

## 1. Extrapolation

Short Definition : projection; conjecture; V. extrapolate: infer (unknown information) from known information

Definition (noun) (mathematics) calculation of the value of a function outside the range of known values

Definition (noun) an inference about the future (or about some hypothetical situation) based on known facts and observations

During election time many news channels show extrapole of elections they just try to make predict who will going to win election based on current known information  
extrapolation is similar

rem extrapolation in maths

## 2. Malingerer

Short Definition : one who feigns illness to escape duty; V. malinge: feign illness to avoid work

Definition (noun) someone shirking their duty by feigning illness or incapacity

Synonyms :

shammer

skulker

Ma linger= child lingering around her mom to avoid going to school.

mali+inger(sounds like injure)(p.s MY MALI IS INDER :))))),.....my mali got injured yesterday while working... so today he is feigning illness and refused to come

## 3. Cacophonous

Short Definition : discordant; inharmonious; N. cacophony: unpleasant mixture of loud sounds

Definition (adj) having an unpleasant sound

Synonyms :  
cacophonous

Example Sentence

as cacophonous as a henyard

caco sounds like cactus and phonous like phone. So kindly try to remember it like this...a phone with a cactus makes irritating sounds.

symphony is pleasing music of well tuned. cacophony is opposite to it made up uneven rhythm and it should be called as noise not song

## 4. Insularity

Short Definition : narrow-mindedness; isolation; ADJ. insular: of an island; isolated; narrow-minded; CF. peninsula

Definition (noun) the state of being isolated or detached

Synonyms :  
detachment  
insularism  
insulation

Example Sentence

the insulation of England was preserved by the English Channel

we insulate electrical wires.. by insulating , we are ISOLATING the wires from the environment...

Insularity sounds like insulted the narrow-minded people

## 5. Impermeable

Short Definition : impervious; not permitting passage through its substance; impossible to permeate

Definition (adj) preventing especially liquids to pass or diffuse through

Example Sentence

impermeable stone

an impermeable layer of scum

a coat impermeable to rain

im(no)+permeable(permission)that means no permission for seepage.

## 6. Occlude

Short Definition : shut; close; obstruct; Ex. A blood clot occluded an artery.

Definition (verb) block passage through

Synonyms :

block

close up

impede

jam

obstruct

obturate

Example Sentence

obstruct the path

when you include someone they are welcome and the gates are always open but when you OCCLUDE(rhymes with EXCLUDE), they are unwelcome and hence the gates are SHUT or CLOSED on them.

clude originates from cludere.. which means close..

## 7. Denigrate

Short Definition : blacken; defame

Definition (verb) cause to seem less serious; play down

Synonyms :

belittle

derogate

minimize

Example Sentence

Don't belittle his influence

Definition (verb) charge falsely or with malicious intent; attack the good name and reputation of someone

Synonyms :

asperse

besmirch

calumniate

defame

slander

smear

smirch

sully

Example Sentence

The journalists have defamed me!

The article in the paper sullied my reputation

focus on the 'nigrate' part of this word and relate it to 'nigger' (which means people who have black skin)  
no racism plz...

denigrate -> take out the ni de(ni)grate.  
now its degrade. tht s to defame or disparage sumone..

## 8. Aberrant

Short Definition : abnormal or deviant

Definition (noun) one whose behavior departs substantially from the norm of a group

Definition (adj) markedly different from an accepted norm

Synonyms :

deviant

deviate

Example Sentence

aberrant behavior

deviant ideas

(Tag: Global) ab (away) + err (error) + ant : focus on ERR and ANT. Ants normally move together in a queue. imagine all these ants moving randomly like a group of honey bees. That would be abnormal behaviour.

aberrant behaviour of owner abb agar rent nahi diya

## 9. Truculence

Short Definition : aggressiveness; ferocity; ADJ. truculent: aggressive; pugnacious; fierce

Definition (noun) obstreperous and defiant aggressiveness

Synonyms :  
truculency

truc(sound like truck) + cull(means to kill animals) + ance(hence).. the truck driver culled some of the animal while driving, hence the villagers are angry with him and are aggressively barring him from entering the village.

sounds very similar to DRACULA which is damn aggressive

## 10. Dichotomy

Short Definition : division into two opposite parts; split; branching into two parts (especially contradictory ones)

Definition (noun) being twofold; a classification into two opposed parts or subclasses

Synonyms :  
duality

Example Sentence

the dichotomy between eastern and western culture

can be think as di + cut \_ ... so dichotomy is cutting into two parts

dikho- â€˜in two, apartâ€™ + -tomia

## 11. Vituperative

Short Definition : abusive; scolding; V. vituperate: berate; scold; rail against abusively

Definition (adj) marked by harshly abusive criticism

Synonyms :  
scathing

Example Sentence

his scathing remarks about silly lady novelists

her vituperative railing

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vitu (bite you) + perative (operator) => when you feel so pissed off on a unkind operator, you would say harshy abusive remarks like "I'll bite you operator" :-)

## 12. Plasticity

Short Definition : ability to be molded; ADJ. plastic: capable of being shaped or molded; Ex. plastic material such as clay

Definition (noun) the property of being physically malleable; the property of something that can be worked or hammered or shaped without breaking

Synonyms :  
malleability

Plasticity-plastic-by heating plastic we can mould it to any shape pretty easily without

any breakage.

## 13. Intransigence

Short Definition : refusal of any compromise; stubbornness; ADJ.  
intransigent: uncompromising

Definition (noun) the trait of being intransigent; stubbornly refusing to compromise

Synonyms :  
intransigency

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intransigence -- can be thought of as in-transit....lacking movement when you are stubborn

## 14. Ambivalence

Short Definition : the state of having contradictory or conflicting emotional attitudes or opinions

Definition (noun) mixed feelings or emotions

Synonyms :  
ambivalency

matches with "ambulance" . In case of severe emergency, inside an ambulance, you have mixed emotions.. bachega ya nahi!

ambi = two and valance = place,state(Consider atomic model where last shell is called valance shell, a place for electron )

## 15. Coda



Short Definition : concluding section of a musical or literary composition

Definition (noun) the closing section of a musical composition

Synonyms :  
finale

ie ,conclusive part of the lunch ,is done by soda(coda) by watching music on television.

At the end of a musical or book, rank it by giving it a CODE.

## 16. Mendacious

Short Definition : lying; habitually dishonest; N. mendacity

Definition (adj) given to lying

Example Sentence

a mendacious child

Definition (adj) intentionally untrue

Example Sentence

a mendacious statement

mendacious = requiring mending (correction)

Mendacious - Men are dying for women... so they can do anything to get her including lying....

## 17. Castigation

**Short Definition : punishment; severe criticism or disapproval**

Definition (noun) a severe scolding

Synonyms :

bawling out

chewing out

dressing down

earful

going-over

upbraiding

Definition (noun) verbal punishment

Synonyms :

chastisement

In olden days lower CAST people were severely criticized...

Castigated sounds similar to castrated, which would be a harsh punishment for any guy.

## 18. Soporific

**Short Definition : sleep-causing; marked by sleepiness; drowsy**

Definition (noun) a drug that induces sleep

Synonyms :

hypnotic

Definition (adj) sleep inducing

Synonyms :

hypnagogic

hypnogogic

somniferous

somnific

soporiferous

Definition (adj) inducing mental lethargy

Synonyms :

narcotic  
soporiferous

Example Sentence

a narcotic speech

(in hindi) 100(soo) puri kha kar I felt soporific.

so poor fiction makes u sleepy

## 19. Convoluted

Short Definition : coiled around; twisted; involved; complicated; intricate; complex; N. convolution: twist; one of the convex folds of the surface of the brain

Definition (adj) rolled longitudinally upon itself

Synonyms :  
convolute

Example Sentence

a convolute petal

Definition (adj) highly complex or intricate and occasionally devious

Synonyms :  
byzantine  
involved  
knotty  
tangled  
tortuous

Example Sentence

the Byzantine tax structure

Byzantine methods for holding on to his chairmanship

convoluted legal language

convoluted reasoning

the plot was too involved

a knotty problem

got his way by labyrinthine maneuvering

Oh, what a tangled web we weave

tortuous legal procedures

tortuous negotiations lasting for months

Convolution theorem was very hard to understand!!

volve is root which means to roll. con is prefix which means together. If you roll some thing completely (within it self) it becomes complicated!! and difficult to entangle it!

## 20. Inchoate

Short Definition : (of desire, wish, plan) recently begun; not explicit; at the beginning of development; rudimentary; elementary; Ex. inchoate mass

Definition (adj) only partly in existence; imperfectly formed

Synonyms :  
incipient

Example Sentence

incipient civil disorder

an incipient tumor

a vague inchoate idea

choate seems like "chote"..for example "chote bachche" means not fully grown up or in the initial stage of life.

inch+ ateĩf he ate like inch so not fully developed

## 21. Permeable

Short Definition : that can be permeated; penetrable; porous; allowing liquids or gas to pass through; V. permeate: spread or flow throughout; charge

Definition (adj) allowing fluids or gases to pass or diffuse through

Example Sentence

permeable membranes

rock that is permeable by water

Just remember permit permission

## 22. Discrete

Short Definition : separate; unconnected

Definition (adj) constituting a separate entity or part

Synonyms :  
distinct

Example Sentence

a government with three discrete divisions

on two distinct occasions

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this crate (thats used to keep cold drink bottles ) that keeps the bottles separate n unconnected... so that they don break  
dis+crate

## 23. Tangential

Short Definition : only slightly connected; not central; peripheral; digressing; showing divergence; CF. tangent

Definition (adj) of superficial relevance if any

Synonyms :  
digressive

Example Sentence

a digressive allusion to the day of the week

a tangential remark

Definition (adj) of or relating to or acting along or in the direction of a tangent

Example Sentence

tangential forces

Word Tangent(ial) taken from maths. A tangent is a line that touches a circle with a 90° degree angle. So the meaning comes from there only slightly connected, not central, peripheral.

: a TANGENT touches a circle at exactly 1 pt, so meaning is SLIGHTLY CONNECTED, after touching circle it moves AWAY FROM NORMAL (PERPENDICULAR i.e., radius), so AWAY FROM NORMAL OR CORRECT PATH

## 24. Verbose

Short Definition : wordy; N. verbosity

Definition (adj) using or containing too many words

Synonyms :

long-winded

tedious

windy

wordy

Example Sentence

long-winded (or windy) speakers

verbose and ineffective instructional methods

newspapers of the day printed long wordy editorials

proceedings were delayed by wordy disputes

VER for verbal BOSE for boss; so you may say that your boss is excessively verbal.

verbal overdose:i.e. too many words giving overdose

## 25. Desiccate

Short Definition : dry up

Definition (verb) preserve by removing all water and liquids from

Synonyms :  
dehydrate

Example Sentence

carry dehydrated food on your camping trip

Definition (verb) remove water from

Synonyms :  
dehydrate

Example Sentence

All this exercise and sweating has dehydrated me



Definition (verb) lose water or moisture

Synonyms :

dehydrate

dry up

exsiccate

Example Sentence

In the desert, you get dehydrated very quickly

Definition (adj) lacking vitality or spirit; lifeless

Synonyms :

arid

desiccated

Example Sentence

a technically perfect but arid performance of the sonata

a desiccate romance

a prissy and emotionless creature...settles into a mold of desiccated snobbery

desi cake is always dried up.

"Desert Cake": Cake that has been dried out and turned dull in taste.

## 26. Disabuse

Short Definition : correct a false impression; undeceive; free from a wrong belief

Definition (verb) free somebody (from an erroneous belief)

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story: like a girl fall in love with a rascal, and her father comes to know. what he will do is abuse the boy and disabuse the girl about the boy. simple naa.

## 27. Indigence

Short Definition : poverty

Definition (noun) a state of extreme poverty or destitution

Synonyms :

need

pauperism

pauperization

penury

Example Sentence

their indigence appalled him

a general state of need exists among the homeless

Indica + Zen (Cars)&#8230;Cars owned by poor people. Antonym:"Opulence" which means "Rich" Mnemonic :Opel Astra(It's a car owned by very rich people)

DIG IN for a six pENCE to give the poor

## 28. Salubrious

Short Definition : healthful; conducive to health or well-being; socially

desirable; Ex. salubrious area; CF. health

Definition (adj) promoting health; healthful

Synonyms :  
good for you  
healthy

Example Sentence

a healthy diet

clean healthy air

plenty of healthy sleep

healthy and normal outlets for youthful energy

the salubrious mountain air and water

carrots are good for you

Definition (adj) favorable to health of mind or body

Example Sentence

not the most salubrious campsite

one of the less salubrious suburbs

(related to bollywood)remember salman khan.....all health and all.....

