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Part - A

The Hindu Editorial: Himalayan tragedy (10 MAR 2025)

- Avalanche (noun) Snowslide, Landslide, Snowslip, Icefall, Rockfall हिमस्खलन
- 2. **Disaster** (noun) Catastrophe, Tragedy, Calamity, Mishap, Cataclysm **आपदा**
- 3. **Rubble** (noun) Debris, Wreckage, Ruins, Fragments, Remains **मলবা**
- 4. **Following** (preposition) After, Subsequent to, In the wake of, Post, Behind के बाद
- 5. **Occur** (verb) Happen, Take place, Arise, Transpire, Materialize **घटित होना**
- 6. **House** (verb) Accommodate, Shelter, Lodge, Host, Quarter **रखना**
- 7. **Arduous** (adjective) Difficult, Strenuous, Tough, Challenging, Laborious **क**ठिन
- 8. **Understatement** (noun) Minimization, Downplay, Underestimation, Restraint, Moderation कम करके कहना
- 9. Amidst (preposition) Among, In the middle of, Surrounded by, During, Within के बीच
- 10. **Elevation** (noun) Altitude, Height, Rise, Lift, Ascent ऊंचाई
- 11. **Evacuate** (verb) Remove, Clear, Empty, Relocate, Withdraw खाली करना
- 12. **Rescue** (verb) Save, Recover, Retrieve, Liberate, **बचाव करना**
- 13. **Sheer** (adjective) Absolute, Utter, Complete, Total, Pure वास्तविक
- 14. **Expend** (verb) Spend, Use, Consume, Utilize, Exhaust **खर्च करना**

- 15. Extraction (noun) Removal, Withdrawal, Retrieval, Pulling out, Drawing out निकालना
- 16. **Bury** (verb) Inter, Entomb, Embed, Submerge, Conceal **दफनाना**
- 17. **Outpost** (noun) Frontier, Border, Remote area, Settlement, Post चौकी
- 18. **Uncommon** (adjective) Rare, Unusual, Unique, Exceptional, Scarce **असामान्य**
- 19. **Deserted** (adjective) Abandoned, Empty, Vacant, Uninhabited, Lonely सुनसान
- 20. **Coincide** (with) (verb) Align, Match, Correspond, Concur, Synchronize **मेल खाना**
- 21. **Migration** (noun) Relocation, Movement, Exodus, Shift, Displacement प्रवास
- 22. **Wisdom** (noun) Knowledge, Insight, Prudence, Judgement, Understanding बुद्धिमत्ता
- 23. **Prone** (to) (adjective) Susceptible, Vulnerable, Liable, Inclined, Subject **अतिसंवेदनशील**
- 24. **Disaster** (noun) Catastrophe, Tragedy, Calamity, Mishap, Cataclysm **अपदा**
- 25. Enterprise (noun) a project or undertaking, especially a bold or complex one. जोखिम का काम
- 26. **Given** (preposition) Considering, Granted, Provided, Acknowledging, Assumed **देखते** हुए
- 27. **Sizeable** (adjective) Large, Considerable, Substantial, Significant, Ample **কাদী ৰ**ड়া

- 28. Inherently (adverb) Naturally, Intrinsically, Essentially, Fundamentally, Innately स्वाभाविक रूप से
- 29. Inhospitable (adjective) Unfriendly, Hostile, Barren, Unwelcoming, Harsh प्रतिकृल
- 30. **Conclude** (verb) End, Finish, Complete, Terminate, Wrap up **समा**प्त **करना**
- 31. **Reflection** (on) (noun) Thought,
 Consideration, Contemplation, Meditation,
 Deliberation विचार
- 32. **Preventive** (adjective) Precautionary, Protective, Prophylactic, Defensive, Safeguarding **निवारक**
- 33. **Precision** (noun) Accuracy, Exactness, Correctness, Clarity, Definiteness **सटीकता**
- 34. **The odds** (noun) Chances, Probability, Likelihood, Possibility, Prospects **संभावना**

- 35. **Bomb shelter** (noun) an enclosed space or structure designed to protect people from explosive weapons such as bombs or missiles. **ব**ম সাপ্তয
- 36. **Sensitivity** (noun) Awareness, Understanding, Responsiveness, Consideration, Empathy **संवेदनशीलता**
- 37. **Toil** (verb) Labor, Work hard, Struggle, Strive, Exert **मेहनत करना**
- 38. **Hazard** (noun) Danger, Risk, Peril, Threat, Jeopardy **खतरा**
- 39. **Merely** (adverb) Only, Simply, Just, Solely, Purely **केवल**
- 40. **Label** (verb) Tag, Classify, Categorize, Identify, Name **लेबल लगाना**
- 41. **Inevitable** (adjective) Unavoidable, Certain, Inescapable, Unpreventable, Predetermined **अपरिहार्य**

The Hindu Editorial: Building capacities (11 MAR 2025)

- 1. Accelerate (verb) Speed up, Hasten, Expedite, Quicken, Advance तेज करना
- 2. **Diplomacy** (noun) Negotiation, Statesmanship, Tact, Mediation, Dialogue कूटनीति
- 3. Approach (verb) Address, contact, reach out, speak to, talk to संपर्क करना
- Overshadow the Headline (phrase) to become more significant or important than other news stories, causing them to be less prominent in news coverage
- 5. **Displeasure** (noun) Dissatisfaction, Discontent, Annoyance, Irritation, Anger असंतोष
- 6. **Side-step** (verb) Avoid, Evade, Dodge, Bypass, Circumvent **दरकिनार करना**
- 7. Scare (noun) Fright, Alarm, Panic, Shock, Fear डर
- 8. **Consulate** (noun) Embassy, Diplomatic office, Mission, Legation, Representation दूतावास
- 9. **Conclusion** (noun) End, Finish, Completion, Termination, Outcome समापन
- 10. Free trade agreement (FTA) (noun) an agreement between countries to reduce or eliminate trade barriers मुक्त व्यापार समझौता
- 11. **Brexit** (noun) the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union. ब्रिटेन का यूरोपीय संघ से अलग होना

- 12. **Committed** (to) (adjective) Dedicated,
 Devoted, Loyal, Pledged, Engaged प्रतिबद्ध
- 13. **Conclude** (verb) Finish, End, Complete, Finalize, Wrap up **समा**प्त करना
- 14. **Underpowered** (adjective) Weak, Inadequate, Insufficient, Limited, Subpar कमजोर
- 15. **Collaboration** (noun) Cooperation, Partnership, Alliance, Teamwork, Coordination **सहयोग**
- 16. **Conciliatory** (adjective) Peacemaking, Placatory, Appeasing, Pacifying, Diplomatic समझौतापरक
- 17. **Import duty** (noun) a tax collected on imports and some exports by a country's customs authorities आयात शुल्क
- 18. **A sticking point** (noun) Obstacle, Hurdle, Impasse, Issue, Problem **अड्चन**
- 19. **Deference** (noun) Respect, Courtesy, Politeness, Regard, Submission सम्मान
- 20. A case in point (phrase) Example, Illustration, Instance, Specimen, Sample उदाहरण
- 21. **Negotiate** (verb) Bargain, Discuss, Mediate, Arrange, Settle **बातचीत करना**
- 22. **Alliance** (noun) Partnership, Coalition, Union, Association, Pact **गठबंधन**
- 23. **Wind in the sails** (phrase) Boost, Support, Encouragement, Momentum, Push **प्रोत्साहन**

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- 24. **Delegation** (noun) Team, Mission, Envoy, Deputation, Representatives प्रतिनिधमंडल
- 25. **Impart** (verb) Communicate, Convey, Transmit, Share, Pass on **प्रदान करना**
- 26. **Come close on the heels** (phrase) Follow closely, Succeed, Trail, Pursue, Shadow **पीछे-पीछे आना**
- 27. **Showdown** (noun) Confrontation, Clash, Face-off, Battle, Conflict **मुकाबला**
- 28. **Lead** (to) (verb) Cause, Result in, Bring about, Produce, Trigger **वजह बनना**

- 29. **Summit** (noun) Meeting, Conference, Assembly, Gathering, Convention **शिखर** सम्मेलन
- 30. **Geopolitical** (adjective) Political, Strategic, Global, International, Diplomatic भू-राजनीतिक
- 31. **Stand to gain** (phrase) Benefit, Profit, Gain, Reap rewards, Advantage **लाभ उठाना**
- 32. **Diplomacy** (noun) Negotiation, Statesmanship, Tact, Mediation, Dialogue कूटनीति

The Hindu Editorial: Limited-overs form (12 MAR 2025)

- 1. Outstanding (adjective) Excellent, Exceptional, Remarkable, Superb, Distinguished বক্ছ
- 2. **Triumph** (noun) Victory, Success, Win, Conquest, Achievement **जीत**
- 3. Air (noun) Atmosphere, Aura, Vibe, Feeling, Mood माहौल
- 4. Inevitability (noun) Certainty, Inexorability, Unavoidability, Predestination, Fate अपरिहार्यता
- 5. **Overcome** (verb) Conquer, Surmount, Defeat, Master, Prevail over **हराना**
- 6. **Gritty** (adjective) − Determined, Resolute, Courageous, Brave, Tenacious **₹**\$\overline{6}\$
- 7. **Spare** (verb) give (something of which one has enough) to (someone). **অঘনা**
- 8. **Light up** (phrasal verb) Illuminate, Brighten, Glow, Shine, Sparkle **रोशन करना**
- 9. **Chase down** (phrasal verb) Pursue, Catch, Track, Hunt, Follow **पीछा करना**
- 10. **Victory** (noun) Win, Triumph, Success, Conquest, Achievement **जीत**
- 11. **Reaffirm** (verb) Confirm, Reassert, Validate, Reinforce, Restate पुष्टि करना
- 12. **Dominance** (noun) Control, Supremacy, Authority, Power, Command **प्रधानता**
- 13. **Secure** (verb) Obtain, Acquire, Achieve, Ensure, Guarantee **प्राप्त करना**
- 14. **Astounding** (adjective) Amazing, Astonishing, Stunning, Remarkable, Incredible चौंकाने वाला

