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Editorial – (01-04-2019)

1) Wrangling (noun) -- तकरार

Meaning: engagement in a long, complicated dispute or argument.

Synonyms: altercation, argle-bargle, argument, argy-bargy

Antonyms: agreement, calm, harmony

Usage: "weeks of political wrangling"

2) Chasm (noun) -- खाई

Meaning: a deep fissure in the earth's surface.

Synonyms: gorge, abyss, canyon, ravine, gully

Antonyms: closing, closure

Usage: "a chasm a mile long"

3) Shrine (noun)– मंदिर

Meaning: a place regarded as holy because of its associations with a divinity or a sacred person or relic, marked by a building or other construction.

Synonyms: holy place, temple, church, chapel

Antonyms: uncover unsheathe

Usage: "the medieval pilgrim route to the shrine of St James"

4) Overture (noun)– प्रस्थावना

Meaning: an orchestral piece at the beginning of an opera, play, etc./an introduction to something more substantial.

Synonyms: prelude, introduction, opening

Antonyms: conclusion, ending, epilogue

Usage: "the talks were no more than an overture to a long debate"

5) Manoeuvre (noun) -- पैतरेबाज़ी

Meaning: a movement or series of moves requiring skill and care./a large-scale military exercise of troops, warships, and other forces.

Synonyms: operation, exercise, activity

Antonyms: botch, bungle, fizzle, fumble

Usage: "snowboarders performed daring manoeuvres on precipitous slopes"

6) Intrigue (verb) -- रिझाना

Meaning: arouse the curiosity or interest of; fascinate.

Synonyms: interest, be of interest to, fascinate

Antonyms: honesty, truthfulness

Usage: "I was intrigued by your question"

7) Lurk (verb)– दुबकना

Meaning: be or remain hidden so as to wait in ambush for someone or something.

Synonyms: skulk, loiter, lie in wait

Antonyms: come out, materialize, show up

Usage: "a ruthless killer still lurked in the darkness"

8) Desertion (noun) -- परित्याग

Meaning: the action of deserting a person, cause, or organization.

Synonyms: abandonment, leaving

Antonyms: allowance, approval

Usage: "I resented what I saw as my parents' desertion"

9) Unabashed -- अचल

Meaning: not embarrassed, disconcerted, or ashamed.

Synonyms: unashamed, shameless, unembarrassed

Antonyms: abashed, ashamed, embarrassed

Usage: "he was unabashed by the furore his words provoked"

10) Faction (noun) -- दलबंदी

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Meaning: a small organized dissenting group within a larger one, especially in politics.

Synonyms: clique, coterie, caucus, cabal, bloc

Antonyms: individual, whole

Usage: "the left-wing faction of the party"

Editorial – (02-04-2019)

1) Paradox (noun) -- विरोधाभास

Meaning: a seemingly absurd or contradictory statement or proposition which when investigated may prove to be well founded or true.

Synonyms: contradiction, contradiction in terms, self-contradiction, inconsistency

Antonyms: normality, regularity, standard

Usage: "the uncertainty principle leads to all sorts of paradoxes, like the particles being in two places at once"

2) Coalition (noun) -- गठबंधन

Meaning: a temporary alliance for combined action, especially of political parties forming a government.

Synonyms: alliance, union, partnership, affiliation

Antonyms: detachment, disconnection

Usage: "a coalition between Liberals and Conservatives"

3) Gambit (noun) -- स्तरीकरण

Meaning: an act or remark that is calculated to gain an advantage, especially at the outset of a situation.

Synonyms: stratagem, machination, scheme

Antonyms: frankness, honesty

Usage: "his resignation was a tactical gambit"

4) Rupture (verb) – टूटना या फटना

Meaning: (especially of a pipe or container, or bodily part such as an organ or membrane) break or burst suddenly.

Synonyms: break, fracture, crack

Antonyms: union, uniting, healing, fusion

Usage: "if the main artery ruptures he could die"

5) Fierce (adjective) -- भयंकर

Meaning: having or displaying an intense or ferocious aggressiveness.

Synonyms: ferocious, savage, vicious

Antonyms: gentle, tame, mild

Usage: "fierce fighting continued throughout the day"

6) Exigencies (noun) -- तत्काल आवश्यकता या मांग

Meaning: an urgent need or demand.

Synonyms: need, demand, requirement, want

Usage: "women worked long hours when the exigencies of the family economy demanded it"

7) Frontally (adjective) -- सामने की ओर से

Meaning: of, relating to, or adjacent to the forehead or the frontal bone

Synonyms: anterior, fore, forward, front, frontward (or frontwards)

Antonyms: aft, after, hind, hinder, hindmost, posterior, rear, rearward

Usage: most cars have the engine in the frontal part

8) Disparaging (adjective)– अपमानजनक

Meaning: expressing the opinion that something is of little worth; derogatory.

Synonyms: belittle, decry, defame

Antonyms: admire, approve

Usage: "disparaging remarks about council houses"

9) Fulcrum (noun)– आधार

Meaning: a thing that plays a central or essential role in an activity, event, or situation.

Synonyms: lever, pin

Antonyms: stiffen, close

Usage: "research is the fulcrum of the academic community"

10) Onus (noun)– भार या दायित्व

Meaning: something that is one's duty or responsibility.

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Synonyms: burden, responsibility, liability, obligation, duty

Antonyms: advantage, benefit

Usage: "the onus is on you to show that you have suffered loss"

Editorial – (03-04-2019)

1) Gag (verb) -- बमन करना

Meaning: choke or retch.

Synonyms: retch, heave, dry-heave, convulse

Antonyms: whisper, familiar

Usage: "he gagged on the wine"

2) Defamatory (adjective) -- मानहानिकारक

Meaning: (of remarks, writing, etc.) damaging the good reputation of someone; slanderous or libellous.

Synonyms: libellous, slanderous, defaming, calumnious

Antonyms: complimentary, approving

Usage: "a defamatory allegation"

3) Injunction (noun) -- निषेधाज्ञा

Meaning: an authoritative warning or order.

Synonyms: order, ruling, direction, directive, command

Antonyms: appeal, entreaty, petition, plea

Usage: The temporary injunction violates the basic principle in free speech law

4) Disseminated (adjective) -- प्रसारित

Meaning: having spread throughout an organ or the body.

Synonyms: broadcast, circulate, propagate, spread

Antonyms: cloak, conceal, enshroud

Usage: Arraying print and electronic media outlets that had not previously disseminated

5) Utterances (noun) -- उक्ति

Meaning: a spoken word, statement, or vocal sound. /the action of saying or expressing something aloud.

Synonyms: remark, comment, word, expression, statement

Antonyms: listening, question, quiet

Usage: "he whispered, as if to lend his utterances an added confidentiality"

6) Omnibus (adjective) -- सर्वग्राही

Meaning: comprising several items.

Synonyms: all-embracing, all-in [chiefly British], all-inclusive, broad-gauge

Antonyms: circumscribed, limited, narrow, restricted

Usage: an omnibus edition of his more popular stories

7) Debutant (noun) -- लोगों के सामने पहली उपस्थिति करनेवाला

Meaning: a man making his first public appearance, especially in sport.

Synonyms: new comer, beginner.

Antonyms: Expert

Usage: "rarely in the history of the festival has a debutant director won the Palme d'Or"

8) Defendants (noun) -- बचाव पक्ष

Meaning: an individual, company, or institution sued or accused in a court of law.

Synonyms: accused, prisoner at the bar

Antonyms: Plaintiff, believe

Usage: "the defendant tried to claim that it was self-defence"

9) Jolt (verb) -- झटका देना

Meaning: push or shake (someone or something) abruptly and roughly.

Synonyms: push, thrust

Antonyms: disadvantage

Usage: "a surge in the crowd behind him jolted him forwards"

10) Reeled (verb) -- लड़खड़ाना

Meaning: lose one's balance and stagger or lurch violently.