SALLU and BRIOUS(brothers)....sallu and his brothers are healthy....

## 29. Gullible

### Short Definition : easily deceived

Definition (adj) naive and easily deceived or tricked

Synonyms :  
fleeceable  
green

### Example Sentence

at that early age she had been gullible and in love

Definition (adj) easily tricked because of being too trusting

### Example Sentence

gullible tourists taken in by the shell game

Gullible = Gull + ible = girl/galli + able A girl who is able to be tricked or deceived easily.

Gullible: Gul(Girl)+Li(Lie)+Ble(Believe) so girls believe the boys those to lie,since they can deceive easily,so that are GulLiBle,credulous,innocent,trusting,.....

## 30. Chicanery

### Short Definition : trickery; deception

Definition (noun) the use of tricks to deceive someone (usually to extract money from them)

Synonyms :  
chicane  
guile

shenanigan  
trickery  
wile

chicanery sounds like shikari who uses means of deception to trick animals into his traps.

Chicnary: Chicni chupdi baatein karne wala will DECEIVE you!

## 31. Implode

Short Definition : burst inward; CF. vaccum tube

Definition (verb) burst inward

Synonyms :  
go off

Example Sentence

The bottle imploded

ex-'out'+plode-'burst'...so im-'in,inwards'+plode-'burst'...  
so implode means burst inwards

implode:when the load increases it'll be collapsed...so meaning is collapse

## 32. Compliant

Short Definition : readily acting in accordance with a rule, order, or the wishes or others; yielding; conforming to requirements

Definition (adj) disposed or willing to comply

Example Sentence

children compliant with the parental will

one who never complains and obeys everything is compliant !

complain not I am yielding,ready for ur requirements

### 33. Misanthrope

Short Definition : one who hates mankind; misanthropist

Definition (noun) someone who dislikes people in general

Synonyms :  
misanthropist

"misien" in greek means " to hate" and "anthropos" means "mankind" so misanthrope means one who hates mankind

anthropology = study of mankind..

### 34. Viscous

Short Definition : (of a liquid) thick and sticky; gluey; viscid; CF. consistency

Definition (adj) having a relatively high resistance to flow

Synonyms :  
syrupy

Definition (adj) having the sticky properties of an adhesive

Synonyms :  
gluey  
glutinous  
gummy  
mucilaginous

pasty  
sticky  
viscid

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Viscous is like mucus - both mean something sticky or gooey.

## 35. Shard

Short Definition : fragment generally of broken pottery (glass, clay bowl, or cup)

Definition (noun) a broken piece of a brittle artifact

Synonyms :  
fragment  
sherd

s + hard..it is very HARD to join the broken FRAGMENTS OF POTTERY.

sharp and hard , of a glass or pottery....

## 36. Veracious

Short Definition : (of a person) truthful

Definition (adj) habitually speaking the truth

Example Sentence

a veracious witness

Definition (adj) precisely accurate

Synonyms :  
right

Example Sentence

a veracious account

the root word 'VER' refers to true.. hence we can frame words like:  
veracious - truthful and  
verisimilitude - an appearance of truth.

Mendacious is the opposite of veracious. Mendacious is falsehood and veracious means truthful.

## 37. Inconsequential

Short Definition : insignificant; unimportant

Definition (adj) lacking worth or importance

Synonyms :  
inconsequent

Example Sentence

his work seems trivial and inconsequential

the quite inconsequent fellow was managed like a puppet

Definition (adj) not following logically as a consequence

consequence means result- we are never worried about the result of inconsequential or worthless things.

Not essential



## 38. Grandiloquent

Short Definition : (of a person or speech) using high sounding or important-sounding language; pompous; bombastic

Definition (adj) lofty in style

Synonyms :  
magniloquent  
tall

Example Sentence

he engages in so much tall talk, one never really realizes what he is saying

Definition (adj) puffed up with vanity

Synonyms :  
overblown  
pompous  
pontifical  
portentous

Example Sentence

a grandiloquent and boastful manner

overblown oratory

a pompous speech

pseudo-scientific gobbledegook and pontifical hooey

Grandiloquentâ€"GRAND+ELOQUENT only an ELOQUENT speaker can deliver a POMPOUS/BOMBASTIC speech in front a HUGE/GRAND crowdâ€"â€"

GRANDiloquent sounds like grand open. Grand open need to be grandiloquent.

## 39. Dissonance

Short Definition : discord

Definition (noun) a conflict of people's opinions or actions or characters

Synonyms :  
disagreement  
dissension

Definition (noun) the auditory experience of sound that lacks musical quality; sound that is a disagreeable auditory experience

Synonyms :  
noise  
racket

Example Sentence

modern music is just noise to me

Definition (noun) disagreeable sounds

dis-sonance::DIS RESONANCE--not resonant....so not in harmony

Dis + sonance (harmony) so something not harmonical and not pleasant..so discord..

## 40. Malleable

Short Definition : (of a metal) capable of being shaped by pounding(beating); pliable; (of someone) impressionable(easily influenced);

easily controlled; tractable

Definition (adj) easily influenced

Synonyms :  
ductile

Definition (adj) capable of being shaped or bent or drawn out

Synonyms :  
ductile  
pliable  
pliant  
tensile  
tractile

Example Sentence

ductile copper

malleable metals such as gold

they soaked the leather to made it pliable

pliant molten glass

made of highly tensile steel alloy

relate with malleable; so possible to reshape

Malleable: Malle(Male=Boys)+Able(capable),so Males only able/capable to build their body(shape) to 6Pack or 8Pack by doing exercise.So MalleAble=capable of being shaped

41. Bombastic

## Short Definition : pompous; using inflated language

Definition (adj) ostentatiously lofty in style

Synonyms :  
declamatory

large  
orotund  
tumid  
turgid

Example Sentence

a man given to large talk

tumid political prose

BOMBS and firecrackers are used to impress people and they cause high sound

relate it with...BOMB Squad...who has diffused the bomb..while Mantri's giving pompous speeches....!!

## 42. Diatribe

Short Definition : bitter scolding or denunciation; invective; abuse

Definition (noun) thunderous verbal attack

Synonyms :  
fulmination

diatribe = di-tribe = two tribes fighting...criticize

Think of the prefix "Dia" as Dynamite! A dynamite verbal attack against a tribe of crazy Indians. [note to whoever wrote this: u sound dumb and racist. the end.]

## 43. Boorish

Short Definition : rude; insensitive

Definition (adj) ill-mannered and coarse and contemptible in behavior or appearance

Synonyms :

loutish

neandertal

neanderthal

oafish

swinish

Example Sentence

was boorish and insensitive

the loutish manners of a bully

her stupid oafish husband

aristocratic contempt for the swinish multitude

boor means =bura .... ill mannered... so make adj boorish...!...:)

It's very rude to boo someone who is trying to present his/her work.

## 44. Paucity

Short Definition : scarcity; dearth

Definition (noun) an insufficient quantity or number

Synonyms :  
dearth

pau - paav as in paav bhaji and only one "paav" for the whole city...so obviously it will be scarce

Paw+City, Just replace PAU/W with SCAR/E.  
If animals attack with their PAWs, it leaves SCARs and we get SCAREd.

## 45. Recondite

Short Definition : abstruse; not easily understood; profound; secret

Definition (adj) difficult to penetrate; incomprehensible to one of ordinary understanding or knowledge

Synonyms :  
abstruse  
deep

Example Sentence

the professor's lectures were so abstruse that students tended to avoid them

a deep metaphysical theory

some recondite problem in historiography

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read recondite as "re conduct". The professor re conducted(repeated) the topic as the students could not understand properly.

## 46. Exculpate

Short Definition : clear from blame or guilt

Definition (verb) pronounce not guilty of criminal charges

Synonyms :

acquit

assoil

clear

discharge

exonerate

Example Sentence

The suspect was cleared of the murder charges

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exculpate sounds like ex-culprit = culprit...but now he has been cleared of the charges.

## 47. Ebullient

Short Definition : showing excitement; overflowing with enthusiasm; boiling;  
N. ebullience; N. ebullition: state of boiling

Definition (adj) joyously unrestrained

Synonyms :

exuberant

high-spirited

Your dad purchasing you a new 'Enfield Bullet' so you shpw ur 'Excitement' ->  
ebullient! :D

it is close to jubilation...which is excitment

## 48. Abstemious

Short Definition : sparing in eating and drinking; temperate

Definition (adj) sparing in consumption of especially food and drink

Example Sentence

the pleasures of the table, never of much consequence to one naturally abstemious

Definition (adj) marked by temperance in indulgence

Synonyms :  
light

Example Sentence

abstemious with the use of adverbs

a light eater

a light smoker

ate a light supper

focus on 'abs' part of this word. Abs...To build a six-pack abs, eat n drink carefully

\*ABS\*temious , concentrate on ABS .. one who eats and drinks less/lightly will have abs ( of course with work out :) )

## 49. Disingenuous



Short Definition : not naive; not candid; sophisticated; worldly wise; OP.  
ingenuous

Definition (adj) not straightforward or candid; giving a false appearance of frankness

Synonyms :  
artful

Example Sentence

an ambitious, disingenuous, philistine, and hypocritical operator, who...exemplified...the most disagreeable traits of his time

a disingenuous excuse

INGENUOUS(can be remembered as genuine) IS SINCERE, INNOCENT AND SOPHISTICATED.  
AND disingenuous IS not naive, insincere

## 50. Endemic

Short Definition : prevailing among a specific group of people or in a specific area or country; peculiar to a particular region or people; CF. pandemic

Definition (noun) a disease that is constantly present to a greater or lesser degree in people of a certain class or in people living in a particular location

Synonyms :  
endemic disease

Definition (noun) a plant that is native to a certain limited area

Example Sentence

it is an endemic found only this island

Definition (adj) of or relating to a disease (or anything resembling a disease) constantly present to greater or lesser extent in a particular locality

Synonyms :  
endemical

Example Sentence

diseases endemic to the tropics

endemic malaria

food shortages and starvation are endemic in certain parts of the world

Definition (adj) native to or confined to a certain region

Example Sentence

the islands have a number of interesting endemic species

Definition (adj) originating where it is found

Synonyms :  
autochthonal  
autochthonic  
autochthonous  
indigenous

Example Sentence

the autochthonal fauna of Australia includes the kangaroo

autochthonous rocks and people and folktales

endemic folkways

the Ainu are indigenous to the northernmost islands of Japan

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simple think of epidemic as an epidemic disease that spreads a vast area and endemic disease as a disease that spreads only a confined area

## 51. Lethargic

Short Definition : drowsy; dull; N. lethargy: state of sluggishness and inactivity

Definition (adj) deficient in alertness or activity

Synonyms :  
unenergetic

Example Sentence

bullfrogs became lethargic with the first cold nights

Sounds like allergic. When you have lack of interest in doing something i.e. allergy

## 52. Rarefied

Short Definition : made less dense (of a gas); V. rarefy: make less dense; N. rarefaction

Definition (adj) having low density

Synonyms :

rare

rarified

Example Sentence

rare gasses

lightheaded from the rarefied mountain air

Definition (adj) of high moral or intellectual value; elevated in nature or style

Synonyms :

elevated

exalted

grand

high-flown

high-minded

idealistic

lofty

noble-minded

rarified

sublime

Example Sentence

an exalted ideal

argue in terms of high-flown ideals

a noble and lofty concept

a grand purpose

rare(,very less)+fied(..like field which means environment), hence environment where GAS is VERY LESS DENSE..

rarefied meaning is to make refine or pure so rarefied-ra+refined= rarefined

## 53. Plethora

Short Definition : excess; overabundance; Ex. a plethora of excuses

Definition (noun) extreme excess

Synonyms :  
embarrassment  
overplus  
superfluity

Example Sentence

an embarrassment of riches

like if you go home after many days, your mother will insist that you eat more. What she will say is "Pe Le + Thoda Aur Le"  
ultimately, aisai lene se, it will become an excess at the end. You will be full :)

PleTHORA~(Play thoda),but child resist that he will play more and more and more,thus excessive.