- 15. **Station** (verb) Position, Place, Locate, Deploy, Post स्थिति होना
- 16. **Refusal** (noun) Denial, Rejection, Decline, Rebuff, Repudiation **इनकार**
- 17. **Host** (noun) Organizer, Presenter, Anchor, Entertainer, Master of ceremonies **मेजबान**
- 18. **Venue** (noun) Location, Place, Site, Setting, Ground स्थल
- 19. **Minimal** (adjective) Minimum, Least, Smallest, Negligible, Bare **न्यूनतम**
- 20. **Fatigue** (noun) Tiredness, Exhaustion, Weariness, Lethargy, Weakness **ਪকা**न
- 21. **Merely** (adverb) Only, Simply, Just, Solely, Purely **केवल**
- 22. **Circumstantial** (adjective) Incidental, Indirect, Secondary, Conditional, Situational संयोगवश
- 23. Execute (verb) Implement, Carry out, Perform, Accomplish, Achieve कार्यान्वित करना
- 24. **Precision** (noun) Accuracy, Exactness, Correctness, Clarity, Definiteness **सटीकता**
- 25. **Set the stage for** (phrase) Prepare, Arrange, Organize, Plan, Initiate **मंच तैयार करना**
- 26. **The Black Caps** (noun) New Zealand cricket team **न्यूजीलैंड क्रिकेट टीम**
- 27. **Upset** (verb) Defeat, Overcome, Surprise, Shock, Trounce **हराना**

- 28. **The Men in Blue** (noun) Indian cricket team **भारतीय** क्रिकेट टीम
- 29. Adeptly (adverb) Skillfully, Expertly, Proficiently, Competently, Efficiently कुशलतापूर्वक
- 30. **Sluggish** (adjective) Slow, Lethargic, Inactive, Sluggish, Dull **धीमा**
- 31. **Field** (verb) Deploy, Position, Arrange, Organize, Line up **तैनात करना**
- 32. **Decisive** (adjective) Conclusive, Definitive, Final, Critical, Crucial **निर्णायक**
- 33. **Stifle** (verb) Suppress, Restrain, Inhibit, Constrain, Repress **दबाना**
- 34. **Composed** (adjective) Calm, Collected, Poised, Serene, Unruffled **যা**র
- 35. **Set the tone** (phrase) Establish, Define, Initiate, Influence, Shape **माहौल बनाना**
- 36. **Setback** (noun) Obstacle, Difficulty, Problem, Hindrance, Reversal **ইকাবে**
- 37. **Formidable** (adjective) Powerful, Strong, Impressive, Intimidating, Daunting **भयानक**

- 38. **Squad** (noun) Team, Group, Unit, Crew, Band **टीम**
- 39. **Evident** (adjective) Clear, Obvious, Apparent, Visible, Noticeable स्पष्ट
- 40. **Underscore** (verb) Emphasize, Highlight, Stress, Accentuate, Reinforce **जोर देना**
- 41. **Offset** (verb) Counterbalance, Compensate, Neutralize, Balance, Counteract **भरपाई** करना
- 42. Imminent (adjective) Impending,
 Approaching, Threatening, Near, Looming
 आसत्र
- 43. **Stalwart** (noun) Supporter, Loyalist, Pillar, Mainstay, Champion **पक्का समर्थक**
- 44. **Assessment** (noun) Appraisal, evaluation, estimation, measurement **मूल्यांकन**
- 45. **Sustained** (adjective) Continuous, Prolonged, Persistent, Steady, Uninterrupted निरंतर

The Hindu Editorial: New opportunity (13 MAR 2025)

- 1. **Reset** (verb) Restart, Reboot, Renew, Revive, Reestablish **पुनः आरंभ करना**
- 2. **Ties** (noun) Relations, Connections, Bonds, Links, Associations **संबंध**
- 3. **Ruling** (adjective) Governing, Controlling, Dominant, Leading, Authoritative **যামক**
- 4. **Set** (to) (adjective) Ready, Prepared, Scheduled, Arranged, Fixed **तैयार**
- 5. **Step down** (phrasal verb) Resign, Quit, Retire, Withdraw, Abdicate **पद** छोड़ना
- 6. **Reconvene** (verb) Resume, Reassemble, Gather again, Continue, Meet again **पुनः** संयोजन होना
- 7. **Due** (adjective) Expected, Scheduled, Anticipated, awaited निर्धारित
- 8. **Call for** (phrasal verb) Demand, Require, Necessitate, Ask for, Urge **मांग करना**
- 9. **Snap** (adjective) Sudden, Immediate, Instant, Quick, Unexpected **अचानक**
- 10. **Ride** (for) (verb) Exploit, Utilize, Take advantage of, Capitalize on, Leverage **লা**भ **उ**ठाना
- 11. **Surge** (noun) Rise, Increase, Upsurge, Wave, Growth **तेजी**
- 12. **Stand up to** (phrase) Confront, Resist, Oppose, Challenge, Defy **सामना करना**
- 13. **Consistently** (adverb) Regularly, Steadily, Constantly, Uniformly, Continually **लगातार**

- 14. **Better off** (phrasal verb) More fortunate, Improved, Happier, Wealthier, Advantaged बेहतर स्थिति में
- 15. **Impose** (verb) Enforce, Apply, Levy, Introduce, Inflict **थोपना**
- 16. **A slew of** (phrase) A lot of, Many, Numerous, Plenty, Abundance **बहुत सारा**
- 17. **Tariff** (noun) Duty, Tax, Levy, Charge, Impost **शुल्क**
- 18. Accuse (of) (verb) Blame, Charge, Indict, Implicate, Denounce आरोप लगाना
- 19. **Duty** (noun) Tax, levy, due, impost tax शुल्क
- 20. **Immigrant** (noun) Migrant, Settler, Foreigner, Newcomer, Expatriate **प्रवासी**
- 21. **Surcharge** (noun) Additional charge, Extra fee, Premium, Levy, Tax **अतिरिक्त शुल्क**
- 22. **Claim** (verb) Assert, Declare, State, Affirm, Maintain **दावा करना**
- 23. **Take on** (phrasal verb) Accept, Undertake, Face, Confront, Challenge **सामना करना**
- 24. **To that end** (phrase) For that purpose, Accordingly, Therefore, Hence, Thus उस उद्देश्य के लिए
- 25. **Come handy** (phrase) Be useful, Be helpful, Be convenient, Be practical, Be beneficial **काम आना**
- 26. **Taint** (noun) Stain, Blemish, Blot, Smear, Corruption **दाग**

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- 27. Intemperate (adjective) Excessive, Unrestrained, Immoderate, Extreme, Uncontrolled असंयमित
- 28. **Expel** (verb) Remove, Eject, Oust, Banish, Evict **निकालना**
- 29. **Diplomat** (noun) Ambassador, Envoy, Representative, Consul, Negotiator **राजनियक**
- 30. **Implicate** (verb) Involve, Incriminate, Entangle, Associate, Connect **फंसाना**
- 31. **Purported** (adjective) Alleged, Supposed, Claimed, Reported, Ostensible **क**थित
- 32. **Plot** (noun) Conspiracy, Scheme, Plan, Intrigue, Strategy **साजिश**
- 33. **Proffer** (verb) Offer, Present, Suggest, Propose, Extend **प्रस्ताव** करना
- 34. **Blunder** (noun) Mistake, Error, Fault, Gaffe, Slip-up **गलती**
- 35. **Discreet** (adjective) Careful, Tactful, Prudent, Cautious, Judicious **सावधान**
- 36. **Ebb** (noun) Decline, Decrease, Diminution, Wane, Recession कमी/ अवनति
- 37. **Take a back seat** (phrase) Be less important, Recede, Withdraw, Step back, Retreat **पीछे हटना**

- 38. **Schism** (noun) Division, Split, Rift, Breach, Disunion **विभाजन**
- 39. **Diaspora** (noun) Expatriates, Emigrants, Migrants, Dispersed community, Settlers प्रवासी समुदाय
- 40. **Interlude** (noun) Interval, Break, Pause, Gap, Respite **अंतराल**
- 41. **Fitting** (adjective) Appropriate, Suitable, Proper, Apt, Relevant उचित
- 42. **Take forward** (phrase) Advance, Progress, Promote, Develop, Continue आगे बढ़ाना
- 43. **Regardless of** (phrase) Despite, In spite of, Notwithstanding, Irrespective of, Without regard to **ਪ**ਰੇ हੀ
- 44. **Wish away** (phrasal verb) Ignore, Dismiss, Neglect, Overlook, Disregard **नज़रअंदाज़** करना
- 45. **Sustained** (adjective) Continuous, Prolonged, Persistent, Steady, Uninterrupted निरंतर
- 46. **Diplomacy** (noun) Negotiation, Statesmanship, Tact, Mediation, Dialogue कूटनीति

The Pioneer Editorial: The delicate strength (14 MAR 2025)

- 1. **Delicate** (adjective) Fragile, Sensitive, Subtle, Fine, Tender **नাजुक**
 - 2. **Often** (adverb) Frequently, Repeatedly, Regularly, Commonly, Usually **अक्सर**
 - 3. Ingrained (adjective) Deep-rooted, Inherent, Fixed, Entrenched, Ingrained गहराई से जमा हुआ
 - 4. Decade (noun) Period of ten years ব্যক
 - 5. **Grasp** (verb) Understand, Comprehend, Seize, Hold, Clutch **समझना**
 - 6. Unadulterated (adjective) Pure, Genuine, Unmixed, Untainted, Authentic যুৱ
 - 7. **Curb** (verb) Restrict, Control, Limit, Check, Suppress **रोकना**
 - 8. Raw (adjective) Unprocessed, Natural, Unrefined, Crude, Fresh कच्चा
 - 9. **Solely** (adverb) Only, Exclusively, Purely, Merely, Entirely **केवल**
 - 10. **Psyche** (noun) Mind, Soul, Spirit, Consciousness, Inner self **मन**
 - 11. **Mindful** (of) (adjective) Aware, Conscious, Attentive, Considerate, Observant **सचेत**
 - 12. **Discharge** (verb) Perform, Execute, Fulfill, Carry out, Accomplish **निर्वहन करना**
 - 13. **Utmost** (adjective) Greatest, Maximum, Highest, Extreme, Supreme **अत्यधिक**
 - 14. **Setback** (noun) Failure, Obstacle, Difficulty, Problem, Hindrance, Reversal **नाकामयाबी**

