

## WORD LIST-2 (MAR 02, 2022)

1. **kick out** (phrasal verb) - expel, oust, eject, dismiss, throw out, get rid of.
2. **suspension** (noun) – exclusion, debarment, removal, elimination, rejection, expulsion, ejection.
3. **overlap** (noun) – interconnection, intersection, crisscrossing; a state/condition of having something in common.
4. **unavoidable** (adjective) - inevitable, inescapable, unpreventable, necessary.
5. **governing body** (noun) - administration, authority, executive.
6. **Fédération Internationale de Football Association (FIFA)** (noun) - the international governing body of association football, formed in 1904 and based in Zurich, Switzerland. FIFA is from French word “Fédération Internationale de Football Association” or in English “International Federation of Association Football”.
7. **eject** (verb) – dismiss, remove, oust, expel, get rid of, throw out.
8. **sanction** (noun) – ban, prohibition, restriction, punishment, deterrent; punitive action.
9. **sanctions** (noun) – action taken, or an order given to force a country to obey international laws by limiting or stopping trade (or official sporting participation) with that country, by not allowing economic aid for that country, etc. (Courtesy: VOA Learning English).
10. **impose** (verb) – apply, enforce, exact, inflict.
11. **backdrop** (noun) – situation, scenario, context.
12. **coordinate** (verb) - collaborate, work together, act together, act jointly.
13. **Union of European Football Associations (UEFA)** (noun) – the governing body of football in Europe, formed in 1954 and based in Nyon, Switzerland.
14. **Continental** (adjective) – belonging to a continent; characteristic of mainland Europe.
15. **casualty** (noun) - victim, sufferer, loss.
16. **playoff** (noun) - contest, competition, game, tournament.
17. **prospective** (adjective) – possible, likely, future, probable.
18. **qualifier** (noun) - a match that decides which team will qualify for a competition or its final rounds.

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19. **lucrative** (adjective) – remunerative, profitable, profit-making, high-paying, rewarding.
20. **giant** (noun) - a very large company.
21. **serve** (verb - complete (the ban period).
22. **doping** (noun) - In competitive sports, the term “doping” refers to the use of prohibited medications, drugs, or treatments by athletes with the intention of improving athletic performance.
23. **scandal** (noun) – impropriety, misconduct, wrongdoing.
24. **winter olympics** (noun) – a major international multi-sport event held once every four years for winter sports. The Summer and Winter Olympic Games organized by the International Olympic Committee occur every four years. The Summer Olympics, more popularly known as just The Olympics is a much bigger event with 204 countries participating as of 2012. The Winter Olympics is an event on a relatively smaller scale, with about 88 countries participating in 2014. Even though these events occur every four years, the summer and winter events are staggered so that there's an Olympic event every two years.
25. **Sochi** (noun) – a Russian city on the Black Sea, is known as a summer beach resort, and was host of the 2014 Winter Olympics.
26. **measure** (noun) – action, step, procedure.
27. **neutral** (adjective) - impersonal, unbiased, non-partisan.
28. **behind closed doors** (phrase) – confidentially, covertly, privately, in private.
29. **close on the heels of** (phrase) - close behind, soon after, immediately after, following closely.
30. **International Olympic Committee (IOC)** (noun) – Established in on 23 June 1894, the International Olympic Committee is a not-for-profit independent international organisation based in Lausanne, Switzerland. The IOC is at the very heart of world sport, supporting every Olympic Movement stakeholder, promoting Olympism worldwide, and overseeing the regular celebration of the Olympic Games.
31. **federation** (noun) - union, syndicate, guild, consortium, partnership, cooperative, association; confederation, league.

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32. **in order to do something** (phrase) – with the purpose of doing something; with the intention of doing something.
33. **integrity** (noun) - unity, unification, wholeness, coherence, cohesion, undividedness, togetherness, solidarity.
34. **force someone's hand** (phrase) – to make someone do something that they are not willing to do or to make someone do something before they are ready to do.
35. **resurrect** (verb) – re-establish, relaunch, reinstitute, bring back.
36. **pay the price/cost** (phrase) – experience the bad/unpleasant result of something; sacrifice, loss.
37. **machinations** (noun) – schemes, plots, tricks, tactics, plans, intrigues.
38. sought past tense of **seek** (verb) – try, aim, attempt.
39. **clean** (adjective) – innocent, honest, ethical, blameless.
40. **collateral** (adjective) – incidental, accidental, unintended, resultant.
41. **collateral damage** (noun) – any death, injury, or other damage inflicted that is an unintended result of a particular operation.
42. **a level playing field** (phrase) – a situation in which everyone has a fair and equal opportunity to succeed, and no one has an advantage over the other.
43. **sacrosanct** (adjective) - sacred, inviolable, inviolate, untouchable, inalienable.
44. **ideal** (noun) – principle, standard, moral value, belief, conviction.
45. **siege** (noun) – blockade, beleaguerment, encirclement.
46. **at home** (phrase) – in one's own country.
47. **militate** (verb) – work against, go against, be detrimental to, resist, hinder/oppose.
48. **fairness** (noun) – impartiality, equity, neutrality.
49. **stricture** (noun) – constraint, restriction, impediment/restraint.
50. **strip** of (verb) - dispossess, deprive, deny, take away from.
51. **Olympic Order** (noun) – The Olympic Order, established in 1975, is the highest award of the Olympic Movement. It is awarded for particularly distinguished contributions to the Olympic Movement, i.e. recognition of efforts worthy of merit in the cause of sport.

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52. **violate** (verb) – contravene, breach, break, transgress, overstep, not comply with, disobey, defy, flout.
53. **truce** (noun) – temporary cessation/suspension (of hostilities); ceasefire, armistice.
54. **UN General Assembly (UNGA)** (noun) – (The UN General Assembly (UNGA) is the main policy-making organ of the Organization. Comprising all Member States, it provides a unique forum for multilateral discussion of the full spectrum of international issues covered by the Charter of the United Nations. Each of the 193 Member States of the United Nations has an equal vote.)
55. **in force** (phrase) - valid, effective, in action.
56. **the Paralympics** (noun) – An international sports festival for athletes with disabilities. Paralympics are the parallel Games to the Olympics and exist side-by-side.
57. **Parasport** (noun) – parasport or disability sport is played by people with physical and intellectual disabilities.
58. **oligarch** (noun) – a very rich businessman who is having a lot of political influence, particularly in Russia; a small group which controls the country & government.
59. **call for** (phrasal verb) – require, necessitate, make necessary, demand.
60. **alleged** (adjective) – supposed, claimed, professed, purported, reported, ostensible.
61. **stewardship** (noun) – it is a set of principles that forms the responsible planning and management of resources. Stewardship can be applied to the environment and nature, health, technology, economics and etc.
62. **geopolitics** (noun) – the study of the geographical factors (a country's position on the earth, size, climate, and natural resources & etc.) in world politics and inter-state relations.
63. **overlap** (verb) – crisscross, interlink, intersect, interconnect.
64. **entangle** (verb) - twist, catch up, involve, mix up.

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