## 54. Prohibitive

Short Definition : so high as to prohibit purchase or use; tending to prevent the purchase or use of something; prohibiting; inclined to prevent or forbid;  
Ex. prohibitive tax

Definition (adj) tending to discourage (especially of prices)

Synonyms :  
prohibitory

Example Sentence

the price was prohibitive

## 55. Recalcitrant

Short Definition : disobedient or resisting authority even after being punished; obstinately stubborn; determined to resist authority; unruly; Ex. recalcitrant child

Definition (adj) stubbornly resistant to authority or control

Synonyms :  
fractious  
refractory

Example Sentence

a fractious animal that would not submit to the harness

a refractory child

Definition (adj) marked by stubborn resistance to authority

Example Sentence

the University suspended the most recalcitrant demonstrators

re+calcit(looks like calcite)+rant...as we know calcite is a hard mineral found in calcium carbonate which forms the major part of rocks, chalk and marble, is hard to break and likewise a recalcitrant person is also stubborn.

Think "Recalc it Rant" or someone who does not want to recalculate anything

## 56. Prevaricate

Short Definition : lie; hide the truth (by equivocating)

Definition (verb) be deliberately ambiguous or unclear in order to mislead or withhold information

Synonyms :

beat around the bush  
equivocate  
palter  
tergiversate

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divide is as pre(..before)+var(truth..)+icate(..gate) ..i.e. before truth, you have kept a gate. Hence you are LYING or HIDING THE TRUTH..

## 57. Equivocate

Short Definition : use equivocal language to deceive people; lie; mislead; attempt to conceal the truth; N. equivocation

Definition (verb) be deliberately ambiguous or unclear in order to mislead or withhold information

Synonyms :

beat around the bush  
palter  
prevaricate  
tergiversate

equi(equal) vocal(sound)... if we make similar sounds then it would be ambiguous(unclear) to distinguish!!

Don't equivocate, say it straight

## 58. Abscond

Short Definition : depart secretly and hide

Definition (verb) run away; usually includes taking something or somebody along

Synonyms :

absquatulate

bolt

decamp

go off

make off

run off

Example Sentence

The thief made off with our silver

the accountant absconded with the cash from the safe

Abscond – ab + scond. 'Absent in a second'. When you will absent in a second? =when u STEAL OFF & HIDE, or when u DEPART secretly.

ab-Abishek, scond-scoundral "Amithab scolded Abi as scoundral, and abishek ran off or hide secretly with fear

## 59. Catalyst

Short Definition : agent which brings about a chemical change while it



remains unaffected and unchanged; CF. catalysis

Definition (noun) (chemistry) a substance that initiates or accelerates a chemical reaction without itself being affected

Synonyms :  
accelerator

Definition (noun) something that causes an important event to happen

Example Sentence

the invasion acted as a catalyst to unite the country

CATA(LOOK like CATION..ions which has positive charge)like  $Mn^{+2}$  which is a cation ,and cations SPEED UP THE RATE OF REACTION,that is how they BRING A CHEMICAL CHANGE IN A REACTION.

## 60. Problematic

Short Definition : causing a problem; open to doubt; doubtful; unsettled; questionable; Ex. Whether the arena will ever be completed is problematic.

Definition (adj) open to doubt or debate

Synonyms :  
debatable  
problematical

Example Sentence

If you ever get married, which seems to be extremely problematic

Definition (adj) making great mental demands; hard to comprehend or solve or believe

Synonyms :  
baffling

elusive  
knotty

problematical  
tough

Example Sentence

a baffling problem

I faced the knotty problem of what to have for breakfast

a problematic situation at home

(Doubt)you always have doubts with while solving problems.

## 61. Neophyte

Short Definition : recent convert; new member of a religious group;  
beginner; CF. plant

Definition (noun) a plant that is found in an area where it had not been recorded  
previously

Definition (noun) any new participant in some activity

Synonyms :

entrant  
fledgeling  
fledgling  
freshman  
newbie  
newcomer  
starter

Definition (noun) a new convert being taught the principles of Christianity by a catechist

Synonyms :

catechumen

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split the word into "neo = the matrix hero" and "phyte = fight". Thus neo fights in matrix movie as a beginner or new comer to save the revolution.

## 62. Coagulate

Short Definition : congeal; thicken; clot; N. coagulant

Definition (verb) change from a liquid to a thickened or solid state

Synonyms :  
clot

Example Sentence

coagulated blood

Definition (verb) cause to change from a liquid to a solid or thickened state

Synonyms :  
clot

Definition (adj) transformed from a liquid into a soft semisolid or solid mass

Synonyms :  
coagulated  
curdled  
grumose  
grumous

Example Sentence

coagulated blood

curdled milk

grumous blood

Colgate - think about the "thick" paste

congeal- geal resembles gel,,ie this gel is a coagulant.

## 63. Erudite

Short Definition : (of a person or book) learned; full of learning; scholarly;  
N. erudition

Definition (adj) having or showing profound knowledge

Synonyms :  
learned

Example Sentence

a learned jurist

an erudite professor

taken from rude+ite...in olden days people who were highly educated were basically very rude...as they were having profound knowledge of a subject they use to behave very rudely with less educated or illiterates people.

ER (Engineer)-U-di(did)-IT(it)-E ..... you have gr8 knowledge if u becum an engineer.

## 64. Euphemism

Short Definition : mild expression in place of an unpleasant one; ADJ. euphemistic

Definition (noun) an inoffensive or indirect expression that is substituted for one that is considered offensive or too harsh

Assuming: females are milder than males as they are more emotionally inclined.  
It reads like E(xpress) U(yourself) Phemism(like feminism).

you+feminism(sounds like) girls try to avoid certain words and circumlocute... so if u practise euphemism, you act like a female

## 65. Loquacious

Short Definition : talkative; N. loquacity

Definition (adj) full of trivial conversation

Synonyms :

chatty

gabby

garrulous

talkative

talky

Example Sentence

kept from her housework by gabby neighbors

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it is derived from the root word 'loqua'... which refers to SPEECH or TALK

## 66. Tenuous

## Short Definition : thin; slim; rare

Definition (adj) having thin consistency

Example Sentence

a tenuous fluid

Definition (adj) very thin in gauge or diameter

Example Sentence

a tenuous thread

Definition (adj) lacking substance or significance

Synonyms :

flimsy  
fragile  
slight  
thin

Example Sentence

slight evidence

a tenuous argument

a thin plot

a fragile claim to fame

this word sound very close to TENNIS....and most of the female TENNIS PLAYERS  
ARE VERY SLIM AND THIN...

split it "Ten+of+us". It is a rare possibility that ten of us will accomodate in car

## 67. Fawning

Short Definition : courting favor by cringing and flattering; V. fawn: exhibit affection as a dog; seek favor or attention by obsequiousness

Definition (adj) attempting to win favor from influential people by flattery

Synonyms :

bootlicking

obsequious

sycophantic

toadyish

Definition (adj) attempting to win favor by flattery

Synonyms :

bootlicking

sycophantic

toadyish

relate it with FAN..imagine of a crazy FAN who ALWAYS TRY TO exhibit his affaction....AND COURT A favour to be with you whole day by flattering with you..

FAWNING --- > fa+wning

.....We normally use scent "" fa"" to please a woman rite???...to smell good

Thus the meaning

## 68. Conundrum

Short Definition : riddle; difficult problem

Definition (noun) a difficult problem

Synonyms :

brain-teaser

enigma

riddle

drum ke andar kaun hai

CONUNDRUM: KAUN(who) UNDUR(inside); so whos inside...if sme one asks u this,ur puzzled since its difficult to guess

## 69. Penchant

Short Definition : strong inclination; strong liking (esp. for something that is disapproved of by other people); Ex. penchant for fast cars

Definition (noun) a strong liking

Synonyms :  
predilection  
preference  
taste

Example Sentence

my own preference is for good literature

the Irish have a penchant for blarney

p+enchant- something that enchants you, you have a strong liking for that.

think of a pendant that you wear and love very much

## 70. Innocuous

Short Definition : harmless



Definition (adj) not injurious to physical or mental health  
Definition (adj) not causing disapproval

Synonyms :  
unobjectionable

Example Sentence

it was an innocuous remark

confined himself to innocuous generalities

unobjectionable behavior

Definition (adj) lacking intent or capacity to injure

Synonyms :  
innocent

Example Sentence

an innocent prank

in(not)+nocuous(noxious).....  
means not noxious.....something which is not noxious is harmless...

He is locked IN the box and he KNOCKS TO US, but we ignore him because he is now harmless.

## 71. Hyperbole

Short Definition : exaggeration; overstatement; ADJ. hyperbolic: of hyperbole; of a hyperbola

Definition (noun) extravagant exaggeration

Synonyms :  
exaggeration

hyper(beyond the limit)+bole(means speak)..so someone who gives the statement beyond his limit..overstating basically.

## 72. Indeterminate

Short Definition : uncertain; not clearly fixed; indefinite

Definition (adj) not precisely determined or established; not fixed or known in advance

Synonyms :  
undetermined

Example Sentence

of indeterminate age

a zillion is a large indeterminate number

an indeterminate point of law

the influence of environment is indeterminate

an indeterminate future

Definition (adj) having a capacity for continuing to grow at the apex

Example Sentence

an indeterminate stem

Definition (adj) of uncertain or ambiguous nature

Example Sentence

the equivocal (or indeterminate) objects painted by surrealists

Definition (adj) not capable of being determined

Example Sentence

the indeterminate number of plant species in the jungle

Definition (adj) not leading to a definite ending or result

Example Sentence

an indeterminate campaign

take it as 'determine output of this expression' means find a precise value so  
indeterminate means not precise / uncertain

## 73. Burgeon

Short Definition : grow rapidly; grow forth; send out buds; Ex. burgeoning  
computer industry; CF. bludgeon

Definition (verb) grow and flourish

Example Sentence

The burgeoning administration

The burgeoning population

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Burge+on sounds like Bulge which means growing big

## 74. Onerous

Short Definition : burdensome

Definition (adj) not easily borne; wearing

Synonyms :  
burdensome  
taxing

Example Sentence

the burdensome task of preparing the income tax return

my duties weren't onerous; I only had to greet the guests

a taxing schedule

it sounds like on+er+us..that is ONUS.. when something is ON US ..we feel burdensome

This sounds like generous.... Which is not easy!!!

## 75. Intractable

Short Definition : unruly; difficult to manage; Ex. intractable problem/child

Definition (adj) not tractable; difficult to manage or mold

Example Sentence

an intractable disposition

intractable pain

the most intractable issue of our era

intractable metal

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Intractable: things which can not be brought in the right track...  
opposite of tractable.

## 76. Felicitous

Short Definition : (of a word or remark) apt; suitably expressed; well chosen

Definition (adj) exhibiting an agreeably appropriate manner or style

Example Sentence

a felicitous speaker

Definition (adj) marked by good fortune

Synonyms :  
happy

Example Sentence

a felicitous life

a happy outcome

felicitous sounds like felicitation... in felicitation the person is praised with SUITABLE, APT , WELL CHOSEN remarks..

yash is a gr8 guy.wenever dat (FEL)la (cit)s with (us), we all hav a HAPPY time

## 77. Exacerbate

Short Definition : worsen; aggravate; embitter

Definition (verb) make worse

Synonyms :  
aggravate  
exasperate  
worsen

Example Sentence

This drug aggravates the pain

Definition (verb) exasperate or irritate

Synonyms :  
aggravate  
exasperate

Latin ex+acerb+ate; Latin acerb- means bitter, harsh; So exacerbate means to make bittter, to worsen.

"Ex Her b Ate".. her ex came and ate with her family. which worsen the relation even

more.

## 78. Abeyance

Short Definition : suspended action

Definition (noun) temporary cessation or suspension

Synonyms :  
suspension

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a+beyance .. here concentrate on beyance.. it sounds like buoyancy which which suspends objects above the ground level..