- 15. **Fall upon** (phrasal verb) Be responsible for, Be assigned to, Be tasked with, Be given to **जिम्मेदार होना**
- 16. **Mediate** (verb) Intervene, Arbitrate, Negotiate, Reconcile, Facilitate **मध्यस्थता** करना
- 17. **Burst into tears** (phrase) Cry suddenly, Weep, Sob, Break down, Shed tears **अचानक रो पडना**
- 18. **Baggage** (noun) Burden, Load, Baggage, Emotional weight, Past issues **बोझ**
- 19. **Chair** (verb) Lead, Preside over, Head, Conduct, Manage **अध्यक्षता करना**
- 20. **Gathering** (noun) Meeting, Assembly, Group, Collection, Congregation **सभा**
- 21. **Take aback** (phrase) Surprise, Shock, Astonish, Stun, Startle **हक्का-बक्का करना**
- 22. **Eloquence** (noun) Fluency, Articulateness, Expressiveness, Persuasiveness, Rhetoric **वाक्पटुता**
- 23. **Brevity** (noun) Conciseness, Succinctness, Shortness, Pithiness, Terseness **संक्षिप्तता**
- 24. **Brooding** (noun) Thinking, Pondering, Reflecting, Meditating, Contemplating विचारमग्रता
- 25. **Impromptu** (adjective) Spontaneous, Unrehearsed, Unplanned, Offhand, Extemporaneous **तात्कालिक**
- 26. **Embark upon** (phrasal verb) Begin, Start, Commence, Undertake, Initiate **शुरू** करना

- 27. **Blooming** (noun) Flowering, Blossoming, Flourishing, Thriving, Growth **खिलना**
- 28. **Gratitude** (noun) Thankfulness, Appreciation, Gratefulness, Recognition, Acknowledgment **কৃবর্বা**
- 29. **Applaud** (verb) Praise, Cheer, Clap, Commend, Acclaim **सराहना**
- 30. **Lasting** (adjective) Enduring, Permanent, Long-term, Persistent, Sustained स्थायी
- 31. **Uninhibitedly** (adverb) Freely, Openly, Boldly, Unrestrainedly, Spontaneously बेरोक-टोक
- 32. **Unduly** (adverb) Excessively, Unnecessarily, Overly, Unreasonably, Inordinately **अत्यधिक**
- 33. **Look up to** (phrase) Admire, Respect, Revere, Esteem, Idolize **प्रशंसा** करना
- 34. **Impulsive** (adjective) Spontaneous, Rash, Hasty, Unthinking, Reckless **आवेगशील**
- 35. **Flippantly** (adverb) Casually, Lightly, Frivolously, Thoughtlessly, Carelessly **हल्के** ਸੇਂ
- 36. **Conclude** (verb) End, Finish, Complete, Terminate, Wrap up **समा**प्त **करना**
- 37. **Impart** (verb) Share, Communicate, Convey, Transmit, Pass on **प्रदान करना**
- 38. **Wisdom** (noun) Knowledge, Insight, Prudence, Judgement, Understanding बुद्धिमत्ता
- 39. **Dear** (noun) Loved one, Beloved, Close one, Precious, Cherished प्रिय

- 40. **Rational** (adjective) Logical, Reasonable, Sensible, Practical, Sound **तर्कसंगत**
- 41. **Find oneself at the receiving end** (phrase)

 Be the target, Be affected, Be on the receiving side, Face consequences निशाने पर होना
- 42. **Abruptly** (adverb) Suddenly, Unexpectedly, Sharply, Hastily, Quickly **अचानक**
- 43. **Bother** (verb) Disturb, Trouble, Annoy, Worry, Irritate **परेशान करना**
- 44. **Impossibility** (noun) Unlikelihood, Impracticality, Unfeasibility, Hopelessness, Futility **असंभवता**
- 45. **Vent one's frustration** (phrase) Express anger, Release emotions, Let off steam, Unburden, Complain गुस्सा निकालना
- 46. **Intricate** (adjective) Complex, Complicated, Detailed, Elaborate, Sophisticated **অटিল**
- 47. **Lacework** (noun) Embroidery, Filigree, Network, Webbing, Pattern **जालीकारी**
- 48. **Rigid** (adjective) Strict, Inflexible, Stiff, Firm, Unyielding कठोर
- 49. **Empathy** (noun) Understanding, Compassion, Sensitivity, Sympathy, Kindness **सहानुभूति**
- 50. **Acknowledge** (verb) Recognize, Admit, Accept, Concede, Grant **स्वीकार करना**
- 51. **Rationality** (noun) Logic, Reason, Sense, Sanity, Judgement **तर्कशक्ति**

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- 52. **Overshadow** (verb) Eclipse, Dominate, Outshine, Dwarf, Cloud **छा जाना**
- 53. Navigate (verb) Steer, Guide, Direct, Maneuver, Pilot **मार्गदर्शन करना**
- 54. **Strive** (to) (verb) Try, Attempt, Endeavor, Struggle, Aim प्रयास करना
- 55. Embrace (verb) Accept, Adopt, Welcome, Hold, Hug **अपनाना**

The Indian Express Editorial: Chandrayaan discovers water-ice (15 MAR 2025)

- 1. **Widespread** (adjective) Extensive, Prevalent, Ubiquitous, Pervasive, Farreaching **আদক**
- 2. **So far** (phrase) Until now, Up to this point, Thus far, To date, Heretofore **अब**
- 3. **Come to the conclusion** (noun) Deduce, Infer, Conclude, Determine, Realize **निष्कर्ष पर पहुंचना**
- 4. **Concentrated** (in) (adjective) Focused, Clustered, Centered, Accumulated, Localized केंद्रित
- 5. **Finding** (noun) Discovery, Observation, Result, Conclusion, Insight खोज
- 6. **Breakthrough** (noun) Achievement, Milestone, Innovation, Advancement, Success **बडी सफलता**
- 7. **Definitive** (adjective) Conclusive, Decisive, Final, Authoritative, Certain निर्णायक
- The cutting edge (noun) Forefront, Vanguard, Leading edge, Innovation, Pioneering अत्याधुनिक
- 9. **Venture** (into) (verb) Embark, Dive, Engage, Explore, Undertake **जोखिम का** काम आरंभ करना
- 10. **Fruitful** (adjective) Productive, Successful, Rewarding, Profitable, Beneficial **फलदायक**
- 11. Outcome (noun) Result, Consequence, Effect, Output, Conclusion परिणाम

- 12. **Ecosystem** (noun) Environment, Network, System, Community, Habitat **पारिस्थितिकी** तंत्र
- 13. Anecdotal (adjective) Informal, Unverified, Unofficial, Hearsay, Story-based उपाखानात्मक
- 14. **Halt** (verb) Stop, Pause, Cease, Suspend, Arrest **रोकना**
- 15. **Reverse** (verb) make (something) the opposite of what it was. **उल्टा** करना
- 16. **The brain drain** (noun) the loss of human capital from one area to another or from one industry to another **प्रतिभा पलायन**
- 17. **Set up** (phrasal verb) Establish, Launch, Create, Found, Initiate स्थापित करना
- 18. **Flourish** (verb) Thrive, Prosper, Grow, Succeed, Bloom **फलना-फুलना**
- 19. **Autonomy** (noun) Independence, Selfgovernance, Freedom, Sovereignty, Selfrule **स्वायत्तता**
- 20. **Hands-off approach** (noun) Noninterference, Laissez-faire, Detachment, Neutrality, Passive stance **गैर-हस्तक्षेप** दृष्टिकोण
- 21. **Push** (for) (noun) Drive, Effort, Campaign, Initiative, Promotion प्रयास
- 22. Indigenisation (noun) Localization,
 Domestic production, Native development,
 Self-reliance, Homegrown स्वदेशीकरण
- 23. **Dividend** (noun) Benefit, Profit, Gain, Return, Reward **लाभ**

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- 24. **Constraint** (noun) Limitation, Restriction, Obstacle, Hindrance, Barrier **बाधा**
- 25. **Undermine** (verb) Weaken, Sabotage, Diminish, Erode, Compromise **कमजोर करना**
- 26. **In terms of** (phrase) Regarding, Concerning, With respect to, In relation to, Pertaining to **के संदर्भ में**
- 27. **Red tape** (noun) Bureaucracy, Formality, Paperwork, Regulation, Officialism **लालफीताशाही**

- 28. **Ideal** (adjective) Perfect, Optimal, Model, Ultimate, Best **आदर्श**
- 29. **Assure** (verb) Guarantee, Ensure, Confirm, Promise, Certify सुनिश्चित करना
- 30. (be) **Supposed** (to) (adjective) Expected, Required, Intended, Meant, Obliged **माना** जाना
- 31. **Core** (adjective) Central, Fundamental, Essential, Primary, Main मुख

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The Hindu Editorial: Diversify now (10 MAR 2025)

- 1. Looming (adjective) Impending, Approaching, Threatening, Emerging, Imminent मंडराता
- 2. Overcome (verb) Conquer, Surmount, Defeat, Master, Prevail over **काबू पाना**
- 3. Headwind (noun) Obstacle, Challenge, Resistance, Hindrance, Setback प्रतिकृत परिस्थिति
- 4. Policymaker (noun) Decision-maker, Legislator, Regulator, Administrator, Official नीति निर्माता
- 5. Following (preposition) After, Subsequent to, In the wake of, Post, Behind के बाद
- 6. Fiscal (adjective) Financial, Economic, Budgetary, Monetary, Revenue राजकोषीय
- 7. **Rebound** (noun) Recovery, Revival, Bounceback, Comeback, Upturn पुनरुत्थान
- 8. Mark (verb) Indicate, Signify, Highlight, Denote, Symbolize चिह्नित करना
- 9. Offset (verb) Counterbalance, Compensate, Neutralize, Balance, Counteract भरपाई करना
- 10. Signal (verb) Indicate, Show, Suggest, Point to, Reveal **संकेत करना**
- 11. Contraction (noun) Shrinkage, Reduction, Decline, Decrease, Compression घटाव
- 12. Momentum (noun) Impetus, Drive, Force, Energy, Speed गति
- 13. Account for (phrasal verb) Represent, Comprise, Constitute **बनाना**

