Pronunciation: grip·uhng

Meaning: firmly holding the attention or interest; exciting.

Synonyms: enthralling, fascinating, immersing

Antonyms: boring, drab, monotonous

Sentence: The film turned out to be a gripping thriller.

7. HOODLUM (noun) : बदमाश

Pronunciation: hood·luhm

Meaning: a person who engages in crime and violence; a hooligan or gangster.

Synonyms: hooligan, thug, ruffian

Antonyms: protector, tender

Sentence: Some of the hoodlums beat their victims viciously before robbing them.

8. INCULCATE (verb) : मन में बैठाना

Pronunciation: in·kuhl·kayt

Meaning: instill (an attitude, idea, or habit) by persistent instruction.

Synonyms: instill, implant, imbue

Antonyms: deprive, clear, empty

Sentence: Not all schools manage to successfully inculcate a love of learning.

9. IMPRESARIO (noun) : आयोजक

Pronunciation: im·pruh·saa·ree·oh

Meaning: a person who organizes and often finances concerts, plays, or operas.

Synonyms: organizer, manager, producer

Antonyms: aide, employee, laborer

Sentence: It was the actor's dream to work under the renowned impresario.

10. RECRIMINATION (noun) : अभियोग

Pronunciation: ruh·kri·muh·nay·shn

Meaning: an accusation in response to one from someone else.

Synonyms: incrimination, charge, complaint

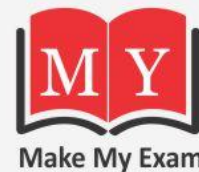
Antonyms: commendation, praise.

Sentence: Let's not indulge in recrimination.

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