## 79. Lassitude

Short Definition : languor; weariness; listlessness

Definition (noun) a state of comatose torpor (as found in sleeping sickness)

Synonyms :  
lethargy  
sluggishness

Definition (noun) a feeling of lack of interest or energy

Synonyms :  
languor  
listlessness

Definition (noun) weakness characterized by a lack of vitality or energy

Synonyms :  
inanition  
lethargy  
slackness

After a heavy lunch, if you drink a glass of LASSI, you will go into a lassitude i.e. weariness, lethargy and ultimately go to sleep.

lassitude sounds like "lets sit dude" .. means the guy is tired ..

## 80. Phlegmatic

Short Definition : calm and unexcitable; not easily disturbed; CF. phlegm: sticky mucus produced in the respiratory tract

Definition (adj) showing little emotion

Synonyms :  
phlegmatical

Example Sentence

a phlegmatic...and certainly undemonstrative man

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phlegmatic -> plleg (flag) when we hoist a FLAG we have the AUTOMATIC reaction be calm and unexcited.

## 81. Inured

Short Definition : accustomed; hardened; Ex. inured to the Alaskan cold; V. inure: make used to something undesirable; harden; CF. unfeeling

Definition (adj) made tough by habitual exposure

Synonyms :  
enured  
hardened



Example Sentence

hardened fishermen

a peasant, dark, lean-faced, wind-inured

our successors...may be graver, more inured and equable men

someone INJURED again and again will become TOUGH

To become INURED you must have ENDURED.

## 82. Gregarious

Short Definition : sociable; (of an animal) tending to form a group

Definition (adj) (of animals) tending to form a group with others of the same species

Example Sentence

gregarious bird species

Definition (adj) instinctively or temperamentally seeking and enjoying the company of others

Example Sentence

he is a gregarious person who avoids solitude

Definition (adj) (of plants) growing in groups that are close together

remember AGGREGATION means gathering something together...

similarly AGGREGATION -> GREGATION -> GREGARIOUS

Picture GREG, GARY, and RUSS all being GREGARIOUS

## 83. Frugality

Short Definition : thrift; economy; ADJ. frugal: practicing economy; costing little; inexpensive

Definition (noun) prudence in avoiding waste

Synonyms :  
frugality

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frugal means avoiding waste... read it as free+girl...if a girl comes for free, it saves waste of money

## 84. Pervasive

Short Definition : spread throughout; V. pervade: (of smells, ideas, feelings) spread throughout; charge; permeate

Definition (adj) spreading or spread throughout

Synonyms :  
permeant  
permeating  
permeative

Example Sentence

armed with permeative irony...he punctures affectations

the pervasive odor of garlic

an error is pervasive if it is material to more than one conclusion

look the word carefully..PERVASI+VE....and doesn't it sound like PRAVASI BHARTIYA DIVAS.....an initiative by the Indian government to attract NON RESIDENT INDIANS who are SPREAD WIDELY ACROSS THE WORLD.....

(per)+(vas)ive.here per:throughout and vas:to go so to go or spread every where..

## 85. Esoteric

Short Definition : hard to understand; known only to the chosen few, esp. initiates; N. esoterica

Definition (adj) confined to and understandable by only an enlightened inner circle

Example Sentence

a compilation of esoteric philosophical theories

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HISTORIC things are known to few people

## 86. Fallacious

Short Definition : false; based on a fallacy; misleading; N. fallacy: false idea or notion; false reasoning; Ex. popular fallacy; Ex. fallacy of the argument

Definition (adj) containing or based on a fallacy

Synonyms :

unsound

Example Sentence

fallacious reasoning

an unsound argument

Definition (adj) intended to deceive

Synonyms :

deceitful

fraudulent

Example Sentence

deceitful advertising

fallacious testimony

smooth, shining, and deceitful as thin ice

a fraudulent scheme to escape paying taxes

Definition (adj) based on an incorrect or misleading notion or information

Example Sentence

fallacious hope

fallacious.split it like fallac+ious...if you just concentrate on fallac..it look like FALSE,.....so THINK that SOMETHING is based on a FALSE OR incorrect notion.....

fall ante padesdhi so some thing harmful

## 87. Rescind

Short Definition : repeal; annul; cancel (a law, decision, or agreement)

Definition (verb) cancel officially

Synonyms :

annul

countermand

lift

overturn

repeal

reverse

revoke

vacate

Example Sentence

He revoked the ban on smoking

lift an embargo

vacate a death sentence

rescind reminds us of "resign", where resign is to cancel your appointment and rescind is to cancel an agreement.

Rescind sounds like RESEND...i.e.when previous file transfer got CANCELED/INVALIDATED we ask to resend.

## 88. Banal

Short Definition : hackneyed; commonplace; trite; lacking originality; clich'ed

Definition (adj) repeated too often; overfamiliar through overuse

Synonyms :  
commonplace  
hackneyed  
old-hat  
shopworn  
stock  
threadbare  
timeworn  
tired  
trite  
well-worn

Example Sentence

bromidic sermons

his remarks were trite and commonplace

hackneyed phrases

a stock answer

repeating threadbare jokes

parroting some timeworn axiom

the trite metaphor 'hard as nails'

abey nal to roz hi kholte hain...

'ban + al' --> 'ban al' those directors whose movies are 'banal' (the same old story lines are repeated ; (another meaning) dull and unoriginal(dubbed))

## 89. Itinerary

Short Definition : plan of a trip; record of a trip

Definition (noun) an established line of travel or access

Synonyms :

path  
route

Definition (noun) a guidebook for travelers

Synonyms :

travel guidebook

Definition (noun) a proposed route of travel

Synonyms :

travel plan

the car i10 is rarely used to plan a trip in it...

it-italy, nerar-near ...I'm near Italy according to my plan of the trip...

## 90. Probity

Short Definition : uprightness; honesty; incorruptibility

Definition (noun) complete and confirmed integrity; having strong moral principles

Example Sentence

in a world where financial probity may not be widespread

he enjoys an exaggerated reputation for probity

PRO(pahle)+beti(ladkiya) sounds like girls first 'something having high morale'

basically this word is taken from latin probus..means honesty.....

## 91. Compendium

Short Definition : brief, comprehensive summary; ADJ. compendious

Definition (noun) a publication containing a variety of works

Synonyms :  
collection

Definition (noun) a concise but comprehensive summary of a larger work

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CUM(hindi for less) PEN use karke u can just write summary of topic.

## 92. Gouge

Short Definition : overcharge (with high price); extort from; Ex. gouge the public; CF. usury

Definition (noun) an impression in a surface (as made by a blow)

Synonyms :  
dent  
ding  
nick

Definition (noun) and edge tool with a blade like a trough for cutting channels or grooves

Definition (noun) the act of gouging

Definition (verb) force with the thumb

Synonyms :  
force out



Example Sentence

gouge out his eyes

Definition (verb) obtain by coercion or intimidation

Synonyms :

extort

rack

squeeze

wring

Example Sentence

They extorted money from the executive by threatening to reveal his past to the company boss

They squeezed money from the owner of the business by threatening him

Definition (verb) make a groove in

Synonyms :

rout

In slang language we call goggles as gouge - So when you buy a pair of branded gouge, which are expensive, you think the shopkeeper is overcharging you.

GAUGE meter measures cloth quantity and shopkeeper usually cheat customers by overcharging.

## 93. Paragon

Short Definition : model of perfection; Ex. paragon of virtue

Definition (noun) an ideal instance; a perfect embodiment of a concept

Synonyms :  
beau ideal  
idol  
perfection

Definition (noun) model of excellence or perfection of a kind; one having no equal

Synonyms :  
apotheosis  
ideal  
nonesuch  
nonpareil  
nonsuch  
saint

paragon which is a slipper brand makes products which are models for perfection

ARAGON in the movie Lord of the Rings was a perfect soldier

## 94. Pristine

Short Definition : unspoiled; remaining in a pure state; characteristic of earlier times; primitive; Ex. an old book in pristine condition

Definition (adj) completely free from dirt or contamination

Example Sentence

pristine mountain snow

Definition (adj) immaculately clean and unused

Example Sentence

handed her his pristine white handkerchief

sounds like priest(ine) means pertaining to priests which is to remain in pure state.

pristine ~ PRINT and FIRST. First printed books are fresh and clean.

## 95. Cogent

Short Definition : convincing

Definition (adj) powerfully persuasive

Synonyms :

telling

weighty

Example Sentence

a cogent argument

a telling presentation

a weighty argument

cogent - gent - a gentle person is always the right person to convince others.

co+agent...cooperative agents make cogent suggestions.

## 96. Irascible

Short Definition : irritable; easily angered

Definition (adj) quickly aroused to anger

Synonyms :

choleric

hot-tempered

hotheaded

quick-tempered  
short-tempered

Example Sentence

a hotheaded commander

Definition (adj) characterized by anger

Synonyms :  
choleric

Example Sentence

a choleric outburst

an irascible response

concentrate on rasc- a rascal is one who is irritable, choleric, short-tempered & hotheaded

rascible sounds like "racist able". so, making racist remark can easily anger anyone...

## 97. Tirade

Short Definition : long angry denunciatory speech; diatribe; harangue; extended scolding; denunciation

Definition (noun) a speech of violent denunciation

Synonyms :  
broadside  
philippic

sounds like tired.. your mom gets tired after a TIRADE..i.e. LONG ANGRY DENUNCIATORY SPEECH..

Tyre vesetappudu (While a punctchur guy changes a tyre) he bitches non-stop about other puncture guy. so Tirade.

## 98. Commensurate

Short Definition : equal in extent; of the same size

Definition (adj) corresponding in size or degree or extent

Example Sentence

pay should be commensurate with the time worked

SPLIT AS COMMON - ENSURED -RATE.  
WHICH MEANS, OUR RATE WILL BE EQUAL TO THE CHEAPEST PRODUCT!

come and see the rate. it'll be equal to the rate of the cheapest product.

## 99. Quiescent

Short Definition : dormant; temporarily inactive; at rest; N. quiescence

Definition (adj) not active or activated

Example Sentence

the quiescent level of centimeter wave-length solar radiation

Definition (adj) marked by a state of tranquil repose

Example Sentence

the quiescent melancholy of the town

Definition (adj) being quiet or still or inactive  
Definition (adj) (pathology) causing no symptoms

Example Sentence

a quiescent tumor

quiescent => quies ~ quiet = motionless

quiescent=quiet+descent.....lady1:->"What a QUIEt and deSCENT son u have..."...lady2:->"please dont go on his TEMPORARY INACTIVENESS...come to our house some day and u shall realise that he is an active volcano..!!!".....:D

## 100. Anomalous

Short Definition : abnormal; irregular

Definition (adj) deviating from the general or common order or type

Example Sentence

advanced forms of life may be anomalous in the universe

anomalous means abnormal. Think of abnormal when you read the word anomalous

anomalous ~ a (not) + nomal (normal); someone who is not normal and hence abnormal or deviating from general.

## 101. Anachronism

Short Definition : an error involving time in a story; something or someone

misplaced in time; ADJ. anachronistic

Definition (noun) something located at a time when it could not have existed or occurred

Synonyms :

misdating

mistiming

Definition (noun) an artifact that belongs to another time

Definition (noun) a person who seems to be displaced in time; who belongs to another age

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you know about chronometer- means clock. Anything with "chron" is related to time. Anachronism-an+chron+ism> here an is used in negative sense> so anachronism means something or someone that is not in its correct time

## 102. Disjointed

Short Definition : disconnected; lacking coherence; V. disjoint: disconnect; disjoin

Definition (adj) lacking orderly continuity

Synonyms :

confused

disconnected

disordered

garbled

illogical

scattered

unconnected

Example Sentence

a confused set of instructions

a confused dream about the end of the world

disconnected fragments of a story

scattered thoughts

Definition (adj) taken apart at the joints

Example Sentence

a disjointed fowl

Definition (adj) separated at the joint

Synonyms :

dislocated

separated

Example Sentence

a dislocated knee

a separated shoulder

DIS (not) + JOINTED (connected)...so disjointed is disconnected or scattered.