- 14. Resilience (noun) Endurance, Toughness, Flexibility, Strength, Fortitude मज़बूती
- 15. Persist (verb) Continue, Endure, Persevere, Remain, Last **बने रहना**
- 16. Telling (adjective) Revealing, Significant, Meaningful, Convincing, Striking महत्वपूर्ण
- 17. Benchmark index (noun) Here it refers to Bombay Stock Exchange, National stock exchange मानक सुचकांक
- 18. Point to (phrasal verb) Indicate, Suggest, Highlight, Show, Demonstrate संकेत करना
- 19. Reciprocal (adjective) Mutual, Corresponding, Complementary, Bilateral, Exchangeable पारस्परिक
- 20. Tariff (noun) Duty, Tax, Levy, Charge, Impost **शुल्क**
- 21. Take effect (phrase) Implement, Enforce, Activate, Operate, Commence प्रभावी होना
- 22. Pose (verb) Present, Create, Cause, Raise, Introduce **खड़ा करना** (चुनौती)
- 23. Meanwhile (adverb) Simultaneously, Concurrently, In the meantime, At the same time, Meanwhile इस दौरान
- 24. Pivot (noun) Turning point, Center, Hub, Focus, Axis **केंद्र**
- 25. Executive (noun) Manager, Leader, Administrator, Director, Officer कार्यकारी
- 26. Caution (verb) Warn, Advise, Alert, Counsel, Notify चेतावनी देना

- 27. **Concerning** (adjective) Worrying, Disturbing, Troubling, Alarming, Disconcerting **चिंताजनक**
- 28. **Compounded annual growth rate** (noun) one of the most accurate ways to calculate and determine returns for anything that can rise or fall in value over time.
- 29. **Upheaval** (noun) Turmoil, Disruption, Chaos, Disturbance, Crisis **उथल**-पुथल
- 30. **Attributed** (to) (verb) Ascribed, Credited, Assigned, Linked, Connected **जिम्मेदार ठहराना**
- 31. **Slowdown** (noun) Decline, Slump, Downturn, Deceleration, Stagnation **मंदी**

- 32. **Disruptive** (adjective) Disturbing, Troublesome, Destructive, Unsettling, Intrusive विघटनकारी
- 33. **Protectionism** (noun) Trade barriers, Tariffs, Restrictions, Isolationism, Economic nationalism **संरक्षणवाद**
- 34. **Recession** (noun) Downturn, Slump, Decline, Depression, Stagnation **मंदी**
- 35. **Repercussion** (noun) Consequence, Effect, Impact, Ramification, Outcome **प्रभाव**
- 36. **Given** (preposition) Considering, Granted, Provided, Acknowledging, Assumed देखते हुए
- 37. **Navigate** (verb) Steer, Guide, Direct, Maneuver, Pilot **मार्गदर्शन करना**

The Hindu Editorial: Second chance (11 MAR 2025)

- 1. (be) wary (of) (adjective) Cautious, Careful, Suspicious, Alert, Hesitant सतर्क
- 2. **Dialogue** (noun) Conversation, Discussion, Talk, Negotiation, Exchange **संवाद**
- 3. **Sabotage** (verb) Undermine, Disrupt, Damage, Destroy, Wreck **नाकाम करना**
- 4. Unilaterally (adverb) Independently, Solely, Exclusively, Alone, Single-handedly **एকরংদা**
- 5. **Compliant** (with) (adjective) Obedient, Conforming, Submissive, Agreeable, Cooperative **अनुपालन करने वाला**
- 6. **Terms** (noun) Condition, stipulation, provision, requisite **शर्त**
- 7. Renegotiate (verb) Revisit, Revise, Reassess, Reconsider, Reopen पुनः बातचीत करना
- 8. **Rebuff** (verb) Reject, Refuse, Decline, Snub, Dismiss ठुकराना
- 9. **Outreach** (noun) Engagement,
 Communication, Interaction, Connection,
 Involvement संपर्क
- 10. **Bully** (verb) Intimidate, Harass, Dominate, Oppress, Threaten **भयभीत करना**
- 11. **Insist** (on) (verb) Demand, Persist, Urge, Maintain, Assert **जोर देना**
- 12. **Resolve** (verb) Solve, Settle, Fix, Address, Determine **हल ক**ংনা
- 13. **Impose** (verb) Enforce, Apply, Levy, Introduce, Inflict **थोपना**
- 14. **Entirely** (adverb) Completely, Totally, Fully, Wholly, Absolutely **पूरी तरह**

- 15. **Overture** (noun) Proposal, Offer, Approach, Initiative, Suggestion प्रस्ताव
- 16. **Back** (verb) Support, Endorse, Advocate, Promote, Assist **समर्थन करना**
- 17. **Bid** (noun) Attempt, Effort, Try, Proposal, Offer **प्रयास**
- 18. **The West** (noun) Western countries, Europe, America, Occident, Western world पश्चिमी देश
- 19. **Lift** (verb) Remove, Revoke, Cancel, Withdraw, Suspend **हटाना**
- 20. **Sanction** (noun) Penalty, Punishment, Restriction, Embargo, Ban प्रतिबंध
- 21. **Demolish** (verb) Destroy, Ruin, Wreck, Dismantle, Raze **तोड़ना**
- 22. **Reach out** (phrasal verb) Contact, Approach, Communicate, Connect, Extend संपर्क करना
- 23. **Sceptical** (adjective) Doubtful, Suspicious, Distrustful, Unconvinced, Hesitant संदेही
- 24. **Compelling** (adjective) Convincing, Persuasive, Strong, Powerful, Forceful प्रभावशाली
- 25. **Resistance** (noun) Opposition, Defiance, Rebellion, Struggle, Pushback **प्रतिरोध**
- 26. **Mutual** (adjective) Reciprocal, Shared, Common, Joint, Bilateral आपसी
- 27. **Brinkmanship** (noun) the art or practice of pursuing a dangerous policy to the limits of safety before stopping, especially in politics. तनाव

- 28. **Escalate** (verb) Intensify, Increase, Heighten, Amplify, Aggravate **বিরো**
- 29. **Facilities** (noun) a service, building, piece of equipment, etc. that makes it possible to do something.
- 30. **Shoot down** (phrasal verb) Destroy, Bring down, Hit, Strike, Attack गिराना
- 31. **Assassinated** (adjective) Murdered, Killed, Executed, Eliminated, Slain **हत्या किया हुआ**
- 32. **Retaliate** (verb) Revenge, Counterattack, Strike back, Respond, Avenge **प्रतिशोध** लेना
- 33. **Strike** (noun) Attack, Assault, Hit, Blow, Raid **हमला**
- 34. **Usher in** (phrasal verb) Introduce, Begin, Initiate, Launch, Herald **যুক্তার কংনা**
- 35. **Development** (noun) Event, happening, occurrence, change, incident, **ঘটনাঞ্চ**ম
- 36. **Axis of Resistance** (noun) An informal coalition of Iranian-supported militias and political organizations across the Middle East.
- 37. **Regime** (noun) Government, Administration, Rule, Authority, Leadership शासन

- 38. **Ally** (noun) Partner, Supporter, Associate, Collaborator, Friend सहयोगी
- 39. **Shrink** (verb) Reduce, Decrease, Diminish, Contract, Decline **कम करना**
- 40. **Hostile** (adjective) Unfriendly, Aggressive, Antagonistic, Opposing, Adverse **शतुतापूर्ण**
- 41. **Provided** (conjunction) If, Assuming, Given, On condition that, Supposing **बश**र्ते
- 42. **Backing** (noun) Support, Assistance, Endorsement, Funding, Sponsorship **समर्थन**
- 43. **Amid** (preposition) Among, In the middle of, Surrounded by, During, Within **के बीच**
- 44. **Reportedly** (adverb) Allegedly, Supposedly, Apparently, Purportedly, Ostensibly कथित तौर पर
- 45. **Possess** (verb) Own, Have, Hold, Control, Acquire **रखना**
- 46. **Acknowledge** (verb) Admit, Recognize, Accept, Concede, Grant **स्वीकार करना**
- 47. **Lasting** (adjective) Enduring, Permanent, Long-term, Persistent, Sustained स्थायी

The Economics times Editorial: Participating women means being safe (12 MAR 2025)

- Barometer (noun) Indicator, Measure, Gauge, Standard, Benchmark मापदंड
- 2. **Spectrum** (noun) Range, Scope, Scale, Gamut, Span विस्तार
- 3. **Spotlight** (noun) Attention, Focus, Limelight, Highlight, Publicity ध्यान
- In keeping with (phrase) Consistent with, In line with, According to, Compatible with, Conforming to के अनुरूप
- 5. **Hardly** (adverb) Barely, Scarcely, Rarely, Almost not, Only just मुश्किल से
- 6. **Enabler** (noun) Facilitator, Supporter, Promoter, Catalyst, Helper **सक्षम करने वाला**
- 7. **Deterrence** (noun) Prevention,
 Discouragement, Hindrance, Obstacle,
 Restraint **निवारण**
- 8. **Exemplary** (adjective) Ideal, Model, Perfect, Admirable, Outstanding उदाहरणात्मक
- 9. **Thereby** (adverb) Consequently, Thus, Therefore, Hence, Accordingly **जिससे**
- 10. Instance (noun) Example, Case, Occurrence, Situation, Event उदाहरण
- 11. **Violation** (noun) Breach, Infringement, Offense, Transgression, Abuse **उल्लंघन**
- 12. **Proactive** (adjective) Active, Initiative, Forward-looking, Preventive, Anticipatory सक्रिय