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Synonyms: stagger, lurch, sway, rock, stumble, totter

Antonyms: stabilize, steady

Usage: "he punched Connolly in the ear, sending him reeling"

Editorial – (04-04-2019)

1) Vulnerable (adjective) -- चपेट में

Meaning: exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically or emotionally.

Synonyms: in danger, in peril, in jeopardy, at risk, endangered, unsafe

Antonyms: well protected, invulnerable, resilient

Usage: "we were in a vulnerable position"

2) Unprecedented (adjective) -- अभूतपूर्व

Meaning: never done or known before.

Synonyms: unparalleled, unequalled, unmatched, unrivalled

Antonyms: normal, common

Usage: "the government took the unprecedented step of releasing confidential correspondence"

3) Seditious (noun) -- राजद्रोह

Meaning: conduct or speech inciting people to rebel against the authority of a state or monarch.

Synonyms: incitement (to riot/rebellion), agitation, rabble-rousing

Antonyms: obedience, calm

Usage: The leaders of the group have been arrested and charged with sedition.

4) Skepticism (noun) -- संदेहवाद

Meaning: a sceptical attitude; doubt as to the truth of something.

Synonyms: doubtfulness, dubiousness

Antonyms: conviction, belief, faith

Usage: "these claims were treated with scepticism"

5) Scant (adjective) -- अल्प

Meaning: barely sufficient or adequate.

Synonyms: little, little or no, minimal, hardly any

Antonyms: abundant, ample, sufficient

Usage: "companies with scant regard for the safety of future generations"

6) Quashing (verb) -- रद्द करने

Meaning: reject as invalid, especially by legal procedure.

Synonyms: cancel, reverse, rescind, repeal

Antonyms: bring about, prompt

Usage: "his conviction was quashed on appeal"

7) Aggregating (verb) -- कुल जोड़ करना

Meaning: form or group into a class or cluster.

Synonyms: collection, mass, cluster

Antonyms: uncombined, individual

Usage: "socio-occupational groups aggregate men sharing similar kinds of occupation"

8) Dent (noun) -- खरोज

Meaning: a slight hollow in a hard even surface made by a blow or pressure.

Synonyms: indentation, dint, dimple, dip

Antonyms: increase

Usage: "there was a hideous dent in the front passenger door"

9) Nexus (noun) -- बंधन

Meaning: a connection or series of connections linking two or more things.

Synonyms: center, connection

Antonyms: divorce, exterior

Usage: "the nexus between industry and political power"

10) Peculiarity (noun) -- खासियत

Meaning: a strange or unusual feature or habit.

Synonyms: oddity, anomaly, abnormality

Antonyms: simplicity, normality

Usage: "for all his peculiarities, she finds him quite endearing"

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1) Anticipate (verb) -- आशा रखना

Meaning: regard as probable; expect or predict.

Synonyms: expect, foresee, predict

Antonyms: be amazed

Usage: "she anticipated scorn on her return to the theatre"

2) Divergent (adjective) -- विभिन्न

Meaning: tending to be different or develop in different directions.

Synonyms: differing, varying, different

Antonyms: similar

Usage: "divergent interpretations"

3) Confront (verb) -- सामना करना

Meaning: come face to face with (someone) with hostile or argumentative intent.

Synonyms: challenge, square up to, oppose, resist, defy

Antonyms: avoid

Usage: "300 policemen confronted an equal number of union supporters"

4) Spike(noun) -- नोकदार छड़

Meaning: a thin, pointed piece of metal, wood, or another rigid material.

Synonyms: prong, barb, point, skewer

Antonyms: burn out, debilitate, do in, drain

Usage: "the oil price spike"

5) Shadow (verb)- किसीको अनुसरण करना

Meaning: follow and observe (someone) closely and secretly.

Synonyms: follow, trail, track

Antonyms: brightness, light

Usage: "he had been up all night shadowing a team of poachers"

6) Faltering (adjective) -- शक्ति या गति खोना

Meaning: losing strength or momentum.

Synonyms: speaking hesitantly

Antonyms: budge, stir

Usage: "his faltering career"

7) Prudent (adjective) -- विवेकी

Meaning: acting with or showing care and thought for the future.

Synonyms: wise, well judged, judicious

Antonyms: unwise, imprudent, incautious

Usage: "no prudent money manager would authorize a loan without first knowing its purpose".

8) Galvanized (verb)– चौंका देना

Meaning: shock or excite (someone) into taking action.

Synonyms: jolt, shock, startle, impel, stir, spur, prod

Antonyms: demotivate

Usage: "the urgency of his voice galvanized them into action"

9) Dexterity (noun) -- निपुणता

Meaning: skill in performing tasks, especially with the hands.

Synonyms: deftness, adeptness, adroitness, agility, nimbleness

Antonyms: clumsiness, stupidity, insensitivity

Usage: "her dexterity with chopsticks"

10) Incur (verb)– व्यय किया हुआ

Meaning: become subject to (something unwelcome or unpleasant) as a result of one's own behaviour or actions.

Synonyms: suffer, sustain, experience

Antonyms: avoid

Usage: "I will pay any expenses incurred"

Editorial – (08-04-2019)

1) Inflow (noun) -- भारी प्रवाह, समृद्धि

Meaning: the movement of a large number of people or things or a large amount of money into a place.

Synonyms: affluence, flux, income, influx

Antonyms: retreat, departure

Usage: "enormous inflows of foreign investment"

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2) Uptick (noun) -- अभिवृद्धि

Meaning: a small increase or slight upward trend.

Synonyms: accretion, accrual, addendum

Antonyms: abatement, decline, decrease

Usage: "an uptick in foreign tourism"

3) Robustness (noun) -- मजबूती

Meaning: the quality or condition of being strong and in good condition.

Synonyms: fitness, health, healthiness

Antonyms: debility, decrepitude, feebleness

Usage: "the overall robustness of national and international financial systems"

4) Dovish (adjective) -- युद्ध-विरोधी, संगीन

Meaning: supporting discussion or other peaceful solutions in political relationships rather than the use of force

Synonyms: anti-war, concord

Antonyms: militarist, militaristic

Usage: He is a dovish politician who was one of the signers of a model peace treaty.

5) Nimble (adjective) -- फुर्तीला

Meaning: quick and light in movement or action; agile.

Synonyms: agile, lithe, sprightly, acrobatic

Antonyms: stiff, clumsy, lumbering

Usage: "with a deft motion of her nimble fingers"

6) Trajectory (noun) -- प्रक्षेपवक्र

Meaning: the path followed by a projectile flying or an object moving under the action of given forces.

Synonyms: course, route, path, track

Antonyms: uncreativity

Usage: "the missile's trajectory was preset"

7) Disruptive (adjective) -- विघटनकारी

Meaning: causing or tending to cause disruption.

Synonyms: troublemaking, troublesome, unruly, rowdy

Antonyms: calming, disciplined

Usage: "breaking a disruptive technology into the market is never easy"

8) Erratic (adjective) -- अनियमित

Meaning: not even or regular in pattern or movement; unpredictable.

Synonyms: unpredictable, inconsistent, changeable

Antonyms: predictable, consistent

Usage: "her breathing was erratic"

9) Crippled (adjective) -- पंगु

Meaning: (of a person) unable to walk or move properly; disabled.

Synonyms: disable, paralyse, immobilize

Antonyms: aid, assist, cure

Usage: "a crippled old man"

10) Render (verb) -- प्रदान करना

Meaning: cause to be or become; make.

Synonyms: give, provide, supply, furnish

Antonyms: keep, retain, withhold

Usage: "money serves as a reward for services rendered"

Editorial – (09-04-2019)

1) Gauntlet (noun) -- चुनौती

Meaning: a severe trial / a glove worn with medieval armor to protect the hand / a dress glove extending above the wrist

Synonyms: challenge

Antonyms: accept

Usage: ran the gauntlet of criticism and censure

2) Fiery (adjective) -- उग्र

Meaning: consisting of fire or burning strongly and brightly.