## 103. Pathological

Short Definition : pertaining to disease; N. pathology: study of disease

Definition (adj) of or relating to the practice of pathology

Synonyms :



pathologic

Example Sentence

pathological laboratory

Definition (adj) caused by or evidencing a mentally disturbed condition

Example Sentence

a pathological liar

a pathological urge to succeed

Definition (adj) caused by or altered by or manifesting disease or pathology

Synonyms :

diseased

morbid

pathologic

Example Sentence

diseased tonsils

a morbid growth

pathologic tissue

pathological bodily processes

This PATH of LOGICAL behaviour of the Harmonâ€™s will lead to new breakthrough of the disease

## 104. Guileless

Short Definition : without deceit

Definition (adj) free of deceit

Synonyms :  
transparent

"guile" means to deceive  
guile+less means no deception, only honesty.

guilty less person is guileless

## 105. Recant

Short Definition : disclaim or disavow; retract a previous statement; openly confess error; Ex. recant one's faith/a statement

Definition (verb) formally reject or disavow a formerly held belief, usually under pressure

Synonyms :  
abjure  
forswear  
resile  
retract

Example Sentence

He retracted his earlier statements about his religion

She abjured her beliefs

RE (again) + CANT (cannot) = "I have told you this AGAIN and AGAIN, it CANNOT be done, it has been REJECTED."

re+cant telling that it cant which means it is wrong and DISAVOWED, DISCLAIMED

## 106. Quibble

Short Definition : minor objection or complaint; V: raise minor objections; carp; cavil

Definition (noun) an evasion of the point of an argument by raising irrelevant distinctions or objections

Synonyms :

cavil

quiddity

Definition (verb) evade the truth of a point or question by raising irrelevant objections

Definition (verb) argue over petty things

Synonyms :

bicker

brabble

niggle

pettifog

squabble

Example Sentence

Let's not quibble over pennies

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mnemonic in hindi.. read it as qui(kyun)+bble(bill)..KYUN BILL ITNA ZYADA HAI?, you OBJECT to reading of meter & COMPLAIN to the authorities..

## 107. Effrontery

Short Definition : rudeness without any sense of shame; shameless boldness; presumptuousness; nerve; cheek

Definition (noun) audacious (even arrogant) behavior that you have no right to

Synonyms :  
assumption  
presumption  
presumptuousness

Example Sentence

he despised them for their presumptuousness

for every discussion he comes to the FRONT and argues...in a rude manner.

if u can remember the word effront, it brings to mind the rude soldiers who stand in front of the queen's palace .these people are generally rude .u try to talk to them or scold them,they dont even move ,so wen a person scolded continuously and if he

## 108. Deterrent

Short Definition : something that discourages or deters

Definition (noun) something immaterial that interferes with or delays action or progress

Synonyms :  
balk  
balk  
check  
handicap  
hinderance  
hindrance  
impediment

Definition (adj) tending to deter

Example Sentence

the deterrent effects of high prices

DETER + RENT. A high rent IS ALWAYS A discouraging factor FOR TENANTS.

sounds close to deteriorate

## 109. Torpor

Short Definition : lethargy; sluggishness; dormancy; ADJ. torpid: lethargic; lazy; inactive; (of an animal) dormant; hibernating

Definition (noun) a state of motor and mental inactivity with a partial suspension of sensibility

Synonyms :  
torpidity

Example Sentence

he fell into a deep torpor

Definition (noun) inactivity resulting from lethargy and lack of vigor or energy

Synonyms :  
listlessness  
torpidity  
torpidness

Well its quite opposite to what is a topper who is naturally diligent

Torpedo is fast and speedy...while torpor is opposite to torpedo

## 110. Welter

Short Definition : wallow (as in mud or high seas); lie soaked (as in blood);  
Ex. The victims weltered in their blood.

Definition (noun) a confused multitude of things

Synonyms :

clutter

fuddle

jumble

mare's nest

muddle

smother

Definition (verb) toss, roll, or rise and fall in an uncontrolled way

Example Sentence

The shipwrecked survivors weltered in the sea for hours

Definition (verb) roll around,

Synonyms :

wallow

Example Sentence

pigs were wallowing in the mud

Definition (verb) be immersed in

Example Sentence

welter in work

I would remember it as 'world tour'.  
so you are planning for a world tour, but 'confused' as where to start from, because  
there are quite a lot countries to be covered.  
Hence 'confused due to multiple things'.

well - jalian waala bagh ~ 1. turmoil 2. people soaked in blood

## 111. Contrite

Short Definition : penitent; repentant; N. contrition

Definition (adj) feeling or expressing pain or sorrow for sins or offenses

Synonyms :  
remorseful  
rueful  
ruthful

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SPLIT AS cont (COUNT) - rite (RIGHT). COUNT THE CASH RIGHT, ELSE YOU WILL  
REGRET IT.

## 112. Eclectic

Short Definition : selective; composed of elements drawn from disparate  
sources; selecting individual elements from a variety of sources; N.  
eclecticism

Definition (noun) someone who selects according to the eclectic method

Synonyms :  
eclecticist

Definition (adj) selecting what seems best of various styles or ideas

eclectic or elect means, choosing the best from many sources which is the meaning of the word eclectic

nowadays even after the elections the governments formed are generally eclectic.composed of many parties

## 113. Ephemeral

Short Definition : short-lived; fleeting

Definition (noun) anything short-lived, as an insect that lives only for a day in its winged form

Synonyms :  
ephemeron

Definition (adj) lasting a very short time

Synonyms :  
fugacious  
passing  
short-lived  
transient  
transitory

Example Sentence

the ephemeral joys of childhood

a passing fancy

youth's transient beauty

love is transitory but it is eternal

fugacious blossoms



sounds like e-funeral. Electric funeral is SHORT

'fermi' is a very small scientific unit [ $10^{-15}$ ]

So think of fermi second with ephemeral (e-fermi-real)

## 114. Enervate

Short Definition : weaken; take away energy from

Definition (verb) weaken mentally or morally

Definition (verb) disturb the composure of

Synonyms :

faze

unnerv

unsettle

ENERV(w)asTE whwn you waste you energy you become weak

break it as e + nerve(nerv) + ate... what happens when our pulse reduces; we WEAKEN.

## 115. Dirge

Short Definition : funeral song; slow mournful piece of music (sung over a dead person)

Definition (noun) a song or hymn of mourning composed or performed as a memorial to a dead person

Synonyms :

coronach

lament

requiem

threnody

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Dirge - di means die, so when you die and have done good things for people in life, a song of grief or lament will be sung for you.

## 116. Subpoena

**Short Definition :** writ(written command issued by a court) summoning a witness to appear in court; V: summon with a subpoena

**Definition (noun)** a writ issued by court authority to compel the attendance of a witness at a judicial proceeding; disobedience may be punishable as a contempt of court

**Synonyms :**  
subpoena ad testificandum

**Definition (verb)** serve or summon with a subpoena

**Example Sentence**

The witness and her records were subpoenaed

Its pretty simple... read it as COURT MEIN "SABOOT POST KARNA"!!!

subpoena = I everybody drunken, i.e ur asked a a witness.

## 117. Contentious

**Short Definition :** quarrelsome; controversial; likely to cause arguments

**Definition (adj)** inclined or showing an inclination to dispute or disagree, even to engage in law suits

**Synonyms :**  
combative

disputatious  
disputative  
litigious

Example Sentence

a style described as abrasive and contentious

a disputatious lawyer

a litigious and acrimonious spirit

Definition (adj) involving or likely to cause controversy

Example Sentence

a central and contentious element of the book

Contentious- (Contender+Serious) One who takes competition too serious always fights and quarrels)

If everyone around you is content and you are not, you might start thinking of something to make them less happy.

## 118. Fatuous

Short Definition : smugly and unconsciously foolish; inane; silly; N. fatuity, fatuousness

Definition (adj) devoid of intelligence

Synonyms :  
asinine  
inane  
mindless

vacuous

remembles FAT ASS an ass is considered foolish

generally fat people in US are foolish!!

## 119. Porous

Short Definition : full of pores; like a sieve

Definition (adj) able to absorb fluids

Example Sentence

the partly porous walls of our digestive system

compacting the soil to make it less porous

Definition (adj) full of pores or vessels or holes

Synonyms :  
poriferous

Definition (adj) allowing passage in and out

Synonyms :  
holey

Example Sentence

our unfenced and largely unpoliced border inevitably has been very porous

pour-(porous)sounds like pour, so to pour we need a hole .....

## 120. Mundane

Short Definition : worldly as opposed to spiritual; everyday; of the ordinary;  
Ex. mundane existence; CF. world

Definition (adj) found in the ordinary course of events

Synonyms :

everyday

quotidian

routine

unremarkable

workaday

Example Sentence

a placid everyday scene

it was a routine day

there's nothing quite like a real...train conductor to add color to a quotidian commute

Definition (adj) concerned with the world or worldly matters

Synonyms :

terrestrial

Example Sentence

mundane affairs

he developed an immense terrestrial practicality

Definition (adj) belonging to this earth or world; not ideal or heavenly

Synonyms :  
terrene

Example Sentence

not a fairy palace; yet a mundane wonder of unimagined kind

so terrene a being as himself

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monday, tuesday, wednesday....everyday

## 121. Mollify

Short Definition : soothe an angry person

Definition (verb) cause to be more favorably inclined; gain the good will of

Synonyms :  
appease  
assuage  
conciliate  
gentle  
gruntle  
lenify  
pacify  
placate

Example Sentence

She managed to mollify the angry customer

Definition (verb) make more temperate, acceptable, or suitable by adding something

else; moderate

Synonyms :  
season  
temper

Example Sentence

she tempered her criticism

Definition (verb) make less rigid or softer

mollify sounds like nullify...so just think of nullifying something...nullifying your temper

It is from sanskrit,mollify=mridu(soft)+fy(to make)

## 122. Penury

Short Definition : extreme poverty; stinginess; ADJ. penurious: very poor; stingy

Definition (noun) a state of extreme poverty or destitution

Synonyms :  
indigence  
need  
pauperism  
pauperization

Example Sentence

their indigence appalled him

a general state of need exists among the homeless

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pen+ru(pee).....no rupee to buy a pen

## 123. Attenuate

Short Definition : make thin; weaken

Definition (verb) weaken the consistency of (a chemical substance)

Synonyms :  
rarefy

Definition (verb) become weaker, in strength, value, or magnitude  
Definition (adj) reduced in strength

Synonyms :  
attenuated  
faded  
weakened

Example Sentence

the faded tones of an old recording

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If tenu(=you) eat(ate) less you will attenuate

## 124. Meticulous

Short Definition : excessively careful (with great attention to detail);  
painstaking; scrupulous



Definition (adj) marked by precise accordance with details

Synonyms :  
punctilious

Example Sentence

meticulous research

punctilious in his attention to rules of etiquette

Definition (adj) marked by extreme care in treatment of details

Example Sentence

a meticulous craftsman

almost worryingly meticulous in his business formalities

it sounds like matriculation(admission to a college).To get matriculation we should be as a meticulous(careful) aspirant to clear the exam.

if u dont want to meet ICU .... u have to be careful

## 125. Sporadic

Short Definition : occurring irregularly; intermittent

Definition (adj) recurring in scattered and irregular or unpredictable instances

Example Sentence

a city subjected to sporadic bombing raids

sporadic== opposite of periodic, we know periodic things occur regularly.

SPORES on DICK occurs occasionally and at scattered instances.