- 13. **Intimidation** (noun) Threat, Bullying, Harassment, Coercion, Fear **धमकी**
- 14. **Direct** (verb) Aim, Point, Guide, Channel, Focus निर्देशित करना
- 15. **Via** (preposition) Through, By means of, Using, By way of, With the help of **के माध्यम** से
- 16. **Pragmatic** (adjective) Practical, Realistic, Sensible, Logical, Down-to-earth व्यावहारिक
- 17. **Means** (noun) Method, Way, Approach, Mode, Technique **साधन**
- 18. **Well-being** (noun) Welfare, Health, Happiness, Comfort, Prosperity **कल्याण**
- 19. Incentive (noun) Motivation, Encouragement, Stimulus, Inducement, Spur प्रोत्साहन
- 20. **Mechanism** (noun) System, Process, Procedure, Method, Structure तंत्र
- 21. **Reliable** (adjective) Dependable, Trustworthy, Consistent, Steady, Faithful विश्वसनीय
- 22. **Affordable** (adjective) Inexpensive, Reasonable, Economical, Low-cost, Budgetfriendly **सस्ता**
- 23. **Pedestrian** (adjective) Ordinary, Common, Mundane, Uninspired, Dull **साधारण**

The Indian Express Editorial: World Air Quality report (13 MAR 2025)

- Sobering (adjective) Serious, Thoughtprovoking, Grave, Alarming, Humbling गंभीर
- 2. **Significant** (adjective) Important, Notable, Considerable, Substantial, Meaningful महत्वपूर्ण
- 3. At times (phrase) Sometimes, Occasionally, Periodically, Now and then, From time to time **ਰਾਮੀ**-ਰਾਮੀ
- 4. **Nudge** (verb) Push, Prompt, Encourage, Prod, Urge **प्रोत्साहित करना**
- 5. Intervention (noun) Involvement, Interference, Mediation, Intrusion, Intercession हस्तक्षेप
- 6. **Lead** (to) (verb) Cause, Result in, Bring about, Produce, Trigger **वजह बनना**
- 7. **Appreciable** (adjective) Noticeable, Significant, Considerable, Substantial, Perceptible **सराहनीय**
- 8. **Tryst** (noun) Meeting, Rendezvous, Encounter, Appointment, Engagement **मुलाकात**
- 9. **Toxic** (adjective) Poisonous, Harmful, Noxious, Deadly, Venomous विषेता
- 10. **Adjoining** (adjective) Neighboring, Adjacent, Next, Bordering, Contiguous **सटा** हुआ
- 11. **Finding** (noun) Discovery, Conclusion, Result, Observation, Outcome **निष्कर्ष**
- 12. **Frame** (verb) Structure, Formulate, Shape, Design, Construct **ढांचा बनाना**

- 13. In terms of (phrase) Regarding, Concerning, With respect to, In relation to, As for के संदर्भ में
- 14. Governance (noun) Administration, Management, Rule, Control, Leadership খামন
- 15. **Gradually** (adverb) Slowly, Steadily, Progressively, Step by step, Bit by bit धीरे-धीरे
- 16. **Mechanism** (noun) System, Process, Procedure, Method, Structure तंत्र
- 17. **Emphasis** (noun) Focus, Importance, Stress, Priority, Attention **जोर**
- 18. **By and large** (phrase) Generally, Mostly, Overall, On the whole, For the most part आम तौर पर
- 19. **Modicum** (noun) Small amount, Bit, Trace, Hint, Fragment थोड़ी मात्रा
- 20. **Underline** (verb) Emphasize, Highlight, Stress, Accentuate, Reinforce **जोर देना**
- 21. **Economies** (noun) Countries, Nations, States, Regions, Systems **अर्थव्यवस्था**एं
- 22. **Emerging** (adjective) Developing, Rising, Growing, Budding, Upcoming उभरते हुए
- 23. **Transboundary** (adjective) Cross-border, International, Multinational, Global, Regional सीमा पार
- 24. **Evident** (adjective) Clear, Obvious, Apparent, Visible, Noticeable स्पष्ट
- 25. Advocate (verb) Support, Promote, Champion, Recommend, Endorse समर्थन करना

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- 26. Airshed (noun) Air basin, Atmospheric zone, Pollution zone, Air region, Airspace वायु क्षेत्र
- 27. Disperse (verb) Scatter, Spread, Disseminate, Diffuse, Dissipate फैलाना
- 28. Pollutant (noun) Contaminant, Toxin, Impurity, Waste, Emission प्रदूषक

- 29. Underwhelming (adjective) Disappointing, Unimpressive, Lackluster, Mediocre, Subpar निराशाजनक
- 30. Intransigence (noun) Stubbornness, Inflexibility, Rigidity, Obstinacy, Unyieldingness **हठधर्मिता**

The Times of India Editorial: When parental love is not a guiding light (14 MAR 2025)

- Unappreciated (adjective) Unvalued, Ignored, Overlooked, Neglected, Undervalued अनदेखा किया हुआ
- 2. **The scheme of things** (phrase) the general way that things are organized and relate to each other
- 3. In a bind (phrase) In a dilemma, In a tight spot, In a fix, Trapped, Stuck मुश्किल में
- 4. **Obligation** (noun) Duty, Responsibility, Commitment, Requirement, Burden दायित्व
- 5. **Preceptor** (noun) Mentor, Guide, Teacher, Guru, Instructor गुरु
- 6. **Depict** (verb) Portray, Illustrate, Represent, Describe, Show चित्रित करना
- 7. **Detrimental** (to) (adjective) Harmful,
 Damaging, Injurious, Adverse, Destructive
 हानिकारक
- 8. **Epitome** (noun) Embodiment, Perfect example, Quintessence, Ideal, Symbol प्रतीक
- 9. **Liberation** (noun) Freedom, Emancipation, Release, Salvation, Moksha **मुक्ति**
- 10. **Innate** (adjective) Inborn, Natural, Intrinsic, Inherent, Instinctive **जन्मजात**
- 11. **Inhibit** (verb) Restrain, Hinder, Hamper, Restrict, Impede **रोकना**
- 12. **Seek** (verb) Pursue, Search, Strive, Aspire, Quest **तलाश करना**
- 13. **Wisdom** (noun) Insight, Knowledge, Understanding, Enlightenment, Discernment **ज्ञान**

- 14. Long (for) (verb) Yearn, Crave, Desire, Pine, Aspire तरसना
- 15. In accordance with (phrase) In agreement with, Consistent with, In line with, Following, As per के अनुसार
- 16. **Emphasise** (verb) Highlight, Stress, Underline, Accentuate, Reinforce **जोर देना**
- 17. Validation (noun) Approval, Confirmation, Endorsement, Ratification, Acceptance मान्यता
- 18. **For instance** (phrase) For example, Such as, Like, As an illustration, To illustrate **उदाहरण के लिए**
- 19. Succeed (verb) take over a throne, office, or other position from उत्तराधिकारी हॉना
- 20. **Eventually** (adverb) Ultimately, Finally, In the end, Sooner or later, At last **अंततः**
- 21. A burning desire (phrase) Intense longing, Passionate wish, Strong craving, Deep yearning, Ardent aspiration तीव्र इच्छा
- 22. **Exile** (noun) Banishment, Expulsion, Deportation, Isolation, Separation **निर्वासन**
- 23. **Mentee** (noun) Disciple, Student, Protégé, Learner, Follower शिष्य
- 24. **Lie** (in) (verb) Reside, Exist, Rest, Dwell, Be situated **निहित होना**
- 25. **Detachment** (noun) Disengagement, Separation, Indifference, Aloofness, Renunciation **वैराग्य**

- 26. **Delight** (noun) Joy, Pleasure, Happiness, Bliss, Satisfaction **आनंद**
- 27. **Content** (noun) Satisfaction, Fulfillment, Happiness, Peace, Gratification संतोष
- 28. **Abandon** (verb) Renounce, Relinquish, Forsake, Desert, Give up त्यागना
- 29. **Surrender** (verb) Yield, Submit, Relinquish, Give in, Capitulate **समर्पण करना**
- 30. **Sinful** (adjective) Wicked, Immoral, Unrighteous, Evil, Impure **पापी**
- 31. **Vigilant** (adjective) Watchful, Alert, Attentive, Cautious, Observant **सतर्क**
- 32. **Preach** (verb) Advocate, Propound, Teach, Urge, Exhort **उपदेश देना**
- 33. Take a leaf out of someone's book (phrase) Follow someone's example, Emulate, Imitate, Copy, Learn from किसी के उदाहरण से सीखना
- 34. **Confront** (verb) Face, Challenge, Address, Tackle, Oppose सामना करना

- 35. **Likewise** (adverb) Similarly, In the same way, Equally, Correspondingly, Also उसी तरह
- 36. **Give up** (phrasal verb) Abandon, Relinquish, Renounce, Quit, Surrender छोड़ देना
- 37. **Renounce** (verb) Abandon, Relinquish, Reject, Forsake, Give up **त्यागना**
- 38. **Fruit** (noun) Result, Outcome, Consequence, Product, Reward **फ**ল
- 39. **Renunciation** (noun) Abandonment, Rejection, Relinquishment, Sacrifice, Surrender त्याग
- 40. **Uphold** (verb) Maintain, Support, Preserve, Defend, Sustain **बनाए** रखना
- 41. **Cosmic law** (noun) universal principles or rules that govern the order, harmony, and interconnectedness of the universe and the beings within it, often encompassing spiritual and metaphysical concepts
- 42. **Doership** (noun) Agency, Responsibility, Ownership, Accountability, Control **कर्तृत्व**

The Pioneer editorial: The harsh reality of child labour (15 MAR 2025)