Synonyms: burning, blazing, flaming

Antonyms: bland, indifferent

Usage: "the sun was a fiery ball low on the hills"

3) Rhetoric (noun) -- अलंकारशास्त्र

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Meaning: the art of effective or persuasive speaking or writing, especially the exploitation of figures of speech and other compositional techniques.

Synonyms: oratory, eloquence, power of speech

Antonyms: inarticulateness

Usage: "he is using a common figure of rhetoric, hyperbole"

4) Triumvirate (noun) -- तीनकासमूहयासंघ

Meaning: a group or association of three

Synonyms: threesome, triad, trifecta, trinity, trio, triple, triplet

Usage: In this emergent situation in the State, the rally must have brought some reassurance to the triumvirate of AkhileshYadav

5) Unambiguous (adjective) – स्पष्ट

Meaning: not open to more than one interpretation.

Synonyms: explicit, obvious

Antonyms: ambiguous, indefinite

Usage: "instructions should be unambiguous"

6) Deference (noun) -- सम्मान

Meaning: polite submission and respect.

Synonyms: respect, respectfulness

Antonyms: disrespect

Usage: "he addressed her with the deference due to age"

7) Coherence (noun) -- जुटना

Meaning: the quality of being logical and consistent.

Synonyms: consistency, logicity, good sense

Antonyms: incoherence

Usage: "this raises further questions on the coherence of state policy"

8) Inheritor (noun) -- पैतृकसम्पत्तिपानेवाला

Meaning: a person who inherits something; an heir.

Synonyms: heir, heiress, legatee, recipient

Antonyms: sender

Usage: "we are the inheritors of these cultural traditions"

9) Rump (noun) – शेषयाशेषभाग

Meaning: a small or unimportant remnant of something originally larger.

Synonyms: remainder, remaining part/number

Antonyms: front

Usage: "once the profitable enterprises have been sold the unprofitable rump will be left"

10) Blunting (verb) -- भुथराकरना

Meaning: make or become less sharp.

Synonyms: dull, deaden, dampen, soften, numb

Antonyms: sharpen, hone

Usage: "their determination had been blunted"

Editorial – (10-04-2019)

1) Unabashed (adjective)– शर्मिंदा नहीं

Meaning: not embarrassed, disconcerted, or ashamed.

Synonyms: unashamed, shameless, unembarrassed

Antonyms: abashed, ashamed, embarrassed

Usage: "he was unabashed by the furore his words provoked"

2) Glimpses (noun) -- झलक

Meaning: a momentary or partial view./see or perceive briefly or partially.

Synonyms: brief look, quick look

Antonyms: examine, overlook, oversee

Usage: "she caught a glimpse of the ocean"

3) Reiteration (noun) -- पुनरावृत्ति

Meaning: the action of repeating something, typically for emphasis or clarity.

Synonyms: echo, renew, repeat

Antonyms: take back

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Usage: "the reiteration of his campaign promise to cut taxes"

4) Scrutiny (noun) -- संवीक्षा

Meaning: critical observation or examination.

Synonyms: careful examination, inspection, survey, scan, study, perusal

Antonyms: flash, glance, glimpse, peek

Usage: "every aspect of local government was placed under scrutiny"

5) Monolith (noun) -- पत्थर का खंभा

Meaning: a large single upright block of stone, especially one shaped into or serving as a pillar or monument.

Synonyms: standing stone, menhir, sarsen

Antonyms: diversified

Usage: "we passed Stonehenge, the strange stone monoliths silhouetted against the horizon"

6) Emphatic (adjective) -- सशक्त

Meaning: expressing something forcibly and clearly.

Synonyms: vehement, firm, wholehearted, forceful

Antonyms: hesitant, tentative

Usage: "the children were emphatic that they would like to repeat the experience"

7) Fleeing (verb) -- भाग जाना

Meaning: run away from a place or situation of danger.

Synonyms: run away, run off, make a run for it, run for it, take flight, be gone

Antonyms: appear, materialize

Usage: "to escape the fighting, his family fled from their village"

8) Persecution (noun) -- जुल्म

Meaning: hostility and ill-treatment, especially because of race or political or religious beliefs; oppression.

Synonyms: oppression, victimization, maltreatment

Antonyms: happiness, joy

Usage: "her family fled religious persecution"

9) Boastful (adjective) -- अधिक अभिमान दिखाना

Meaning: "he always seemed to be rather boastful and above himself"

Synonyms: crowing, swaggering, braggart, overweening

Antonyms: modest, unassuming

Usage: "he always seemed to be rather boastful and above himself"

10) Strides (verb) -- लंबे, निर्णायक कदम के साथ चलना

Meaning: walk with long, decisive steps in a specified direction.

Synonyms: march, stalk, pace, tread

Antonyms: amble, meander, ramble, stroll, wander.

Usage: "he strode across the road"

Editorial – (11-04-2019)

1) Rebuff (verb) - झिड़कीकरना

Meaning: reject (someone or something) in an abrupt or ungracious manner.

Synonyms: turn down, spurn, refuse, decline, repudiate

Antonyms: accept, welcome

Usage: "I asked her to be my wife, and was rebuffed in no uncertain terms"

2) Legitimize (verb) - वैधकरना

Meaning: make legitimate.

Synonyms: validate, legitimate, permit, warrant

Antonyms: outlaw

Usage: "voters legitimize the government through the election of public officials"

3) Unanimous (adjective) - सर्वसम्मत

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Meaning: (of two or more people) fully in agreement.

Synonyms: in complete accord, of one mind, like-minded

Antonyms: divided, at odds

Usage: "the doctors were unanimous in their diagnoses"

4) Provenance (noun) - उत्पत्ति

Meaning: the beginning of something's existence; something's origin.

Synonyms: origin, source, place of origin

Antonyms: conclusion, effect, end

Usage: "they try to understand the whole universe, its provenance and fate"

5) Dissenting (adjective) - मतभेदयाअसहमति

Meaning: holding or expressing opinions that are at variance with those commonly or officially held.

Synonyms: differ, demur, diverge

Antonyms: assent, agree, accept

Usage: "there were a couple of dissenting voices"

6) Parleys (noun) - विवादार्थसम्मेलन

Meaning: a conference between opposing sides in a dispute, especially a discussion of terms for an armistice.

Synonyms: meeting, conference, summit, discussion

Antonyms: quiet, silence

Usage: "a parley is in progress and the invaders may withdraw"

7) Travesty (noun) - भड़ोआ

Meaning: a false, absurd, or distorted representation of something.

Synonyms: poor substitute, mockery, parody, caricature

Antonyms: homage, tribute

Usage: "the absurdly lenient sentence is a travesty of justice"

8) Revivifies (verb) - पुनर्जीवित

Meaning: give new life or vigour to.

Synonyms: animate, arouse, awaken

Antonyms: agitate, annoy

Usage: "they revived a wine industry that had all but vanished"

9) Consonance (noun) - सामंजस्य

Meaning: agreement or compatibility between opinions or actions.

Synonyms: agreement, concord, accord, accordance

Antonyms: disagreement, discord

Usage: "consonance between conservation measures and existing agricultural practice"

10) Murky (adjective) - अंधेरेऔरउदास

Meaning: dark and gloomy, especially due to thick mist.

Synonyms: luring, threatening, cheerless, depressing

Antonyms: Bright, sunny

Usage: "the sky was murky and a thin drizzle was falling"

Editorial – (12-04-2019)

1) Rescinded (verb) - रद्दकरदेना

Meaning: revoke, cancel, or repeal (a law, order, or agreement).

Synonyms: revoke, repeal, cancel, reverse, abrogate

Antonyms: enforce, enact

Usage: "the government eventually rescinded the directive"

2) Draconian (adjective) - बेरहम

Meaning: (of laws or their application) excessively harsh and severe.

Synonyms: harsh, severe, strict, extreme, drastic

Antonyms: mild

Usage: "the Nazis destroyed the independence of the press by a series of draconian laws"

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3) Perishable (adjective) - खराबहोनेवाला

Meaning: (especially of food) likely to decay or go bad quickly.