## 126. Platitude

Short Definition : trite remark; commonplace statement; ADJ. platitudinous

Definition (noun) a trite or obvious remark

Synonyms :

banality

bromide

cliche

commonplace

flat + attitude:

something flat does not attract us as it is very common. So you will obviously give trite remarks.

or we can think of plastic: it is veru cheap and of very little value just like platitude

## 127. Perfidious

Short Definition : treacherous; disloyal; N. perfidy: treachery

Definition (adj) tending to betray; especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans

Synonyms :

punic

treacherous

Example Sentence

Punic faith

the perfidious Judas

the fiercest and most treacherous of foes

treacherous intrigues

per+FID+ious.. FID stands for fidelity.. i.e. loyalty.. hence perfidious is its opposite

perfidious --- perfume

relate to perfume which reminds us of a beautiful lady who could be disloyal to you

## 128. Incongruity

Short Definition : lack of harmony; absurdity; ADJ. incongruous: lacking in harmony; inappropriate

Definition (noun) the quality of disagreeing; being unsuitable and inappropriate

Synonyms :  
incongruousness

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IN+CONGRess+no UnITY...take it as fun ppl..;)

## 129. Impervious

Short Definition : impenetrable; incapable of being damaged or distressed; incapable of being affected (in one's opinions); Ex. impervious to water/criticism

Definition (adj) not admitting of passage or capable of being affected

Synonyms :  
imperviable

Example Sentence

a material impervious to water

someone impervious to argument

im(not)+pravesh(enter) so unpenetrable...

impervious = im-'not' + per-'completely' + vious 'via'[old]  
=> not (completely via) => impossible to penetrate

## 130. Substantiate

Short Definition : support (a claim) with evidence; establish with evidence; verify

Definition (verb) establish or strengthen as with new evidence or facts

Synonyms :  
affirm  
confirm  
corroborate  
support

sustain

Example Sentence

his story confirmed my doubts

The evidence supports the defendant

Definition (verb) represent in bodily form

Synonyms :

body forth

embody

incarnate

Example Sentence

He embodies all that is evil wrong with the system

The painting substantiates the feelings of the artist

Definition (verb) make real or concrete; give reality or substance to

Synonyms :

actualise

actualize

realise

realize

Example Sentence

our ideas must be substantiated into actions

Definition (verb) solidify, firm, or strengthen

Example Sentence

The president's trip will substantiate good relations with the former enemy country

provide substantial evidence.

## 131. Condone

Short Definition : overlook; forgive; give tacit approval; excuse

Definition (verb) excuse, overlook, or make allowances for; be lenient with

Synonyms :  
excuse

Example Sentence

excuse someone's behavior

She condoned her husband's occasional infidelities

if u use condom u will be forgiven by health and family welfare department

The teacher CONDOLED her student's situation and CONDONED(was lenient for his situation) him for not doing his homework...!!

## 132. Precursor

Short Definition : forerunner; predecessor

Definition (noun) a substance from which another substance is formed (especially by a metabolic reaction)

Definition (noun) a person who goes before or announces the coming of another

Synonyms :  
forerunner

Definition (noun) something that precedes and indicates the approach of something or someone

Synonyms :  
forerunner

harbinger  
herald  
predecessor

"precursor" = pre(before) + cursor(that points out) == something that points out in advance == forerunner :)

## 133. Garrulous

Short Definition : loquacious; wordy; talkative; N. garrulity

Definition (adj) full of trivial conversation

Synonyms :  
chatty  
gabby  
loquacious  
talkative  
talky

Example Sentence

kept from her housework by gabby neighbors

(garrulous can be related to girls when pronounced)and girls talk more than boys

garrulous... think of a "gorilla".. and now think of a fat gorilla like person who chats a lot!!!and sucks a lot

## 134. Gainsay

Short Definition : deny

Definition (verb) take exception to

Synonyms :

challenge  
dispute

Example Sentence

She challenged his claims

she has (Gain)ed weight but is not (say)ing it which means, she is denying the fact.  
to "GAIN"(say profit) you have to "SAY" something(challenge something)

## 135. Flout

Short Definition : reject; mock; show contempt for; scorn; Ex. flout the rules

Definition (verb) treat with contemptuous disregard

Synonyms :  
scoff

Example Sentence

flout the rules

Definition (verb) laugh at with contempt and derision

Synonyms :  
barrack  
gibe  
jeer  
scoff

Example Sentence

The crowd jeered at the speaker



FLOUT... FOUL + OUT. When a player is sent out by foul, the player shows his contempt to the referee.

Can be associated with word "Clout" which means "great influence" as "Person who has clout tends to flout" == A person who has great influence tends to show contempt for and break the rules. eg. Salman Khan

## 136. Viable

Short Definition : capable of maintaining life; feasible; practical or workable;  
Ex. viable scheme

Definition (adj) capable of being done with means at hand and circumstances as they are

Synonyms :  
executable  
feasible  
practicable  
workable

Definition (adj) capable of life or normal growth and development

Example Sentence

viable seeds

a viable fetus

SURVIVABLE ! got it?

vi(VIV=LIFE) + ABLE....so some one who is ABLE to live his LIFE.

## 137. Diffidence

Short Definition : shyness; lack of self-confidence; timidity; ADJ. diffident

Definition (noun) lack of self-confidence

Synonyms :

self-distrust

self-doubt

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it is like opposite of confidence means you are shy not confident

## 138. Plummet

Short Definition : fall sharply; fall straight down; Ex. Stock prices plummeted.

Definition (noun) the metal bob of a plumb line

Synonyms :

plumb

plumb bob

Definition (verb) drop sharply

Synonyms :

plump

Example Sentence

The stock market plummeted

plummet rhymes with "comet" which falls so sharply.

plummet : plunge from a summit(as simple as that)

## 139. Officious

Short Definition : meddlesome; excessively pushy in offering one's services; overly eager in offering unwanted services or advices; Ex. officious bellboy

Definition (adj) intrusive in a meddling or offensive manner

Synonyms :

busy

busybodied

interfering

meddlesome

meddling

Example Sentence

an interfering old woman

bustling about self-importantly making an officious nuisance of himself

busy about other people's business

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OFFICIOUS, the first part of the word sounds similar to office. Imagine a government office where people poke their nose in other's affairs, they are INTERFERING.

## 140. Preamble

Short Definition : introductory statement

Definition (noun) a preliminary introduction to a statute or constitution (usually explaining its purpose)

Definition (verb) make a preliminary introduction, usually to a formal document

PRE(before) + AM (i) + BOL(tell):

in a meeting political leaders will say: what I want to say before I start my lecture is bla bla bla. All this will take 1 hour. :) . This is what preamble is.

## 141. Perfunctory

Short Definition : done routinely and with little care; superficial; not thorough; lacking interest, care, or enthusiasm; Ex. perfunctory kiss

Definition (adj) hasty and without attention to detail; not thorough

Synonyms :

casual

cursory

passing

Example Sentence

a casual (or cursory) inspection failed to reveal the house's structural flaws

a passing glance

perfunctory courtesy

Definition (adj) as a formality only

Synonyms :

pro forma

Example Sentence

a one-candidate pro forma election

PARAI(other's)+FACTORY - if you are told to take care of somebody else's factory, you would casually care about it

perfunctory has FUNCTioNARY who is an official, we all know how officials approach their work.. they lack care, enthusiasm or interest in their work and do it just for formality

## 142. Inadvertently

Short Definition : unintentionally; by oversight; carelessly

Definition (adv) without knowledge or intention

Synonyms :  
unknowingly  
unwittingly

Example Sentence

he unwittingly deleted the references

in + advertisements...without getting an idea from the advertisement we end up buying wrong product i.e. inadvertently

## 143. Assuage

Short Definition : mak less severe; ease or lessen (pain); satisfy (hunger); soothe (anger)

Definition (verb) cause to be more favorably inclined; gain the good will of

Synonyms :  
appease

conciliate  
gentle  
gruntle  
lenify  
mollify  
pacify  
placate

#### Example Sentence

She managed to mollify the angry customer

Definition (verb) satisfy (thirst)

Synonyms :  
allay  
quench  
slake

#### Example Sentence

The cold water quenched his thirst

Definition (verb) provide physical relief, as from pain

Synonyms :  
alleviate  
palliate  
relieve

#### Example Sentence

This pill will relieve your headaches

ass-usage in the toilet gives huge relief

assuage>as+u+age..

The PAIN of your son's death will REDUCE in future as you age(become older)

## 144. Foment

Short Definition : stir up; incite; instigate; promote the growth of (something evil or unpleasant)

Definition (verb) try to stir up public opinion

Synonyms :

agitate

stir up

Definition (verb) bathe with warm water or medicated lotions

Example Sentence

His legs should be fomented

Foam starts to appear once you profusely foment (stir up) a soapy hot water bucket(2nd meaning ).

Science students can easily remember it as it sounds similar to fermentation.. and stirring is an important part of fermentation process.

## 145. Refractory

Short Definition : unmanageable; disobedient and stubborn; Ex. refractory horse

Definition (noun) lining consisting of material with a high melting point; used to line the inside walls of a furnace

Synonyms :

furnace lining

Definition (adj) not responding to treatment

Synonyms :  
stubborn

Example Sentence

a stubborn infection

a refractory case of acne

stubborn rust stains

Definition (adj) temporarily unresponsive or not fully responsive to nervous or sexual stimuli

Example Sentence

the refractory period of a muscle fiber

Definition (adj) stubbornly resistant to authority or control

Synonyms :  
fractious  
recalcitrant

Example Sentence

a fractious animal that would not submit to the harness

a refractory child

refractory--means factor ,who always factors the law into piece,means don't follow the



law.

REFACTORY, He is stubborn that he will buy it again from the factory outlet.

## 146. Digression

Short Definition : wandering away from the subject; V. digress

Definition (noun) a message that departs from the main subject

Synonyms :

aside

divagation

excursus

parenthesis

Definition (noun) a turning aside (of your course or attention or concern)

Synonyms :

deflection

deflexion

deviation

divagation

diversion

Example Sentence

a diversion from the main highway

a digression into irrelevant details

a deflection from his goal

Definition (noun) wandering from the main path of a journey

Synonyms :

excursion

because of depression ...we move or wander away from the path or subject of remorse.

Opp of Progression (like ap , gp , hp) . In a Progression we move forward without deviating from the main theme

## 147. Obdurate

Short Definition : stubborn; refusing to change one's belief

Definition (adj) stubbornly persistent in wrongdoing

Synonyms :

cussed  
obstinate  
unrepentant

Definition (adj) showing unfeeling resistance to tender feelings

Synonyms :

flint  
flinty  
granitic  
stony

Example Sentence

his flinty gaze

the child's misery would move even the most obdurate heart

OB+DURA(RELATE IT TO WORD DURABILITY)..SO anything which has durability..has the resisting power, and something which can resist, is stubborn.

durate -duration

There will be a period(duration) in everyone's life when we will be very obdurate(i.e, stubborn )..

## 148. Recluse

Short Definition : hermit; loner; ADJ. reclusive

Definition (noun) one who lives in solitude

Synonyms :

hermit

solitary

solitudinarian

troglydyte

Definition (adj) withdrawn from society; seeking solitude

Synonyms :

reclusive

withdrawn

Example Sentence

lived an unsocial reclusive life

re+close . Closed=hermit

snds like let loose-so let loose from society

## 149. Specious

Short Definition : seemingly reasonable but incorrect; misleading (often intentionally)

Definition (adj) plausible but false

Synonyms :

spurious

Example Sentence

a specious claim

spurious inferences

Definition (adj) based on pretense; deceptively pleasing

Synonyms :

gilded

meretricious

Example Sentence

the gilded and perfumed but inwardly rotten nobility

meretricious praise

a meretricious argument

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It sounds like 'suspicious'.

## 150. Complaisant

Short Definition : trying to please; obliging; willing to please others

Definition (adj) showing a cheerful willingness to do favors for others

Synonyms :

obliging

Example Sentence

to close one's eyes like a complaisant husband whose wife has taken a lover

the obliging waiter was in no hurry for us to leave

com + plais(please) + ant  
come and please the a(u)nt..lol

Complacent is self satisfied and Complaisant is a person who satisfies other people

## 151. Ameliorate

Short Definition : improve

Definition (verb) to make better

Synonyms :

amend

better

improve

meliorate

Example Sentence

The editor improved the manuscript with his changes

Definition (verb) get better

Synonyms :

better

improve

meliorate

Example Sentence

The weather improved toward evening

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Ameli (Imli) improves the taste of food.