- 1. **Harsh** (adjective) Severe, tough, stringent, unkind, cruel কঠাर
- 2. **Often** (adverb) Frequently, regularly, repeatedly, commonly, usually अवसर
- Result in (phrasal verb) Lead to, cause, bring about, give rise to, produce के परिणामस्वरूप होना
- 4. **Exploitation** (noun) Abuse, misuse, manipulation, taking advantage of, unfair treatment शोषण
- 5. **Wake up** (phrasal verb) Arise, get up, awaken, come to consciousness, rise जাगना
- 6. **Head off** (to) (phrasal verb) Go to, move towards, proceed to, set out for, make one's way to के लिए रवाना होना
- 7. **Bear the burden of** (phrase) Endure, carry, shoulder, cope with, handle का बोझ उठाना
- 8. **Drop out** (phrasal verb) Leave, quit, withdraw, give up, abandon छोड़ना
- 9. **Meagre** (adjective) Insufficient, scanty, paltry, inadequate, sparse अल्प
- 10. **Sustain** (verb) Support, maintain, keep up, uphold, nourish पोषण करना
- 11. **Consequently** (adverb) As a result, therefore, hence, thus, subsequently परिणामस्वरूप
- 12. **Give up** (phrasal verb) Abandon, relinquish, quit, surrender, cease त्याग देना
- 13. **Grave** (adjective) Serious, severe, critical, significant, weighty गंभीर

- 14. **Alarming** (adjective) Disturbing, frightening, worrying, shocking, startling चिंताजनक
- 15. **Prevalent** (adjective) Widespread, common, pervasive, rampant, ubiquitous प्रचलित
- 16. **Disadvantaged** (adjective) Underprivileged, deprived, poor, needy, impoverished वंचित
- 17. **Compel** (verb) Force, oblige, necessitate, pressure, coerce মতৰু কংনা
- 18. **Strip of** (phrasal verb) Deprive of, take away, remove, dispossess, divest छीन लेना
- 19. **Perpetuate** (verb) Continue, maintain, sustain, prolong, preserve बनाए रखना
- 20. **Poverty** (noun) Deprivation, destitution, indigence, impoverishment, need गरीबी
- 21. **Hamper** (verb) Hinder, obstruct, impede, inhibit, restrict ৰাখা ভালনা
- 22. **Toil** (verb) Labor, work hard, drudge, struggle, exert oneself मेहनत करना
- 23. **III** (adjective) Sick, unwell, unhealthy, ailing, infirm बीमार
- 24. **Point out** (phrasal verb) Indicate, mention, note, highlight, draw attention to इंगित करना
- 25. **Vulnerable** (adjective) Susceptible, exposed, at risk, defenseless, weak असुरक्षित
- 26. **Predominately** (adverb) Mainly, primarily, chiefly, largely, mostly मुख्य रूप से
- 27. **Dire** (adjective) Terrible, dreadful, extreme, severe, urgent भयानक

- 28. **Abandon** (verb) Leave, forsake, desert, give up, relinquish त्यागना
- 29. **Assert** (verb) Declare, state, affirm, claim, insist दावा करना
- 30. **Statistic** (noun) Data point, figure, number, metric, piece of data आँकड़ा
- 31. **Encourage** (verb) Support, promote, inspire, stimulate, motivate प्रोत्साहित करना
- 32. **Overshadow** (verb) appear more prominent or important than. पर भारी पड़ना
- 33. **Provision** (noun) Supply, provision, furnishing, allocation, distribution प्रावधान
- 34. **Trafficker** (noun) Smuggler, dealer, trader, peddler, illicit trader तरकर
- 35. **Exploit** (verb) Take advantage of, misuse, abuse, manipulate, utilize शोषण करना
- 36. **Vulnerability** (noun) Susceptibility, weakness, exposure, risk, defenselessness असुरक्षा
- 37. **Numerous** (adjective) Many, several, countless, myriad, abundant कई
- 38. **Remote** (adjective) Distant, faraway, isolated, outlying, secluded दूरस्थ
- 39. **Carry out** (phrasal verb) Perform, conduct, execute, implement, accomplish करना

- 40. **Systematic** (adjective) Methodical, organized, structured, planned, orderly व्यवस्थित
- 41. **Vigilance** (noun) Watchfulness, alertness, attentiveness, caution, surveillance चौकसी
- 42. **Eradicate** (verb) Eliminate, remove, abolish, destroy, wipe out समाप्त करना
- 43. **Brick kiln** (noun) A furnace or oven for burning bricks, often a place where bricks are made and fired ईਂਟ ਮੜ੍ਹੀ
- 44. **Observe** (verb) Celebrate, keep, remember, perform मनाना
- 45. **Introspection** (noun) Self-examination, reflection, contemplation, self-analysis, meditation आत्मनिरीक्षण
- 46. **Confront** (verb) Face, tackle, challenge, address, oppose सामना करना
- 47. **Thrust** (into) (verb) Push, force, insert, drive, propel ভালনা
- 48. **Endure** (verb) Suffer, bear, withstand, tolerate, sustain सहना
- 49. **Mar** (verb) Spoil, damage, impair, tarnish, blemish बिगाड़ना
- 50. **Ordeal** (noun) Trial, hardship, suffering, tribulation, difficulty कठिनाई

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The Pioneer Editorial: US tariff war could roil financial, real markets (10 MAR 2025)

- 1. Roil (verb) Agitate, Disturb, Stir, Upset, Disrupt उत्तेजित करना
- 2. Abundantly (adverb) Plentifully, Amply, Lavishly, Generously, Profusely प्रचरता से
- 3. Stir pot (phrase) Cause trouble, Provoke, Agitate, Instigate, Incite उत्तेजना फैलाना
- 4. Vigorously (adverb) Energetically, Forcefully, Strongly, Intensely, Actively जोरदार ढंग से
- 5. State (noun) Condition, Situation, Position, Status, Circumstance स्थिति
- 6. Bemused (adjective) Confused, Puzzled, Perplexed, Bewildered, Mystified हका-बक्का
- 7. Bewilderment (noun) Confusion, Perplexity, Puzzle, Disorientation, Bafflement **हक्काबक्कापन**
- 8. **Scrutiny** (noun) Examination, Inspection, Analysis, Review, Investigation **जাব**
- 9. Cavalier (adjective) Careless, Casual, Nonchalant, Indifferent, Offhand लापरवाह
- 10. Disregard (noun) Ignorance, Neglect, Indifference, Overlooking, Disrespect उपेक्षा
- 11. Multipolar (adjective) Diverse, Pluralistic, Decentralized, Balanced, Varied बहुध्वीय
- 12. Bear the brunt (phrase) Suffer the most, Endure, Face, Take the impact, Absorb खामियाजा भुगतना

- 13. Opprobrium (noun) Disgrace, Shame, Infamy, Disrepute, Scorn अपमान
- 14. Multipolarity (noun) Diversity, Plurality, Decentralization, Balance, Variety बहुध्रुवीयता
- 15. Stable (adjective) Steady, Firm, Constant, Balanced, Secure स्थिर
- 16. Hackle (noun) Anger, Irritation, Annoyance, Resentment, Provocation गुस्सा
- 17. **Dead-wrong** (adjective) Completely wrong, Mistaken, Incorrect, Erroneous, Inaccurate पूरी तरह गलत
- 18. Lead (to) (verb) Cause, Result in, Bring about, Produce, Trigger वजह बनना
- 19. Compression (noun) Reduction, Contraction, Squeezing, Condensation, Shrinking संपीडन
- 20. Throughout (preposition) Across, All over, During, Through, Over पूरे
- 21. Eventually (adverb) Finally, Ultimately, In time, Sooner or later, At last अततः
- 22. Take refuge (phrase) Seek shelter, Find safety, Hide, Escape, Protect **शरण लेना**
- 23. Proposition (noun) Proposal, Suggestion, Idea, Plan, Offer प्रस्ताव
- 24. **Sound** (verb) Seem, look, appear प्रतीत होना

- 25. Unpredictable (adjective) Uncertain, Erratic, Unstable, Volatile, Random अप्रत्याशित
- 26. Manageable (adjective) Controllable, Tolerable, Feasible, Achievable, Easy to handle प्रबंधनीय
- 27. **Deficit** (noun) Shortfall, Deficiency, Lack, Shortage, Gap **घाटा**
- 28. Potent (adjective) Powerful, Strong, Effective, Influential, Forceful प्रभावशाली
- 29. Undertake (verb) Take on, Begin, Start, Embark on, Commit शुरू करना
- 30. Deficit financing (noun) When a government finances expenditures by borrowing money rather than raising taxes घाटे की वित्त व्यवस्था
- 31. In order to (phrase) To, For the purpose of, So as to, With the aim of, For **ता**कि
- 32. **Deficient** (adjective) Lacking, Insufficient, Inadequate, Short, Scarce कमी वाला
- 33. **Downturn** (noun) Decline, Slump, Recession, Slowdown, Drop मंदी
- 34. Insist (on) (verb) Demand, Persist, Urge, Maintain, Assert जोर देना
- 35. Engulf (verb) Overwhelm, Swallow, Consume, Envelop, Submerge निगलना
- 36. Overarching (adjective) Comprehensive, All-encompassing, Broad, Universal, Dominant व्यापक
- 37. Pound sterling (noun) British currency पाउंड स्टर्लिंग

- 38. Reflect (on) (verb) Think, Consider, Ponder, Contemplate, Meditate विचार करना
- 39. Preeminence (noun) Superiority, Dominance, Supremacy, Excellence, Prominence श्रेष्ठता
- 40. Bloc (noun) Alliance, Coalition, Group, Union, Faction गुट
- 41. Come into existence (phrase) Emerge, Form, Arise, Begin, Start अस्तित्व में आना
- 42. Surge (noun) Rise, Increase, Upsurge, Wave, Growth **तेजी**
- 43. Unlikely (adjective) Improbable, Doubtful, Unbelievable, Unthinkable, Implausible असंभावित
- 44. Unscathed (adjective) Unharmed, Unhurt, Uninjured, Safe, Intact स्रिंत
- 45. Perhaps (adverb) Maybe, Possibly, Perchance, Conceivably, Potentially शायद
- 46. Skyrocket (verb) Soar, Surge, Increase rapidly, Shoot up, Escalate तेजी से बढ़ना
- 47. In all respects (phrase) Completely, Totally, Entirely, Fully, Wholly **हर मामले में**
- 48. Worse off (phrasal verb) Poorer, Disadvantaged, Deprived, Suffering, Struggling **बदतर स्थिति में**
- 49. Varying (adjective) Different, Diverse, Changing, Fluctuating, Mixed विविध
- 50. Ambiguous (adjective) Unclear, Vague, Uncertain, Indefinite, Obscure अस्पष्ट