Synonyms: liable to rot, easily spoilt

Antonyms: imperishable

Usage: "the storage of perishable foods"

4) Emphasise (verb) - महत्त्वदेना

Meaning: give special importance or value to (something) in speaking or writing.

Synonyms: focus attention on, highlight, point up, spotlight

Antonyms: understate, play down

Usage: "they emphasize the need for daily, one-to-one contact between parent and child"

5) Unfettered (adjective) - अप्रतिबंधित

Meaning: not confined or restricted.

Synonyms: unrestrained, unrestricted, unconstrained

Antonyms: restricted, fettered

Usage: "his imagination is unfettered by the laws of logic"

6) Segregate (verb) - अलगकरना

Meaning: set apart from the rest or from each other; isolate or divide.

Synonyms: keep apart, sort out

Usage: "apprehensions about groups segregated from the rest of society"

7) Indictment (noun) - अभियोग

Meaning: a formal charge or accusation of a serious crime.

Synonyms: charge, accusation, arraignment

Antonyms: acquittal

Usage: "an indictment for conspiracy"

8) Contentious (adjective) - विवादास्पद

Meaning: causing or likely to cause an argument; controversial.

Synonyms: disputed, contended, open to question/debate

Antonyms: peaceable

Usage: "a contentious issue"

9) Fringe (noun) - झब्बेदारकिनारा

Meaning: an ornamental border of threads left loose or formed into tassels or twists, used to edge clothing or material.

Synonyms: edging, edge, border, hem

Antonyms: mainstream, middle

Usage: "a long grey skirt with a fringe"

10) Clinching (verb) - पुष्टिकरना

Meaning: confirm or settle (a contract or bargain).

Synonyms: bring off, complete, confirm, seal

Antonyms: delay, put off

Usage: "the Texan wanted to impress him to clinch a business deal"

Editorial – (13-04-2019)

1) Defiance (noun) -- साहसिकअवज्ञा

Meaning: open resistance; bold disobedience.

Synonyms: resistance, opposition, confrontation

Antonyms: submission, obedience

Usage: "an act of defiance"

2) Dispensation (noun) – छूट

Meaning: exemption from a rule or usual requirement.

Synonyms: exemption, immunity, exception, exclusion, exoneration

Antonyms: disfavor, denial

Usage: "although she was too young, she was given special dispensation to play before her birthday"

3) Arbiter (noun) -- विवाचक

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Meaning: a person who settles a dispute or has ultimate authority in a matter.

Synonyms: adjudicator, arbitrator, judge, umpire

Antonyms: appellant, claimant, disputant, litigant

Usage: "the Secretary of State is the final arbiter"

4) Reputation (noun) -- प्रसिद्धि

Meaning: the beliefs or opinions that are generally held about someone or something.

Synonyms: good name, character, repute, standing, stature

Antonyms: discredit, disrepute.

Usage: "his reputation was tarnished by allegations of bribery"

5) Transgressing (verb) -- सीमासेपरेजाना

Meaning: go beyond the limits of (what is morally, socially, or legally acceptable).

Synonyms: behave badly, break the law, err, lapse

Antonyms: obedience

Usage: "she had transgressed an unwritten social law"

6) Silhouette (noun) – रूपरेखा

Meaning: the dark shape and outline of someone or something visible in restricted light against a brighter background.

Synonyms: outline, contour(s), profile

Usage: "she paused to see its silhouette against the dimming sky"

7) Postulated (verb) – सुझावदेना

Meaning: suggest or assume the existence, fact, or truth of (something) as a basis for reasoning, discussion, or belief.

Synonyms: put forward, suggest, advance

Antonyms: disclaim

Usage: "his theory postulated a rotatory movement for hurricanes"

8) Tremendous (adjective) – बहुतविशाल

Meaning: very great in amount, scale, or intensity.

Synonyms: very great, huge, enormous, immense, colossal

Antonyms: tiny, small, slight, soft

Usage: "Penny put in a tremendous amount of time"

9) Expertise (noun) --

किसीविशेषक्षेत्रमेंविशेषज्ञकौशलयाज्ञान

Meaning: expert skill or knowledge in a particular field.

Synonyms: skill, skilfulness, expertness, prowess

Antonyms: incompetence

Usage: "technical expertise"

10) Unrelenting (adjective) --- बेदर्द

Meaning: not yielding in strength, severity, or determination.

Synonyms: implacable, inflexible, uncompromising

Antonyms: intermittent, spasmodic

Usage: "the heat was unrelenting"

Editorial – (15-03-2019)

1) Eluding (verb) - बचनिकालना

Meaning: escape from or avoid (a danger, enemy, or pursuer), typically in a skilful or cunning way.

Synonyms: evade, avoid, get away from, dodge

Antonyms: be caught by

Usage: "he tried to elude the security men by sneaking through a back door"

2) Asylum (noun) - पागलखानायाअस्पताल

Meaning: the protection granted by a state to someone who has left their home country as a political refugee.

Synonyms: psychiatric hospital, mental hospital

Antonyms: danger

Usage: "she applied for asylum and was granted refugee status"

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3) Conventions (noun) - सम्मेलनों

Meaning: a way in which something is usually done./an agreement between states covering particular matters, especially one less formal than a treaty.

Synonyms: agreement, accord, protocol, compact

Antonyms: disagreement, discord

Usage: "the convention, signed by the six states bordering on the Black Sea, aims to prevent further pollution"

4) Assault (verb) - हमलाकरना

Meaning: make a physical attack on.

Synonyms: physically attack, aim blows at, slap, smack, beat, thrash

Antonyms: defense, defensive, guard

Usage: "he pleaded guilty to assaulting a police officer"

5) Conspiracy (noun) - षडयन्त्र

Meaning: a secret plan by a group to do something unlawful or harmful.

Synonyms: plot, scheme, stratagem, plan

Antonyms: faithfulness, honesty

Usage: "a conspiracy to destroy the government"

6) Espionage (noun) - जासूसीयानिगरानी

Meaning: the practice of spying or of using spies, typically by governments to obtain political and military information.

Synonyms: surveillance, reconnaissance, intelligence, eavesdropping

Antonyms: surveillance wisdom

Usage: "the camouflage and secrecy of espionage"

7) Extradited (verb) - प्रत्यर्पित

Meaning: hand over (a person accused or convicted of a crime) to the jurisdiction of the foreign state in which the crime was committed.

Synonyms: deport, hand over, send back

Antonyms: hold, keep

Usage: "Brazil refused to extradite him to Britain"

8) Endangered (adjective) - लुप्तप्राय

Meaning: (of a species) seriously at risk of extinction.

Synonyms: imperil, jeopardize, risk

Antonyms: guard, protect, shelter

Usage: "legislation to protect endangered species"

9) Clamouring (verb) - कोलाहलकरना

Meaning: (of a group of people) shout loudly and insistently.

Synonyms: shout loudly, bay, scream, shriek

Antonyms: mumble, mumbling, murmur, murmuring, rumble, rumbling

Usage: "the surging crowds clamoured for attention"

10) Dissemination (noun) - प्रसार

Meaning: the action or fact of spreading something, especially information, widely.

Synonyms: spreading, circulation, distribution, dispersal, diffusion

Antonyms: cloak, conceal, enshroud

Usage: "the dissemination of public information"

Editorial – (16-03-2019)

1) Shrank (verb) - सिकुड़जाना

Meaning: become or make smaller in size or amount.

Synonyms: get smaller, become/grow smaller, contract, diminish, lessen

Antonyms: expand, increase

Usage: "the workforce shrank to a thousand"

2) Threshold (noun) - दहलीज़

Meaning: a strip of wood or stone forming the bottom of a doorway and crossed in entering a house or room.

Synonyms: doorsill, doorway, entrance, entry

Antonyms: close, conclusion, end, ending, omega

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Usage: "he stood on the threshold of Sheila's bedroom"

3) Trajectory (noun) - प्रक्षेपवक्र

Meaning: the path followed by a projectile flying or an object moving under the action of given forces.

