

## WORD LIST-2 (JUN 22, 2022)

1. sport (verb) - display, exhibit, show off.
2. look (noun) - appearance.
3. unfinished (adjective) - incomplete.
4. unfinished business (noun) – incomplete work.
5. await (verb) – wait for.
6. bilateral (adjective) – involving two groups or countries.
7. deem (verb) - consider, regard as, see, view.
8. after-thought (noun) – second thought, reconsideration.
9. appendage (noun) – addition, attachment, addendum.
10. hype (noun) – publicity.
11. reserve (verb) – retain, keep, hold, secure, earmark, arrange for.
12. glamorous (adjective) - exciting, stimulating, thrilling, fascinating, high profile, extravagant, showy.
13. feature (verb) - present, give prominence to, focus attention on.
14. under one's belt (phrase) – having achieved something important/useful; satisfactorily achieved, satisfactorily experienced.
15. build-up (noun) – a period of preparation before an important event.
16. fit into (phrasal verb) - constitute part of a particular situation.
17. template (noun) – model, pattern.
18. whimsical (adjective) – volatile, unpredictable, mercurial, inconsistent, erratic, unstable, unsteady, fluctuating, bizarre, weird.
19. stalemate (noun) – deadlock, impasse, standstill/stand-off.
20. trailing (adjective) – lagging behind, falling behind, losing.
21. trail (verb) - lose, be down, be behind, lag behind, fall behind.
22. encounter (noun) - clash, match, fixture, contest.
23. draw level (phrase) - to become equal to someone in a contest when they had early been winning.
24. bring down the curtain on (phrase) - bring to an end.
25. damp (adjective) – wet.
26. essentially (adverb) – fundamentally, primarily, principally.
27. squad (noun) – team.
28. run (noun) - performance(s).
29. duo (noun) – a pair of people.
30. pause (verb) – stop, discontinue.
31. scare (noun) – a widespread situation of alarm or anxiety about something; panic; shock, fright.
32. make worse (phrase) – worsen, aggravate, exacerbate, compound.

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33. interim (adjective) - provisional, temporary, short-term.
34. rule out (phrasal verb) – exclude, eliminate, reject, dismiss.
35. step into (phrasal verb) - to enter into some position.
36. hot seat (noun) - the important position (with more/full responsibility).
37. fire (verb) - perform at a peak level.
38. meagre (adjective) – small, little, paltry, inadequate/deficient.
39. protea (noun) - Its nickname derives from South Africa's national flower, Protea cynaroides, commonly known as the "King Protea".
40. fuss (noun) – excessive/unnecessary excitement, activity.
41. spearhead (noun) - a bowler who lead (a bowling attack); leader.
42. stem (verb) – stop, halt, restrain, restrict, control, contain, curb.
43. fortune (noun) - circumstances, state of affairs, condition.
44. restrictive (adjective) – special, select.
45. parity (noun) - consistency.
46. seize (verb) - capture, take, take over.
47. dress rehearsal (noun) -final rehearsal before the main show.
48. seasoned (adjective) – veteran, expert, mature, experienced, established, long-serving (person in an area of activity).
49. blitz (verb) – blast, smash.
50. have one's moments (phrase) - have better & impressive, (short) periods.
51. middling (adjective) – average, normal, moderate, (not too good/bad).
52. perhaps (adverb) – maybe, possibly.
53. weigh down (phrasal verb) – burden, impede, depress, oppress, make difficult.
54. pointer (noun) – indication, hint, sign, signal, suggestion.
55. slip on (phrasal verb) – put on, get dressed in, dress in, dress oneself in, get into.
56. much water has flowed down the Thames/bridge (phrase) - used to refer to events/situations that are in the past and therefore no longer to be considered as significant or as a cause of worry; it's past and all forgotten.
57. combine (noun) – a group of people working together for a purpose.
58. take over (phrasal verb) - assume control of, take control of, take charge of, take command of, assume responsibility for.
59. in the air (phrase) – happening; becoming prevalent; noticeable in all respects.

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