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- 51. **Pin one's hopes on** (phrase) Rely on, Depend on, Trust, Count on, Bank on **आशा** रखना
- 52. **Buy time** (phrase) to do something that allows you to have more time to finish something
- 53. **Navigate** (verb) Steer, Guide, Direct, Maneuver, Pilot **मार्गदर्शन करना**

- 54. **Choppy waters** (phrase) Turbulence, Difficulty, Trouble, Uncertainty, Instability **उथल-पृथल**
- 55. Ingenuity (noun) Creativity, Inventiveness, Resourcefulness, Cleverness, Innovation सरवा
- 56. **Sagacity** (noun) Wisdom, Intelligence, Insight, Judgement, Prudence बुद्धिमत्ता
- 57. **Abundance** (noun) Plenty, Profusion, Wealth, Copiousness, Ample **प्रयुरता**

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- Diverse (adjective) Varied, Multifaceted, Mixed, Heterogeneous, Assorted विविध
- 2. **Woo** (verb) Attract, Entice, Lure, Persuade, Court **आकर्षित करना**
- 3. **Framework** (noun) Structure, System, Plan, Model, Outline **ढांचा**
- 4. **Lean** (verb) Incline, Tend, Favor, Gravitate, Be prone to **झुकना**
- 5. **Govern** (verb) Control, Regulate, Manage, Rule, Direct शासन करना
- 6. **Light-touch** (adjective) Minimal, Gentle, Soft, Limited, Moderate **हल्का**
- 7. **In-force** (adjective) Active, Operational, Effective, Valid, Applicable प्रभावी
- 8. **Reasonable** (adjective) Fair, Rational, Logical, Sensible, Justified **उचित**
- 9. **Guardrail** (noun) Protection, Safety measure, Barrier, Safeguard, Fence सुरक्षा
- 10. **Ticket size** (noun) Investment amount, Entry level, Minimum investment, Capital, Stake **निवेश राशि**
- 11. **Given** (preposition) Considering, Granted, Provided, Acknowledging, Assumed **देखते** हुए
- 12. Track record (noun) Past performance
- 13. **Take off** (phrasal verb) Launch, Begin, Start, Succeed, Lift off **शुरू होना**
- 14. **Fly-by-night entity** (noun) someone who wants to make money very quickly,

- without caring about the quality or honesty of the service they offer
- 15. **Vertical** (noun) a business niche or market, or to an economic strategy
- 16. **Substitute** (verb) Replace, Exchange, Swap, Alternate, Stand in **किसी के स्थान पर रखना**
- 17. **Distinctive** (adjective) Unique, Special, Characteristic, Notable, Remarkable বিথাষ্ট
- 18. Adhere (to) (verb) Follow, Comply, Abide, Stick, Conform **पालन ক**रना
- 19. **Extant** (adjective) Existing, Current, Surviving, Present, Remaining **मौजूदा**
- 20. **Respects** (noun) Aspects, Regards, Details, Features, Elements **पहल्**
- 21. **Mandate** (verb) Require, Order, Direct, Command, Authorize **अनिवार्य करना**
- 22. **Derivative** (noun) a financial product such as an option (= the right to buy or sell something in the future) that has a value based on the value of another product, such as shares or bonds
- 23. **Exposure** (noun) Risk, Vulnerability, Liability, Susceptibility, Involvement **जोखिम**
- 24. **Redemption** (noun) the act of exchanging shares or bonds for cash
- 25. Intermittent (adjective) Sporadic, Occasional, Irregular, Periodic, Fitful **रुक**-**रुक कर**

- 26. **In contrast to** (phrase) Unlike, Compared to, As opposed to, Contrary to, Differently from के विपरीत
- 27. A plain vanilla fund (noun) the most basic or standard version of a financial instrument, usually options, bonds, futures, and swaps साधारण फंड
- 28. **Entail** (verb) Involve, Require, Necessitate, Include, Demand **आवश्यक** बनाना
- 29. **Hedge fund** (noun) an offshore investment fund, typically formed as a private limited partnership, that engages in speculation using credit or borrowed capital.

- 30. **Patronise** (verb) Support, Sponsor, Back, Fund, Promote **संरक्षण देना**
- 31. Appeal (verb) Attract, Interest, Fascinate, Engage, Draw आकर्षित करना
- 32. **Minimal** (adjective) Minimum, Least, Smallest, Negligible, Bare **न्यूनतम**
- 33. **Diverse** (adjective) Varied, Multifaceted, Mixed, Heterogeneous, Assorted विविध
- 34. Taste success (phrase) Achieve success, Succeed, Win, Triumph, Prosper सफलता पाना

The Times of India Editorial: A chance to awaken miracle of mind (12 **MAR 2025)**

- 1. Awaken (verb) Rouse, Stir, Waken, Revive, Arouse जागृत करना
- 2. Prominent (adjective) Notable, Distinguished, Eminent, Leading, Famous प्रमुख
- 3. Creed (noun) Belief, Faith, Doctrine, Religion, Ideology संप्रदाय
- 4. Lunar calendar (noun) Moon calendar, Islamic calendar, Chinese calendar, Traditional calendar चंद्र कैलेंडर
- 5. **Upsurge** (noun) Surge, Rise, Increase, Growth, Upswing **उछাल**
- Awake (adjective) Conscious, Alert, Aware, Wakeful, Attentive जागरूक
- 7. Consciousness (noun) Awareness, Perception, Understanding, Sense, Mind चेतना
- 8. Asleep (adjective) Sleeping, Unconscious, Dormant, Inactive, Comatose सोया हुआ
- 9. Slumber (noun) Sleep, Rest, Dormancy, Nap, Repose नींद
- 10. Upright (adjective) Vertical, Erect, Straight, Honest, Moral सीधा
- 11. Heightened (adjective) Increased, Intensified, Elevated, Enhanced, Amplified बढ़ा हुआ
- 12. State (noun) Condition, Situation, Position, Status, Circumstance स्थिति

- 13. Exemplify (verb) Illustrate, Represent, Demonstrate, Symbolize, Embody उदाहरण देना
- 14. Boundless (adjective) Infinite, Limitless, Unlimited, Vast, Endless असीम
- 15. Conventional (adjective) Traditional, Standard, Ordinary, Typical, Common परंपरागत
- 16. Embodiment (noun) Personification, Incarnation, Manifestation, Representation, Symbol **अवतार**
- 17. Stillness (noun) Calm, Quiet, Tranquility, Serenity, Peace शांति
- 18. Dynamism (noun) Energy, Vigor, Vitality, Force. Drive गतिशीलता
- 19. Absolute (adjective) Complete, Total, Utter, Perfect, Unconditional पूर्ण
- 20. Cosmos (noun) Universe, Galaxy, Space, Creation, World **ब्रह्मांड**
- 21. Entangle (verb) Trap, Snare, Ensnare, Confuse, Complicate उलझाना
- 22. Misery (noun) Suffering, Distress, Pain, Anguish, Sorrow **दुख**
- 23. Inward (adjective) Internal, Inner, Inside, Interior, Hidden आंतरिक
- 24. Harmony (noun) Balance, Unity, Accord, Peace, Synchronization सामंजस्य
- 25. Bliss (noun) Joy, Happiness, Ecstasy, Delight, Euphoria **आनंद**

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- 26. **Out of sync** (phrase) Uncoordinated, Mismatched, Disjointed, Unbalanced, Discordant **असंगत**
- 27. **Chaos** (noun) Disorder, Confusion, Turmoil, Anarchy, Mayhem **अराजकता**
- 28. **Toxic** (adjective) Poisonous, Harmful, Noxious, Deadly, Venomous विषेला
- 29. **Compulsive** (adjective) Obsessive, Addictive, Uncontrollable, Irresistible, Driven **मजबूरी वाला**
- 30. **Humanity** (noun) Mankind, Humankind, People, Society, Civilization **मानवता**
- 31. **Precarious** (adjective) Unstable, Uncertain, Risky, Dangerous, Shaky अनिश्रित
- 32. **Harness** (verb) Utilize, Control, Exploit, Channel, Manage **उपयोग करना**

- 33. **Compassionate** (adjective) Kind, Sympathetic, Empathetic, Caring, Benevolent **दयालु**
- 34. **Inclusive** (adjective) Comprehensive, Allencompassing, Broad, Wide-ranging, Universal **समावेशी**
- 35. **Dimension** (noun) Aspect, Perspective, Scope, Element, Feature **पह**লু
- 36. **Evoke** (verb) Elicit, Provoke, Stir, Arouse, Inspire **उत्पन्न करना**
- 37. **Conduit** (noun) Channel, Medium, Pathway, Pipeline, Vehicle **माध्यम**
- 38. **Grace** (noun) Elegance, Charm, Dignity, Favor, Blessing कृपा

The Indian Express Editorial: US economy (13 MAR 2025)

- 1. **Recession** (noun) Downturn, Slump, Decline, Depression, Stagnation मंदी
- 2. **Slowdown** (noun) Decline, Deceleration, Downturn, Slump, Reduction **中请**
- 3. **Gain traction** (phrase) Gain momentum, Become popular, Catch on, Succeed, Progress प्रभावी होना
- 4. Market meltdown (noun) Crash, Collapse, Decline, Plunge, Drop बाजार गिरावट
- 5. **Rule out** (phrasal verb) Exclude, Eliminate, Reject, Dismiss, Discard **खारिज** करना
- 6. Seek (verb) Pursue, Attempt, Strive, Request, Aim तलाश करना
- 7. **Deflect** (verb) Divert, Redirect, Distract, Sidetrack, Avert **मोड़ना**
- 8. Transition (noun) Change, Shift, Transformation, Conversion, Passage परिवर्तन
- 9. **Downturn** (noun) Decline, Slump, Recession, Slowdown, Deceleration **中む**
- 10. **Peg** (verb) Fix, Set, Attach, Pin, Anchor स्थिर करना
- 11. **Volatile** (adjective) Unstable, Unpredictable, Erratic, Fluctuating, Changeable अस्थिर
- 12. **Up** (verb) Increase, Raise, Boost, Enhance, Elevate **बढ़ाना**
- 13. **The odds** (noun) Chances, Probability, Likelihood, Possibility, Prospects **संभावना**