Synonyms: course, route, path, track, line, orbit

Usage: "the missile's trajectory was preset"

4) Bolster (verb) - समर्थनयामजबूतकरना

Meaning: support or strengthen.

Synonyms: strengthen, support, reinforce

Antonyms: undermine

Usage: "the fall in interest rates is starting to bolster confidence"

5) Fostering (verb) - कोबढावादेना

Meaning: encourage the development of (something, especially something desirable).

Synonyms: encourage, promote, further, stimulate

Antonyms: neglect, suppress, destroy

Usage: "the teacher's task is to foster learning"

6) Mammoth (noun) - विशाल

Meaning: a large extinct elephant of the Pleistocene epoch, typically hairy with a sloping back and long curved tusks.

Synonyms: huge, enormous, gigantic, giant, colossal

Antonyms: tiny

Usage: "a mammoth corporation"

7) Slump (verb) - गिरपड़ना

Meaning: sit, lean, or fall heavily and limply.

Synonyms: sit heavily, flop, flump, collapse

Antonyms: rise, soar

Usage: "she slumped against the cushions"

8) Amicably (adverb) - मित्रभावसे

Meaning: in a friendly and peaceable manner.

Synonyms: agreeable, compatible, congenial, frictionless

Antonyms: unfriendly, hostile

Usage: "they have amicably resolved their outstanding dispute"

9) Militancy (noun) - आक्रामकता

Meaning: the use of confrontational or violent methods in support of a political or social cause.

Synonyms: aggression, aggressiveness, assaultiveness

Antonyms: nonaggression, pacifism

Usage: "there are signs of growing militancy among workers"

10) Dented (verb) - घटाना

Meaning: have an adverse effect on; diminish.

Synonyms: diminish, reduce, lessen, shrink

Antonyms: increase

Usage: "this neither deterred him nor dented his enthusiasm"

Editorial – (17-04-2019)

1) Status quo (noun) -- यथास्थिति

Meaning: the existing state of affairs, especially regarding social or political issues.

Synonyms: normalcy, normality

Antonyms: abnormality

Usage: "they have a vested interest in maintaining the status quo"

2) Asymmetry (noun) -- असममिति

Meaning: lack of equality or equivalence between parts or aspects of something; lack of symmetry.

Synonyms: unbalanced, unsymmetrical

Antonyms: balanced, symmetrical (or symmetric)

Usage: "there was an asymmetry between the right and left ears"

3) Anonymity (noun) -- अनामिता

Meaning: the condition of being anonymous.

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Synonyms: facelessness, namelessness, nowhere, nowheresville, obscurity, silence

Antonyms: character, mark, name, note, rep [slang], report, reputation, repute

Usage: "the official spoke on condition of anonymity"

4) Litigation (noun) -- मुकदमेबाज़ी

Meaning: the process of taking legal action.

Synonyms: legal proceeding(s), legal action, lawsuit, legal dispute

Antonyms: exonerate

Usage: "he objected to some passages in the book, but did not resort to litigation"

5) Sanctity (noun) -- पवित्रता

Meaning: the state or quality of being holy, sacred, or saintly.

Synonyms: holiness, godliness, sacredness

Antonyms: wickedness

Usage: "the site of the tomb was a place of sanctity for the ancient Egyptians"

6) Premise (verb) – केआधारपर

Meaning: base an argument, theory, or undertaking on

Synonyms: assumption, given, hypothetical, if, postulate, presumption, presupposition, supposition

Antonyms: deny, disavow, disclaim, disown, reject, repudiate

Usage: "the reforms were premised on our findings"

7) Opacity (noun) -- अपारदर्शिता

Meaning: the quality of lacking transparency or translucence.

Synonyms: opaqueness, non-transparency, lack of transparency

Antonyms: clarity, limpidity

Usage: "the difficulty and opacity in Barthes' texts"

8) Proactive (adjective) – सक्रिय

Meaning: (of a person or action) creating or controlling a situation rather than just responding to it after it has happened.

Synonyms: enterprising, take-charge, energetic

Antonyms: half-baked, half-cocked, improvident, myopic, shortsighted

Usage: "employers must take a proactive approach to equal pay"

9) Infusing (verb) – व्यासकरण

Meaning: fill; pervade.

Synonyms: pervade, permeate, suffuse

Antonyms: eliminate, remove, take away

Usage: "infuse the dried flowers in boiling water"

10) Quelled (verb) -- काबूकरना

Meaning: put an end to (a rebellion or other disorder), typically by the use of force.

Synonyms: put an end to, stamp out, put a stop to, end, finish, get rid of

Antonyms: bring about, prompt

Usage: "extra police were called to quell the disturbance"

Editorial – (19-04-2019)

1) Plight (noun)

Meaning: a dangerous, difficult, or otherwise unfortunate situation.

Synonyms: sad state, trouble, difficulty, mess, dire straits

Antonyms: delight, joy, pleasure

Usage: "we must direct our efforts towards relieving the plight of children living in poverty"

2) Carcasses (noun)

Meaning: the dead body of an animal.

Synonyms: dead body, body, remains, skeleton

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Antonyms: intellect, intelligence, mind, soul, spirit

Usage: "she saw the mud-covered carcass of a sheep"

3) Bleak (adjective)

Meaning: (of an area of land) lacking vegetation and exposed to the elements.

Synonyms: denuded, lunar, open, empty, windswept

Antonyms: lush, verdant

Usage: "a bleak and barren moor"

4) Lobby (verb)

Meaning: seek to influence (a legislator) on an issue.

Synonyms: importune, persuade, influence, sway

Antonyms: discourage, dissuade, leave alone

Usage: "they insist on their right to lobby Congress"

5) Evinced (verb)

Meaning: reveal the presence of (a quality or feeling); indicate.

Synonyms: make manifest, manifest, indicate, display, exhibit

Antonyms: conceal

Usage: "the news stories evinced the usual mixture of sympathy and satisfaction"

6) Turbulence (noun)

Meaning: violent or unsteady movement of air or water, or of some other fluid.

Synonyms: turmoil, instability, conflict, upheaval, tumult, troubles, unrest

Antonyms: peace, calmness

Usage: "the plane shuddered as it entered some turbulence"

7) Perilous (adjective)

Meaning: full of danger or risk.

Synonyms: fraught with danger, hazardous, risky, unsafe, treacherous

Antonyms: safe, secure

Usage: "a perilous journey south"

8) Cocktail (noun)

Meaning: an alcoholic drink consisting of a spirit or spirits mixed with other ingredients, such as fruit juice or cream.

Synonyms: grasshopper manhattan

Antonyms: sweeten harmonious

Usage: "we began with prawn and avocado cocktail"

9) Buoyed (verb)

Meaning: keep (someone or something) afloat.

Synonyms: bolster, boost

Antonyms: bring down, depress

Usage: "the creatures could swim, both buoyed up and cooled by the water"

10) Prodding (verb)

Meaning: poke with a finger, foot, or pointed object.

Synonyms: poke, jab, dig, nudge, elbow, butt, push

Antonyms: discourage, dissuade

Usage: "he prodded her in the ribs"

Editorial – (20-04-2019)

1) arraigned (verb) -

Meaning: call or bring (someone) before a court to answer a criminal charge.

Synonyms: indict, prosecute, put on trial

Antonyms: clear, acquit

Usage: "her sister was arraigned on charges of attempted murder"

2) conspirator (noun) -

Meaning: a person who takes part in a conspiracy.

Synonyms: intriguer, colluder, collaborator

Antonyms: innocent

Usage: "conspirators had planned to seize the state"

3) credentials (noun) -

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Meaning: a qualification, achievement, quality, or aspect of a person's background, especially when used to indicate their suitability for something.

Synonyms: capability, goods, qualification, stuff

Antonyms: disapproval, refusal

Usage: "recruitment is based mainly on academic credentials"

4) totemic (adjective) -

Meaning: regarded as being symbolic or representative of a particular quality or concept.