## 152. Proliferate

Short Definition : grow rapidly (in numbers); spread; multiply; N. proliferation

Definition (verb) grow rapidly

Example Sentence

Pizza parlors proliferate in this area

Definition (verb) cause to grow or increase rapidly

Example Sentence

We must not proliferate nuclear arms

life rate=its always increasing

PRO+LIFE+RATE-->  
promote life rate

## 153. Obviate

Short Definition : make unnecessary; get rid of; Ex. obviate the need

Definition (verb) do away with

Synonyms :  
eliminate  
rid of

Definition (verb) prevent the occurrence of; prevent from happening

Synonyms :  
avert  
avoid  
debar  
deflect  
fend off  
forefend  
forfend  
head off  
stave off  
ward off

Example Sentence

Let's avoid a confrontation

head off a confrontation

avert a strike

obviate - viate sounds like deviate, deviate yourself from studying(happen something)....

if it is obvious you can obviate it easily (you can prevent it), obvious and obviate sound similar

154. Vacillate

Short Definition : waver (in opinion); fluctuate; sway to and fro; N. vacillation

Definition (verb) be undecided about something; waver between conflicting positions or courses of action

Synonyms :

hover

oscillate

vibrate

Example Sentence

He oscillates between accepting the new position and retirement

Definition (verb) move or sway in a rising and falling or wavelike pattern

Synonyms :

fluctuate

waver

Example Sentence

the line on the monitor vacillated

sounds like Oscillate..so something which moves from one position to another position.

Vacillate sounds like agitate... vacillate means to be undecided and agitate is to worry... in both, you are in a sense of confusion.

## 155. Tortuous

Short Definition : winding; full of curves; Ex. tortuous mountain road

Definition (adj) highly complex or intricate and occasionally devious



Synonyms :

byzantine  
convoluted  
involved  
knotty  
tangled

Example Sentence

the Byzantine tax structure

Byzantine methods for holding on to his chairmanship

convoluted legal language

convoluted reasoning

the plot was too involved

a knotty problem

got his way by labyrinthine maneuvering

Oh, what a tangled web we weave

tortuous legal procedures

tortuous negotiations lasting for months

Definition (adj) marked by repeated turns and bends

Synonyms :

twisting  
twisty

voluminous  
winding

Example Sentence

a tortuous road up the mountain

winding roads are full of surprises

had to steer the car down a twisty track

Definition (adj) not straightforward

Example Sentence

his tortuous reasoning

a tortoise does not move in straight line... it keeps twisting and turning making path complicated.

tortoise mosquito coil will not be straight it is twisted and winded . Tortoise coil is in rhyming with tortuous.

## 156. Adulterate

Short Definition : make impure or of poorer quality by adding inferior or tainted(contaminated) substances

Definition (verb) corrupt, debase, or make impure by adding a foreign or inferior substance; often by replacing valuable ingredients with inferior ones

Synonyms :

debase

dilute

load

stretch

Example Sentence

adulterate liquor

Definition (adj) mixed with impurities

Synonyms :  
adulterated  
debased

dull+the+rate = impure, means to decrease the rate

Adulterate: Add alternatives instead of original

## 157. Discerning

Short Definition : mentally quick and observant; having insight; perceptive; able to make good judgments; V. discern: perceive

Definition (adj) having or revealing keen insight and good judgment

Example Sentence

a discerning critic

a discerning reader

Definition (adj) unobtrusively perceptive and sympathetic

Synonyms :  
discreet

Example Sentence

a discerning editor

a discreet silence

Definition (adj) quick to understand

Synonyms :  
apprehensive

Example Sentence

a kind and apprehensive friend

Definition (adj) able to make or detect effects of great subtlety; sensitive

Example Sentence

discerning taste

a discerning eye for color

READ IT AS di-screening. A DUAL SCREENING PERSON, WHO KEEPS ON SCREENING EVERYTHING AROUND TWICE( VERY OBSERVANT, ALERT)

disCERNing thus, to go to CERN you should be discerning. be a quick perceiver and have good insight

## 158. Tractable

Short Definition : docile; easily managed; (of something) easily changed or molded; N. tractability

Definition (adj) easily managed (controlled or taught or molded)

Synonyms :  
manipulable

Example Sentence

tractable young minds

the natives...being...of an intelligent tractable disposition

Definition (adj) readily reacting to suggestions and influences

Synonyms :  
amenable

Example Sentence

a responsive student

Tractable sounds like tractor ,which makes it easy to manage a field .

TRACTABLE rhymes with TRAPPABLE.so someone who is trappable can EASILY INFLUENCED OR CONTROLLED

## 159. Insipid

Short Definition : lacking in flavor; lacking interest; dull; Ex. insipid food/  
character

Definition (adj) lacking taste or flavor or tang

Synonyms :  
bland  
flat

flavorless  
flavourless  
savorless  
savourless  
vapid

Example Sentence

a bland diet

insipid hospital food

flavorless supermarket tomatoes

vapid beer

vapid tea

Definition (adj) lacking interest or significance or impact

Synonyms :  
jejune

Example Sentence

an insipid personality

jejune novel

in+sip+id(it)

in-'not, -ve prefix', so when you do not sip it, i.e a juice ,then it means the juice lacks flavor.

if u take a SIP IN, and realize that u were stuPID enough to taste such a flavor , then

the drink is insipid

## 160. Laconic

Short Definition : brief and to the point; using few words; terse

Definition (adj) brief and to the point; effectively cut short

Synonyms :

crisp

curt

terse

Example Sentence

a crisp retort

a response so curt as to be almost rude

the laconic reply; 'yes'

short and terse and easy to understand

LAC..LACK, SO LACK OF WORDS in her speech, specify that she used very few words to portray her ideas.

Laconic = Lacking in sonic.

## 161. Distend

Short Definition : expand; swell out

Definition (verb) become wider

Synonyms :  
dilate

Example Sentence

His pupils were dilated

Definition (verb) cause to expand as it by internal pressure

Example Sentence

The gas distended the animal's body

Definition (verb) swell from or as if from internal pressure

Example Sentence

The distended bellies of the starving cows

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try to relate it with dis means distance and extend means to expand.

## 162. Equanimity

Short Definition : calmness of temperament; composure

Definition (noun) steadiness of mind under stress

Synonyms :  
calm  
calmness  
composure



### Example Sentence

he accepted their problems with composure and she with equanimity

EQUAL+ENEMY(ity) Seeing enemy as a friend i.e., with CALMNESS OF TEMPERAMENT.

equanimity=equal+enmity; when u see your ENEMY u get angry; so it is necessary for u to maintain EQUAL temper and calmness if you are in public to avoid any outburst

## 163. Obsequious

Short Definition : slavishly attentive; servile; full of servile compliance; sycophantic

Definition (adj) attempting to win favor from influential people by flattery

Synonyms :  
bootlicking  
fawning  
sycophantic  
toadyish

Definition (adj) attentive in an ingratiating or servile manner

### Example Sentence

obsequious shop assistants

or obse(ssed)-Qui( yes in french)-ous=always obsessed with saying yes to it all

seq = Suck, uio = Your, us = Ass. He sucks your ass, therefore he's obsequious.

## 164. Immutable

## Short Definition : unchangeable

Definition (adj) not subject or susceptible to change or variation in form or quality or nature

Synonyms :  
changeless

Example Sentence

the view of that time was that all species were immutable, created by God

mutation implies changes in genes etc.  
Therefore, it is im(non) + mutable ie cannot change

IM-MU(movable) Table....so its permanently in one place unchanged

## 165. Facetious

Short Definition : joking (often inappropriately); unserious; humorous

Definition (adj) cleverly amusing in tone

Synonyms :  
bantering  
tongue-in-cheek

Example Sentence

a bantering tone

facetious remarks

tongue-in-cheek advice

someone who makes funny faces  
Facetious>>>Face is not Serious

Sarcasm can be both positive and negative; facetiousness is only the positive form.  
Facial expressions are typically only used during sarcasm to add humor. So if the FACE is involved, its amusing. Think: <B>Sarcastic Face</B>.

## 166. Amalgamate

Short Definition : (of societies or groups) combine; unite in one body

Definition (verb) to bring or combine together or with something else

Synonyms :

commix  
mingle  
mix  
unify

Example Sentence

resourcefully he mingled music and dance

Definition (adj) joined together into a whole

Synonyms :

amalgamated  
coalesced  
consolidated  
fused

Example Sentence

United Industries

the amalgamated colleges constituted a university

a consolidated school

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suppose you are shy girl and you have a+ male+game+mate (amalgamate)what you should do ? of course combine or unite with your mate against other groups

## 167. Discrepancy

Short Definition : lack of consistency or agreement as between facts; difference; Ex. discrepancy between two descriptions

Definition (noun) a difference between conflicting facts or claims or opinions

Synonyms :  
disagreement  
divergence  
variance

Example Sentence

a growing divergence of opinion

Definition (noun) an event that departs from expectations

Synonyms :  
variance  
variant

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break into dis+creep+fancy=

this is creep and this is fancy what an inconsistency with this item .i.e fancy and creep are different

## 168. Maverick

Short Definition : rebel; nonconformist (in a group)

Definition (noun) someone who exhibits great independence in thought and action

Synonyms :  
rebel

Definition (noun) an unbranded range animal (especially a stray calf); belongs to the first person who puts a brand on it

Definition (adj) independent in behavior or thought

Synonyms :  
irregular  
unorthodox

Example Sentence

she led a somewhat irregular private life

maverick politicians

Mave+"RICK" sounds like Ricky Ponting who is rebellious and non-conformist as he does not believe in umpire decisions during India's Cricket match

those who play counter strike will be aware of the bot "maverick" who has cooperation as zero. which is what maverick means!!

## 169. Desultory

Short Definition : aimless; haphazard; digressing at random

Definition (adj) marked by lack of definite plan or regularity or purpose; jumping from one thing to another

Example Sentence

desultory thoughts

the desultory conversation characteristic of cocktail parties

De-result...Obviously a haphazard or desultory approach will result to nothing.

desult...de(means without)+sult(RESULT)+tory( a member of conservative party in britain known as TORY)....so if the tories DID NOT WIN ANY ELECTION THIS TIME becoz of their desultory attitude..or since they lacked any definite plan to win election..t

## 170. Conciliatory

Short Definition : reconciling; soothing; V. conciliate: reconcile; soothe; win the friendly feelings (by removing anger)

Definition (adj) making or willing to make concessions

Synonyms :  
compromising  
flexible

Example Sentence

Loneliness tore through him...whenever he thought of...even the compromising Louis du Tillet

Definition (adj) intended to placate

Synonyms :  
conciliative

Example Sentence

spoke in a conciliating tone

a conciliatory visit

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Heyy thz sounds like CONSOLING...which means soothing...

## 171. Oscillate

Short Definition : vibrate pendulumlike; waver

Definition (verb) be undecided about something; waver between conflicting positions or courses of action

Synonyms :

hover

vacillate

vibrate

Example Sentence

He oscillates between accepting the new position and retirement

Definition (verb) move or swing from side to side regularly

Synonyms :

vibrate

Example Sentence

the needle on the meter was oscillating

we always oscillate who will be the winner of next Oscar prize

## 172. Invective

Short Definition : abuse

Definition (noun) abusive or venomous language used to express blame or censure or bitter deep-seated ill will

Synonyms :

vitriol

vituperation

ENVY + ACTIVE or Active jealousy can cause you to ABUSE the other person.

divide it like..invi+ctive..invi(sounds like envy)+active...well an active envy..who doesnt want to see you sucessful...such a person wil try all ways to bring you down..hence he will use abusive and venomous langauge..to express his ill will for you

## 173. Savor

Short Definition : enjoy; have a distinctive flavor, smell, or quality; N: taste or smell; distinctive quality

Definition (noun) the taste experience when a savoury condiment is taken into the mouth

Synonyms :

flavor

flavour

nip

relish

sapidity



savour  
smack  
tang

Definition (verb) derive or receive pleasure from; get enjoyment from; take pleasure in

Synonyms :  
bask  
enjoy  
relish  
savour

Example Sentence

She relished her fame and basked in her glory

Definition (verb) have flavor; taste of something

Synonyms :  
savour  
taste

Definition (verb) taste appreciatively

Synonyms :  
savour

Example Sentence

savor the soup

Definition (verb) give taste to

Synonyms :  
savour

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SAVOR and FLAVOR are rhyming words. You savor (feel the taste) the flavor (taste) of the food you eat.

## 174. Dissemble

Short Definition : disguise; hide the real nature of; pretend

Definition (verb) make believe with the intent to deceive

Synonyms :

affect

feign

pretend

sham

Example Sentence

He feigned that he was ill

He shammed a headache

Definition (verb) hide under a false appearance

Synonyms :

cloak

mask

Example Sentence

He masked his disappointment

Definition (verb) behave unnaturally or affectedly

Synonyms :

act

pretend

Example Sentence

She's just acting

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The word sounds like "resemble"...the person/ a thing of tat type can be in disguise...