- 14. **Considerable** (adjective) Significant, Substantial, Large, Ample, Notable **काफी**
- 15. **Play out** (phrasal verb) Unfold, Develop, Evolve, Progress, Happen घटित होना
- 16. **Retaliatory** (adjective) Revengeful, Punitive, Counteractive, Vindictive, Reprisal **प्रतिशोधी**
- 17. **Back and forth** (phrase) To and fro, Alternately, Reciprocally, Repeatedly, Oscillating आगे-पीछे
- 18. **Levy** (verb) Impose, Charge, Tax, Collect, Enforce **लगाना**
- 19. **Reflect** (verb) Indicate, Show, Suggest, Demonstrate, Reveal **प्रदर्शित करना**
- 20. **Edge** (verb) Move gradually, Inch, Creep, Advance, Progress **धीरे-धीरे बढ़ना**
- 21. **So far** (phrase) Until now, Up to now, Thus far, To date, As yet **अ**ब तक
- 22. **Hum** (verb) Buzz, Thrive, Operate, Function, Work **चलना**
- 23. **Hold up** (phrasal verb) Sustain, Maintain, Endure, Support, Withstand **टिके रहना**
- 24. **Marginally** (adverb) Slightly, Barely, Minimally, Narrowly, Fractionally **थोड़ा**
- 25. **Implication** (noun) Consequence, Effect, Impact, Ramification, Outcome **प्रभाव**
- 26. **For instance** (phrase) For example, Such as, Like, Including, Namely **उदाहरण के लिए**

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- 27. **Think tank** (noun) Research institute, Policy group, Advisory body, Brain trust, Institute **विचार मंच**
- 28. **Retail inflation** (noun) the rate at which the cost of goods and services increases over time
- 29. **Core inflation** (noun) the change in prices of goods and services, except for those from the food and energy sectors.
- 30. Imposition (noun) Enforcement, Application, Levy, Introduction, Infliction लागू करना

- 31. **Inflationary** (adjective) Price-increasing, Cost-raising, Inflation-causing, Rising, Escalating मुद्रास्फीतिक
- 32. **Ease** (verb) Reduce, Lessen, Alleviate, Relax, Mitigate कम करना
- 33. **Stance** (noun) Position, Attitude, Standpoint, Viewpoint, Approach **হৃত্**
- 34. **Clue** (noun) Hint, Indication, Sign, Signal, Evidence संकेत
- 35. **Trajectory** (noun) Path, Course, Direction, Route, Trend **प्रक्षेपवक्र**

The Indian Express Editorial: Inflation is down (14 MAR 2025)

- Room (noun) Space, Scope, Opportunity, Margin, Leeway गुंजाइश
- 2. **Moderate** (verb) Reduce, Decrease, Lessen, Diminish, Ease **कम करना**
- 3. Inflation (noun) Price rise, Cost increase, Economic inflation, Escalation, Surge मुद्रास्फीति
- 4. **So far** (phrase) Until now, Up to this point, Thus far, To date, Heretofore **अब**
- 5. **Forecast** (noun) Prediction, Projection, Estimate, Outlook, Prognosis **पूर्वा**नुमान
- 6. Monetary policy committee (noun) a six-member committee, constituted by the Indian government under the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, responsible for determining the policy interest rate (reporate) to achieve the inflation target मौद्रिक नीति समिति
- Headline inflation (noun) the overall measure of inflation within an economy, encompassing all goods and services, including volatile sectors like food and energy, as measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI)
- 8. **Drive** (verb) Propel, Push, Influence, Spur, Motivate **प्रेरित करना**
- 9. **Soften** (verb) Ease, Reduce, Weaken, Moderate, Alleviate **कम करना**
- 10. **Driver** (noun) Catalyst, Factor, Cause, Contributor, Influence **কাংক**
- 11. Witness (verb) Observe, Experience, See, Undergo, Encounter अनुभव करना

- 12. **Steep** (adjective) Sharp, Sudden, Drastic, Rapid, Precipitous तेज
- 13. **Deflation** (noun) reduction of the general level of prices in an economy. अपस्फीति
- 14. **Elevated** (adjective) High, Increased, Raised, Heightened, Escalated **बढ़ा हुआ**
- 15. Adverse (adjective) Unfavorable, Harmful, Negative, Detrimental, Hostile प्रतिकृत
- 16. **Bode well** (phrase) Indicate positively, Suggest favorably, Promise well, Signal good, Foretell success अच्छा संकेत देना
- 17. **Alongside** (adverb) Simultaneously, Together, Concurrently, Side by side, In parallel **साथ-साथ**
- 18. **Core inflation** (noun) a measure of the underlying trend of inflation in an economy, calculated by excluding volatile items like food and energy prices from the overall inflation rate मूल मुद्रास्फीति
- 19. **Subdued** (adjective) Low, Moderate, Muted, Restrained, Controlled **कमजोर**
- 20. **Muted** (adjective) Softened, Dampened, Subdued, Tempered, Restrained ਸੇਂਫ
- 21. **Recreation** (noun) Leisure, Entertainment, Amusement, Relaxation, Pastime **मनोरंजन**
- 22. **Amusement** (noun) Entertainment, Enjoyment, Fun, Pleasure, Recreation **आनंद**

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- 23. Attributed (to) (adjective) Credited, Assigned, Linked, Ascribed, Connected जिम्मेदार ठहराया गया
- 24. Unanimously (adverb) Consensually, Agreed, Without opposition, Collectively, Harmoniously **सर्वसम्मति से**
- 25. Repo rate (noun) the interest rate at which the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) loans money to commercial banks
- 26. Basis point (noun) 100 basis point = 1%
- 27. The odds (noun) Probability, Likelihood, Chances, Possibility, Prospects **संभावना**

- 28. Aid (verb) Assist, Help, Support, Facilitate, Boost सहायता करना
- 29. Transmission (noun) Transfer, Conveyance, Spread, Flow, Diffusion संचरण
- 30. Peg (verb) Fix, Set, Anchor, Stabilize, Lock स्थिर करना
- 31. Dynamic (noun) Interaction, Relationship, Process, Mechanism, Evolution गतिशीलता
- 32. Evolve (verb) Develop, Progress, Advance, Transform, Grow विकसित होना

The Economic times Editorial: Loosen the chokehold on our city roads (15 MAR 2025)

- Loosen (verb) Relax, slacken, ease, release, reduce ढीला करना
- 2. **Chokehold** (noun) Stranglehold, grip, control, constriction, domination <u>दे</u>बाव
- 3. **Decongest** (verb) Unclog, clear, free up, alleviate, reduce भीड़ कम करना
- 4. **Hurrah** (verb) Cheer, applaud, celebrate, acclaim, laud जयकार करना
- 5. **Urbanisation** (noun) City development, metropolitan growth, urban growth, city expansion, urban sprawl नगरीकरण
- 6. **Upward mobility** (noun) movement or the ability to move to a higher social class सामाजिक उन्नति
- 7. **Clogged** (adjective) Blocked, congested, jammed, choked, obstructed जाम हुई
- 8. **Snowball** (verb) Escalate, intensify, increase, grow, expand बढना
- 9. **Rational** (adjective) Logical, reasonable, sensible, coherent, sound तर्कसंगत
- 10. **Retrofit** (verb) To add a component or accessory to something that did not have it when it was manufactured, or to modify something with new or updated parts. पुराने उपकरणों या प्रणालियों में नए या उन्नत भागों को जोडना या संशोधित करना।
- 11. **Pell-mell** (adjective) Haphazard, chaotic, disorderly, random, unplanned अव्यवस्थित
- 12. **Congestion** (noun) Overcrowding, blockage, traffic jam, bottleneck, gridlock भीड़

- 13. **Neighbourhood** (noun) Community, district, area, locality, vicinity पड़ोस
- 14. **Infrastructure** (noun) Facilities, systems, structures, framework, amenities ওবर্মरचना
- 15. **Ride-hailing service** (noun) Taxi service, cab service, transportation service, car hire service, on-demand ride service सवारी सेवा
- 16. **Inelastic** (adjective) not changing much, or not allowing much change: स्थिर
- 17. **Front** (noun) Area, aspect, dimension, field, sector ঘূৰ্
- 18. **Quantum** (noun) Amount, quantity, measure, portion, volume मात्रा
- 19. **Up** (verb) Increase, raise, boost, elevate, enhance বুটানা
- 20. **Stagnant** (adjective) Inactive, still, static, immobile, unchanging स्थिर
- 21. **Progressive** (adjective) Forward-looking, advanced, modern, innovative, reformist प्रगतिशील
- 22. **Differential parking rate** (noun) Variable parking fee
- 23. **Reflect** (verb) Indicate, show, display, represent, mirror दिखाना
- 24. **Efficient** (adjective) Effective, proficient, competent, productive, streamlined কুথাব

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- 25. **Optimise** (verb) Maximize, enhance, improve, make the most of, perfect अनुकूलित करना
- 26. **Existing** (adjective) Current, present, in place, established, available मौजूदा
- 27. **Amenable** (to) (adjective) Open, receptive, responsive, agreeable, compliant अनुकूल

- 28. **Well-heeled** (adjective) Wealthy, affluent, rich, prosperous, well-off धनी
- 29. **Outing** (noun) Excursion, trip, jaunt, excursion, adventure यात्रा
- 30. **Silver bullet** (phrase) a quick solution to a difficult problem
- 31. **Reach out** (phrasal verb) Extend, offer, contact, communicate, approach पहुँचना