Synonyms: consanguineous, innate

Usage: "the totemic image of Bogart represents an immutably powerful mystique"

5) fringe (noun) -

Meaning: an ornamental border of threads left loose or formed into tassels or twists, used to edge clothing or material.

Synonyms: edging, edge, border, hem, trimming, frill

Antonyms: mainstream, middle

Usage: "a long grey skirt with a fringe"

6) entail (verb) -

Meaning: involve (something) as a necessary or inevitable part or consequence.

Synonyms: make necessary, require, need, demand

Antonyms: exclude, leave (out), miss out [British], omit

Usage: "a situation which entails considerable risks"

7) pendency (noun) -

Meaning: the state, condition, or period of being pending or awaiting settlement.

Synonyms: suspense, undecided

Antonyms: obvious

Usage: "the defendant should be restrained from further public comment during the pendency of the trial"

8) vindictive (adjective) -

Meaning: having or showing a strong or unreasoning desire for revenge.

Synonyms: out for revenge, revengeful, avenging, unforgiving, grudge-bearing

Antonyms: forgiving

Usage: "the criticism was both vindictive and personalized"

9) tortuous (adjective) -

Meaning: full of twists and turns.

Synonyms: twisting, winding, curving, curvy, bending, sinuous, undulating

Antonyms: straight

Usage: "the route is remote and tortuous"

10) competent (adjective) -

Meaning: having the necessary ability, knowledge, or skill to do something successfully.

Synonyms: capable, able, proficient, adept, adroit, accomplished

Antonyms: incompetent

Usage: "an infinitely competent mother of three"

Editorial – (22-03-2019)

1) Preside (verb) -- अध्यक्षता करना

Meaning: be in the position of authority in a meeting or other gathering.

Synonyms: chair, take the chair

Antonyms: ancillary, inferior, last, less

Usage: "the prime minister will preside at an emergency cabinet meeting"

2) Onslaught (noun) -- घातक आक्रमण

Meaning: a fierce or destructive attack.

Synonyms: assault, attack, offensive, aggression, advance

Antonyms: defense, defensive, guard, shield

Usage: "a series of onslaughts on the citadel"

3) Deplorable (adjective) -- खेदजनक

Meaning: deserving strong condemnation; completely unacceptable.

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Synonyms: disgraceful, shameful, dishonourable, disreputable

Antonyms: excellent

Usage: "children living in deplorable conditions"

4) Aggrieved (adjective) – व्यथित

Meaning: feeling resentment at having been unfairly treated.

Synonyms: affronted, indignant, disgruntled, discontented

Antonyms: pleased

Usage: "they were aggrieved at the outcome"

5) Anguish (verb)– पीड़ा होना

Meaning: severe mental or physical pain or suffering.

Synonyms: agony, pain, torment, torture, suffering, distress

Antonyms: happiness, contentment

Usage: "she shut her eyes in anguish"

6) Contended (verb)– संघर्ष करना

Meaning: struggle to surmount (a difficulty).

Synonyms: cope with, face, grapple with, deal with

Antonyms: deny, gainsay

Usage: "she had to contend with his uncertain temper"

7) Purported (adjective)– कथित

Meaning: appearing or stated to be true, though not necessarily so; alleged.

Synonyms: claim, lay claim, profess, pretend

Antonyms: challenge, dispute, question

Usage: "the purported marriage was void"

8) Acquiescent (adjective)– संतुष्ट

Meaning: ready to accept something without protest, or to do what someone else wants.

Synonyms: compliant, complying, consenting, cooperative

Antonyms: balky, perverse, wayward, wrongheaded

Usage: "his acquiescent mood"

9) Redacted (verb) -- संपादन करना

Meaning: edit (text) for publication.

Synonyms: adjusted, amended

Antonyms: kept, left behind

Usage: "a confidential memo which has been redacted from 25 pages to just one paragraph"

10) Exonerates (verb) -- हक़ बहाल करना

Meaning: (of an official body) absolve (someone) from blame for a fault or wrongdoing.

Synonyms: absolve, clear, acquit, declare innocent

Antonyms: charge, convict

Usage: "an inquiry exonerated those involved"

Editorial – (23-03-2019)

1) Strife (Noun) -- कलह

Definition: Angry or bitter disagreement over fundamental issues; conflict.

Synonyms: Conflict, Friction, Discord and Disagreement

Antonyms: Harmony, Peace, Cooperation

Usage: It is a monumental tragedy for a country that is trying to live down the **strife** that lasted more than a quarter century.

2) Grapple (Verb) – जूझना

Definition: Struggle to deal with or overcome (a difficulty or challenge).

Synonyms: Tackle, Confront

Antonyms: Avoid

Usage: Other towns are still grappling with the problem.

3) Deteriorating (Adjective)– और बिगड़ना

Definition: Becoming progressively worse.

Synonyms: Degenerate, Decay

Antonyms: Improve

Usage: The spectre of ethnic relations between various communities **deteriorating** also looms.

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4) Acrimony (Noun) -- कटुता

Definition: Bitterness or ill feeling.

Synonyms: Bitterness, Rancour, Resentment

Antonyms: Goodwill

Usage: However, nothing in such incidents suggested any **acrimony** that could have led up to the sort of savagery seen on Easter day.

5) Putative (Adjective)– मुख्य

Definition: Appearing to be true on the basis of evidence that may or may not be confirmed

Synonyms: Apparent, Assumed, Evident, Ostensible

Antonyms: Hidden, Inapparent

Usage: The putative reason for her dismissal was poor job performance

6) Intriguing (Adjective) -- साज़िश का

Definition: Arouse the curiosity or interest of; fascinate.

Synonyms: Interest, Be of interest to, Fascinate

Antonyms: Bore

Usage: An intriguing story

7) Reconnoitre (Verb)– सर्वेक्षण या अन्वेषण करना

Definition: Make a military observation of (a region).

Synonyms: Survey, Explore

Usage: They reconnoitred the beach some weeks before the landing

8) Fraught (Adjective)– चिंतित होना

Definition: Causing or affected by anxiety or stress.

Synonyms: Anxious, Worried, Upset, Distraught

Antonyms: Calm

Usage: The Central government's decision to suspend trade across the Line of Control between Jammu and Kashmir and Pakistan-occupied Kashmir is bad in conception, and comes at a particularly fraught time.

9) Stringent (Adjective)– सख्त

Definition: (of regulations, requirements, or conditions) strict, precise, and exacting.

Synonyms: Strict, Firm, Rigid, Rigorous

Antonyms: Lenient, Flexible

Usage: Stringent guidelines on air pollution.

10) Shrill (Adjective) -- अनिमेष

Definition: (of a voice or sound) high-pitched and piercing.

Synonyms: High-pitched, Piercing, High, Sharp

Antonyms: Low, Soft, Dulcet

Usage: The current suspension comes in the course of a **shrill** election campaign that the ruling BJP is relentlessly pulling towards its hard line on subjects such as Article 370 on the special status of J&K.

Editorial – (24-04-2019)

1) Bullying (verb) – धमकाया जाना

Meaning: seek to harm, intimidate, or coerce (someone perceived as vulnerable).

Synonyms: persecute, oppress, tyrannize, torment

Antonyms: atrocious, awful, execrable, lousy, pathetic, poor, rotten, terrible, vile, wretched

Usage: "her 11- year-old son has been constantly bullied at school"

2) Intransigent (adjective) -- अनभिलाषित

Meaning: unwilling or refusing to change one's views or to agree about something.

Synonyms: uncompromising, inflexible, unbending, unyielding

Antonyms: compliant, flexible

Usage: "her father had tried persuasion, but she was intransigent"

3) Unviable (adjective) -- अव्यावहारिक

Meaning: not capable of working successfully; not feasible.

Synonyms: impractical, unrealistic, doubtful, dubious

Antonyms: achievable, attainable, doable

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Usage: "the commission found the plan to be financially unviable"

4) Pragmatic (adjective) -- व्यावहारिक

Meaning: dealing with things sensibly and realistically in a way that is based on practical rather than theoretical considerations.

Synonyms: commonsensical, hard-headed, expedient, businesslike

Antonyms: impractical, unrealistic, idealistic

Usage: "a pragmatic approach to politics"

5) Reprieve (verb) -- सजा को स्थगित करना

Meaning: cancel or postpone the punishment of (someone, especially someone condemned to death).

Synonyms: postponement of punishment, remission, suspension of punishment, respite

Antonyms: charge, punish

Usage: "under the new regime, prisoners under sentence of death were reprieved"

6) Inflationary (adjective) -- मुद्रास्फीति

Meaning: characterized by or tending to cause monetary inflation.

Synonyms: affectation, affectedness, grandiosity, pretense (or pretence), pretension, pretentiousness

Antonyms: demureness, down-to-earthness, humbleness, humility, lowliness, meekness, modesty

Usage: "the Prime Minister came close to accusing the Chancellor of starting the inflationary spiral"

7) Jeopardize (verb) -- खतरे में डालना

Meaning: put (someone or something) into a situation in which there is a danger of loss, harm, or failure.

Synonyms: threaten, endanger, imperil, menace, risk

Antonyms: safeguard

Usage: "a devaluation of the dollar would jeopardize New York's position as a financial centre"

8) Blatant (adjective) -- ज़बरदस्त

Meaning: (of bad behaviour) done openly and unashamedly.

Synonyms: flagrant, glaring, obvious, undisguised, unconcealed

Antonyms: inconspicuous, subtle

Usage: "blatant lies"

9) Inevitable (adjective) -- अवश्यंभावी

Meaning: certain to happen; unavoidable.

Synonyms: unavoidable, inescapable, bound to happen

Antonyms: avoidable, uncertain

Usage: "war was inevitable"

10) Corrosive (adjective) -- संक्षारक

Meaning: tending to cause corrosion.

Synonyms: erosive, abrasive, biting, mordant, burning

Antonyms: amusing, droll, merry, playful, sportive, waggish

Usage: "the corrosive effects of salt water"

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1) Pragmatic (Adjective) - व्यावहारिक

Meaning: Dealing with things sensibly and realistically in a way that is based on practical rather than theoretical considerations

Synonyms: Practical, matter-of-fact, realistic, sensible

Antonyms: Impractical, unrealistic, idealistic

Usage: A pragmatic approach to politics

2) Reprieve (Noun) - दण्डविराम

Meaning: Cancel or postpone the punishment of (someone, especially someone condemned to death).

Synonyms: Pardon, spare, acquit, grant an amnesty to, amnesty

Antonyms: Charge, punish

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Usage: Under the new regime, prisoners under sentence of death were **reprieved**

3) Blatant (Adjective) - ज़बरदस्त

Meaning: Done openly and unashamedly

Synonyms: Flagrant, glaring, obvious, undisguised

Antonyms: Inconspicuous, subtle

Usage: **Blatant** lies

4) Jeopardize (Verb) - खतरेमेंडालना

Meaning: Put (someone or something) into a situation in which there is a danger of loss, harm

Synonyms: Threaten, endanger, imperil, menace, risk

Antonyms: Safeguard

Usage: A devaluation of the dollar would **jeopardize** New York's position as a financial centre

5) Arbitrary (Adjective) - मनमाना

Meaning: Based on random choice or personal whim, rather than any reason or system

Synonyms: Capricious, whimsical, random, chance

Antonyms: Rational, reasoned

Usage: An **arbitrary** decision

6) Incumbent (Adjective) - पदधारी

Meaning: Necessary for (someone) as a duty or responsibility

Synonyms: Binding, obligatory, mandatory, necessary, compulsory,

Antonyms: Optional

Usage: It is **incumbent** on the government to give a clear lead

7) Hefty (Noun) - बड़ाऔरभारी

Meaning: Large and heavy

Synonyms: Burly, heavy, sturdy, strapping, bulky

Antonyms: Slight, gaunt, light

Usage: A **Hefty** young chap

8) Conducive (Adjective) - अनुकूल

Meaning: Making a certain situation or outcome likely or possible

Synonyms: Favourable, beneficial, valuable, advantageous

Antonyms: Unfavourable

Usage: An environment which is **conducive** to learning

9) Inevitable (Noun) - अवश्यंभावी

Meaning: Certain to happen; unavoidable

Synonyms: Unavoidable, inescapable, bound to happen

Antonyms: Avoidable, uncertain

Usage: War was **inevitable**

10) Accuse (Verb) – आरोपलगाना

Meaning: Charge (someone) with an offence or crime

Synonyms: Charge with, indict for, arraign for, take to court for

Antonyms: Absolve, clear, exonerate

Usage: He was **accused** of murdering his wife's lover

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1) Anomalous (Adjective) - नियमविरुद्ध

Meaning: Deviating from what is standard, normal, or expected

Synonyms: Abnormal, atypical, non-typical, irregular

Antonyms: Normal, typical, regular

Usage: An anomalous situation

2) Deter (Verb) - हतोत्साहकरना

Meaning: Discourage (someone) from doing something by instilling doubt or fear of the consequences

Synonyms: Put off, discourage, dissuade, scare off; warn, caution

Antonyms: Encourage

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Usage: Only a health problem would deter him from seeking re-election

3) Steep (Adjective) - तीव्रढलानवाला

Meaning: Rising or falling sharply

Synonyms: Precipitous, sheer, abrupt, sharp,

Antonyms: Gentle

Usage: She pushed the bike up the steep hill

4) Eulogize (Verb) - स्तुतिकरना

Meaning: Praise highly in speech or writing

Synonyms: Express delight over, acclaim, extol

Antonyms: Criticize

Usage: He was eulogized as a rock star

5) Pursue (Verb) - पीछाकरना

Meaning: Follow or chase (someone or something)

Synonyms: Hunt, stalk, track, trail, trace

Antonyms: Avoid, flee

Usage: The officer pursued the van

6) Robust (Adjective) - मजबूत

Meaning: Strong and healthy

Synonyms: Strong, vigorous, sturdy, tough, powerful,

Antonyms: Weak, frail

Usage: The Caplan family are a robust lot"

7) Illiberal (Adjective) - अनुदार

Meaning: Opposed to liberal principles

Synonyms: Intolerant, narrow-minded, unenlightened

Antonyms: Liberal

Usage: Illiberal and anti-democratic policies

8) Rigorous (Adjective) -- कठोर

Meaning: Extremely thorough and careful

Synonyms: Meticulous, punctilious, conscientious, careful

Antonyms: Slapdash

Usage: The rigorous testing of consumer products

9) Prudence (Noun) – विवेक

Meaning: The quality of being prudent; cautiousness

Synonyms: Wisdom, judgement, good judgement, judiciousness,

Antonyms: Folly, recklessness

Usage: We need to exercise prudence in such important matters

10) Hatred (Noun) – घृणा

Meaning: Intense dislike; hate

Synonyms: Loathing, hate, detestation, dislike

Antonyms: Love, liking

Usage: Racial hatred

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1) Gruesome (Adjective) - भीषण

Meaning: Causing repulsion or horror; grisly

Synonyms: Grisly, ghastly, frightful, horrid, horrifying, fearful

Antonyms: Pleasant

Usage: The most gruesome murder

2) Fragile (Adjective) - नाजुक

Meaning: Easily broken or damaged

Synonyms: Breakable, easily broken, brittle, frangible, smashable

Antonyms: Robust

Usage: Fragile items such as glass and china

3) Prominence (Noun) - विशिष्टता

Meaning: The state of being important, famous, or noticeable

Synonyms: Fame, celebrity, eminence, pre-eminence, importance

Antonyms: Obscurity, depression, unimportance, hollow, insignificance

Usage: She came to prominence as an artist in the 1960s

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4) Absence (Noun) - अनुपस्थिति

Meaning: The state of being away from a place or person

Synonyms: Non-attendance, non-appearance, absenteeism

Antonyms: Presence, attendance

Usage: The letter had arrived during his absence

5) Hostile (Adjective) - शत्रुतापूर्ण

Meaning: Showing or feeling opposition or dislike; unfriendly

Synonyms: Antagonistic, aggressive, confrontational, belligerent, bellicose

Antonyms: Friendly, mild

Usage: A hostile audience

6) Devolve (Verb) - प्रत्यायोजितकरना

Meaning: Transfer or delegate (power) to a lower level, especially from central government to local or regional administration

Synonyms: Delegate, pass (down/on), hand down/over/on, depute, transfer

Antonyms: Centralize, retain

Usage: Measures to devolve power to a Scottish assembly

7) Credence (Noun) - स्वीकृति

Meaning: Belief in or acceptance of something as true

Synonyms: Acceptance, belief, faith, trust, confidence

Antonyms: Disbelief, discredit, distrust, doubt, mistrust

Usage: Psychoanalysis finds little credence among laymen

8) Conspiracy (Noun) - षडयन्त्र

Meaning: A secret plan by a group to do something unlawful or harmful

Synonyms: Plot, scheme, stratagem, plan, machination, cabal

Antonyms: Faithfulness, honesty, ignorance, loyalty

Usage: A conspiracy to destroy the government

9) Subsequent (Adjective) - उत्तरवर्ती

Meaning: Coming after something in time; following

Synonyms: Following, ensuing, succeeding, successive, later, future

Antonyms: Previous, prior, former, prior to

Usage: The theory was developed subsequent to the earthquake of 1906

10) Disgruntled (Adjective) - असंतुष्ट

Meaning: Angry or dissatisfied

Synonyms: Dissatisfied, discontented, aggrieved, resentful, fed up

Antonyms: Pleased, contented

Usage: Judges receive letters from disgruntled members of the public

11) Emphasize (Verb) - महत्त्वदेना

Meaning: Give special importance or value to (something) in speaking or writing

Synonyms: Bring/call/draw attention to, focus attention on, highlight

Antonyms: Understate, play down

Usage: They emphasize the need for daily, one-to-one contact between parent and child

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1) Emerge (Adjective) - उभरना

Meaning: Move out of or away from something and become visible

Synonyms: Come out, appear, come into view, become visible

Antonyms: Disappear

Usage: Black ravens **emerged** from the fog

2) Nudge (Verb) - कुहनीसेहलकाधक्का

Meaning: Touch or push (something) gently or gradually

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Synonyms: Touch, bump (against), push (against), run into

Antonyms: Drag, draw, haul, jerk, tow, trail

Usage: The canoe **nudged** a bank of reeds

3) Congested (Adjective) - भीड़भाड़

Meaning: So crowded with traffic or people as to hinder or prevent freedom of movement

Synonyms: Crowded, overcrowded, full, overfull, overflowing

Antonyms: Clear

Usage: The **congested** streets of the West End

4) Proliferation (Noun) - तीव्रवृद्धि

Meaning: Rapid increase in the number or amount of something

Synonyms: Growth, multiplication, spread, escalation, expansion

Antonyms: Decrease

Usage: A continuing threat of nuclear **proliferation**

5) Negate (Verb) - निष्फलनकारना

Meaning: Make ineffective; nullify

Synonyms: Invalidate, nullify, render null and void

Antonyms: Confirm, support, validate

Usage: Alcohol **negates** the effects of the drug

6) Deterioration (Noun) – बदतरहोनायाबिगड़ना

Meaning: The process of becoming progressively worse

Synonyms: Worsening, decline, decay, collapse, failure, fall, drop

Antonyms: Improvement

Usage: A **deterioration** in the condition of the patient

7) Mitigation (Noun) - शमन

Meaning: The action of reducing the severity, seriousness

Synonyms: Alleviation, reduction, diminution, lessening, easing, weakening

Antonyms: Intensification

Usage: The identification and **mitigation** of pollution

8) Respite (Noun) – राहतयाविराम

Meaning: A short period of rest or relief from something difficult or unpleasant

Synonyms: Rest, break, breathing space, interval, intermission

Antonyms: Advance, beginning, blame, censure, commencement

Usage: The refugee encampments will provide some **respite** from the suffering

9) Prohibition (Noun) - मनाही

Meaning: The action of forbidding something, especially by law

Synonyms: Banning, forbidding, prohibiting, barring

Antonyms: Allowance, approval, clearance, help

Usage: They argue that **prohibition** of drugs will always fail

10) Equitable (Adjective) - साम्यिक

Meaning: Fair and impartial

Synonyms: Fair, just; impartial, even-handed, fair-minded, unbiased

Antonyms: Inequitable, unfair

Usage: The **equitable** distribution of resources

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1) Contempt (Noun) - तिरस्कार

Meaning: The feeling that a person or a thing is worthless or beneath consideration

Synonyms: Scorn, disdain, disrespect, deprecation

Antonyms: Respect

Usage: Pam stared at the girl with total contempt

2) Defiance (Noun) - आज्ञाकाउल्लंघनकरना

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Meaning: Open resistance; bold disobedience

Synonyms: Resistance, opposition, confrontation; non-compliance, disobedience

Antonyms: Submission, obedience

Usage: An act of defiance

3) Transparency (Noun) - पारदर्शिता

Meaning: The condition of being transparent

Synonyms: Translucency, lucidity, pellucidity, limpidness

Antonyms: Opacity, cloudiness, obscurity, ambiguity

Usage: The transparency of ice

4) Reluctance (Noun) - अनिच्छा

Meaning: Unwillingness or disinclination to do something

Synonyms: Unwillingness, disinclination, lack of enthusiasm; hesitation

Antonyms: Willingness, eagerness

Usage: She sensed his reluctance to continue

5) Prominent (Adjective) - प्रसिद्ध

Meaning: Important; famous

Synonyms: Important, well known, leading, eminent, pre-eminent, distinguished, notable

Antonyms: Unimportant, obscure, unknown

Usage: She was a prominent member of the city council

6) Rival (Noun) - प्रतिद्वंद्वी

Meaning: A person or thing competing with another for the same objective or for superiority in the same field of activity

Synonyms: Competitor, opponent, contestant, contender, challenger

Antonyms: Partner, ally

Usage: He has no serious rival for the job

7) Proponent (Noun) - प्रस्तावक

Meaning: A person who advocates a theory, proposal, or course of action

Synonyms: Advocate, supporter, upholder, exponent, promoter, adherent

Antonyms: Adversary, antagonist, opponent, detractor

Usage: A strong proponent of the free market and liberal trade policies

8) Insurgent (Noun) - विद्रोही

Meaning: A person fighting against a government or invading force; a rebel or revolutionary

Synonyms: Rebel, revolutionary, revolutionist, mutineer, agitator, subversive

Antonyms: Loyalist

Usage: An attack by armed insurgents

9) Disavow (Noun) - मुकरना

Meaning: Deny any responsibility or support for

Synonyms: Deny, disclaim, disown, wash one's hands of; reject

Antonyms: Acknowledge, avow, own, admit, allow, claim

Usage: The union leaders resisted pressure to disavow picket-line violence

10) Endorse (Verb) - पृष्ठांकितकरना

Meaning: Declare one's public approval or support of

Synonyms: Support, back, approve (of), be in agreement with, favour

Antonyms: Oppose

Usage: The report was endorsed by the college

11) Invasion (Noun) - आक्रमण

Meaning: An instance of invading a country or region with an armed force

Synonyms: Occupation, conquering, capture, seizure, annexation, annexing, takeover

Antonyms: Withdrawal

Usage: Napoleon's disastrous invasion of Russia in 1812

12) Regret (Verb) - खेदप्रकटकरना

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Meaning: Feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over (something that one has done or failed to do)

Synonyms: Be sorry about, feel contrite about, feel apologetic about, feel remorse about/for

Antonyms: Applaud, welcome

Usage: She immediately regretted her words



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