## 175. Burnish

Short Definition : make shiny by rubbing; polish

Definition (noun) the property of being smooth and shiny

Synonyms :  
gloss  
glossiness  
polish

Definition (verb) polish and make shiny

Synonyms :  
buff  
furbish

Example Sentence

buff the wooden floors

buff my shoes

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Remember Varnish - used on wooden things to make them shine

## 176. Disseminate

Short Definition : distribute; spread; scatter (like seeds)

Definition (verb) cause to become widely known

Synonyms :

broadcast

circularise

circularize

circulate

diffuse

disperse

distribute

pass around

propagate

spread

Example Sentence

spread information

circulate a rumor

broadcast the news

dis + seminate

seminate could be taken as seminar, so for a seminar people gather at a place.

Hence disseminar could be understood as the scattering of people.

sounds this emit >> scatter..

## 177. Irresolute

Short Definition : uncertain how to act; weak; lacking in resolution; indecisive; N. irresolution

Definition (adj) uncertain how to act or proceed

Example Sentence

the committee was timid and mediocre and irresolute

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(IR)not knowing... how to make resolutions.

## 178. Imperturbable

Short Definition : unshakably calm; placid

Definition (adj) not easily perturbed or excited or upset; marked by extreme calm and composure

Synonyms :  
unflappable

Example Sentence

hitherto imperturbable, he now showed signs of alarm

an imperturbable self-possession

unflappable in a crisis

imperturbable--im + pertur (like tur tur) + babble ( just talking foolishly..). So, the person who never do any tur-tur and never babbles is a very cool, calm and peaceful guy.

Im+Pester+Able.

## 179. Forestall

**Short Definition : prevent by taking action in advance**

Definition (verb) keep from happening or arising; make impossible

Synonyms :

forbid

foreclose

preclude

prevent

Example Sentence

My sense of tact forbids an honest answer

Your role in the projects precludes your involvement in the competitive project

Definition (verb) act in advance of; deal with ahead of time

Synonyms :

anticipate

counter

foresee

Fore means before. Stall means to stop. Hence Forestall == Before Stop. i.e to stop something before it happens.

Toll naka

## 180. Levee

Short Definition : earthen or stone embankment to prevent flooding; CF. raise

Definition (noun) a formal reception of visitors or guests (as at a royal court)

Definition (noun) a pier that provides a landing place on a river

Definition (noun) an embankment that is built in order to prevent a river from overflowing

levee..(sounds like level..) we LEVEL the land ,with LEVEE so that there is no seep of water(..flooding..)

it also means a reception.

u take LEAVE to participate in a levee

## 181. Metamorphosis

Short Definition : change of form; Ex. metamorphosis of caterpillar to butterfly; V. metamorphose: change by metamorphosis

Definition (noun) the marked and rapid transformation of a larva into an adult that occurs in some animals

Synonyms :  
metabolism

Definition (noun) a striking change in appearance or character or circumstances

Synonyms :  
transfiguration

Example Sentence

the metamorphosis of the old house into something new and exciting

Definition (noun) a complete change of physical form or substance especially as by magic or witchcraft

meta ..means many + morp(..derived from morphic)means shape or form..

## 182. Belie

Short Definition : contradict; give a false impression; disguise; Ex. The poor sales belied our high hopes; Ex. Her smile belies her true feeling of displeasure.

Definition (verb) be in contradiction with

Synonyms :  
contradict  
negate

Definition (verb) represent falsely

Synonyms :  
misrepresent

Example Sentence

This statement misrepresents my intentions

belie has lie.

BELIE means to try to convince someone to BELIEve a LIE.

## 183. Morose

Short Definition : ill-humored; sullen; sullenly melancholy

Definition (adj) showing a brooding ill humor

Synonyms :  
dark



dour  
glowering  
glum  
moody  
saturnine  
sour  
sullen

Example Sentence

a dark scowl

the proverbially dour New England Puritan

a glum, hopeless shrug

he sat in moody silence

a morose and unsociable manner

a saturnine, almost misanthropic young genius

a sour temper

a sullen crowd

in hindi it is like MOR(peacock) RO(weep) SA raha hai-means it is in sorrow and hence brooding ill humoured

MOROSE ( More + RoRa(crying in hindi)) Deep and long lasting Sadness

184. Empirical

## Short Definition : based on experience

Definition (adj) derived from experiment and observation rather than theory

Synonyms :  
empiric

### Example Sentence

an empirical basis for an ethical theory

empirical laws

empirical data

an empirical treatment of a disease about which little is known

Definition (adj) relying on medical quackery

Synonyms :  
empiric

### Example Sentence

empiric treatment

Empire...maintaining an empire requires much practical experiences and workouts....

emperical formula-a formula can b stated after experiencing the validity of its results.

## 185. Dogmatic

Short Definition : opinionated; holding stubbornly to one's opinion; arbitrary;

## doctrinal

Definition (adj) characterized by assertion of unproved or unprovable principles

Synonyms :  
dogmatical

Definition (adj) of or pertaining to or characteristic of a doctrine or code of beliefs accepted as authoritative

Definition (adj) relating to or involving dogma

Example Sentence

dogmatic writings

If you try to read "dogmatic" from back to front, you will get "i am god". the person who think that he is a god is arrogant and stubborn

concentrate on word DOGMA. dogma means a doctrine or codes. So dogmatic becomes doctrinal. again a doctrine is made of opinions, thus comes opinionated.

## 186. Disparate

Short Definition : basically different; impossible to compare; unrelated

Definition (adj) fundamentally different or distinct in quality or kind

Example Sentence

such disparate attractions as grand opera and game fishing

disparate ideas

Definition (adj) including markedly dissimilar elements

Example Sentence

a disparate aggregate of creeds and songs and prayers

Dis(this) + parate(parrot) is different from the rest.  
But how?? It can talk!!!

"disparity" which means inequality or difference----->disparate

## 187. Apprise

### Short Definition : inform

Definition (verb) inform (somebody) of something

Synonyms :

advise

apprize

give notice

notify

send word

Example Sentence

I advised him that the rent was due

Definition (verb) make aware of

Synonyms :

apprize

instruct

Example Sentence

Have the students been apprised of the tuition hike?

Definition (verb) gain in value

Synonyms :  
appreciate  
apprize  
revalue

Example Sentence

The yen appreciated again!

Definition (verb) increase the value of

Synonyms :  
appreciate  
apprize

Example Sentence

The Germans want to appreciate the Deutsche Mark

one who will inform will get the prize

relate it with "surprise" means  
inform suddenly-

## 188. Artless

Short Definition : without guile; open and honest

Definition (adj) characterized by an inability to mask your feelings; not devious

Synonyms :  
ingenuous

Example Sentence

an ingenuous admission of responsibility

Definition (adj) simple and natural; without cunning or deceit

Example Sentence

an artless manner

artless elegance

Definition (adj) showing lack of art

Example Sentence

an artless translation

Definition (adj) (of persons) lacking art or knowledge

Synonyms :

uncultivated

uncultured

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without the art of deception

## 189. Pedantic

Short Definition : bookish; showing off learning; marked by an excessive ostentatious concern for book learning; N. pedantry

Definition (adj) marked by a narrow focus on or display of learning especially its trivial aspects

Synonyms :  
academic  
donnish

Can u smell the word <b>'PANDIT'</b>( "Scholar" in english) from "Pedantic"?  
PANDITs are usually very strict about the bookish stuff.

ped(tree) + ant >>> we see ants crawling on tree.. they are considered to follow their trivial tendency of walking in line.. same is here.. someone following his trivial knowledge..

## 190. Proscribe

Short Definition : prohibit; ostracize; banish; outlaw

Definition (verb) command against

Synonyms :  
disallow  
forbid  
interdict  
nix  
prohibit  
veto

Example Sentence

I forbid you to call me late at night

Mother vetoed the trip to the chocolate store

Dad nixed our plans

When you want a magazine, you PREscribe(subscribe) it. Similarly when you want to stop it, you will have to PROSCRIBE.

SO PROSCRIBE = prohibit

opposite of prescribe

## 191. Propitiate

Short Definition : appease; conciliate; make peaceful; ADJ. propitiatory

Definition (verb) make peace with

Synonyms :  
appease

PROf+PITI- if you want professor's pity then you would have to appease him/her.

maintain the peace at home.but basically it is taken from latin propetere..which when split means pro means for + petere means to seek ..so you seeking for PEACE...

Preetisoni--source of complex mnemonic

## 192. Elegy

Short Definition : poem or song expressing lamentation (for the dead); ADJ. elegiacal, elegiac

Definition (noun) a mournful poem; a lament for the dead

Synonyms :  
lament

E(a)-LEGY(legendry).....so if a legendry person dies.....people sing a mournful poem or people lament or regret for his death.....

basically this is taken from a greek elegos which is a song of mourning .....and we mourn if someone dies

## 193. Connoisseur



Short Definition : person competent to act as a judge of art, etc. (whose judgments are respected); a lover of an art

Definition (noun) an expert able to appreciate a field; especially in the fine arts

Synonyms :  
cognoscente

(In Hindi Language) Connoisseur sounds like kaun inse sure nahi hoga, kaun nahi sure.. Ye to expert hai. He is connoisseur. He is EXPERT.

connoisseur, is like noise ur..so imagine a situation of a singing competition in which the judge says what a noise ur

## 194. Magnanimity

Short Definition : generosity; ADJ. magnanimous: generous

Definition (noun) liberality in bestowing gifts; extremely liberal and generous of spirit

Synonyms :  
largess  
largesse  
munificence  
openhandedness

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magNANIMAous, NANI MA in hindi, is always "generous" to us

## 195. Dormant

Short Definition : sleeping; temporarily inactive; lethargic; latent

Definition (adj) in a condition of biological rest or suspended animation

Synonyms :  
hibernating  
torpid

Example Sentence

dormant buds

a hibernating bear

torpid frogs

Definition (adj) (of e.g. volcanos) not erupting and not extinct

Synonyms :  
inactive

Example Sentence

a dormant volcano

Definition (adj) lying with head on paws as if sleeping

Synonyms :  
sleeping

Definition (adj) inactive but capable of becoming active

Synonyms :  
abeyant

Example Sentence

her feelings of affection are dormant but easily awakened

see the word DORMant, DORM is a dormitory a place to sleep..so if you are sleeping you are inactive or lethargic..

## 196. Relegate

Short Definition : put into a lower or worse place; banish to an inferior position; delegate; assign; Ex. relegate the old furniture to the children's room; Ex. relegated to the second division

Definition (verb) refer to another person for decision or judgment

Synonyms :  
pass on  
submit

Example Sentence

She likes to relegate difficult questions to her colleagues

Definition (verb) assign to a lower position; reduce in rank

Synonyms :  
break  
bump  
demote  
kick downstairs

Example Sentence

She was demoted because she always speaks up

He was broken down to Sergeant

Definition (verb) expel, as if by official decree

Synonyms :

banish

bar

Example Sentence

he was banished from his own country

Definition (verb) assign to a class or kind

Synonyms :

classify

Example Sentence

How should algae be classified?

People argue about how to relegate certain mushrooms

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relegate..split it like rele(relatives+gate)your relatives are crying at THE GATE because you are not allowing them to enter your house, you have put them in a worse place i.e the GATE WHICH IS ALMOST LIKE A FOOTPATH.

## 197. Pungent

Short Definition : stinging; acrid; sharp in taste or smell; (of speech or writing) caustic; N. pungency

Definition (adj) strong and sharp

Synonyms :  
acid

Example Sentence

the pungent taste of radishes

the acrid smell of burning rubber

Definition (adj) capable of wounding

Synonyms :  
barbed  
biting  
mordacious  
nipping

Example Sentence

a barbed compliment

a biting aphorism

pungent satire

remember pug dog of vodafone. It's very stingy.

## 198. Buttress

Short Definition : support; prop up; N. stationary structure to support wall;  
Ex. flying buttress

Definition (noun) a support usually of stone or brick; supports the wall of a building

Synonyms :  
buttressing

Definition (verb) reinforce with a buttress

Example Sentence

Buttress the church

Definition (verb) make stronger or defensible

Example Sentence

buttress your thesis

remember by your BUTT or BUTTOCKS ! what do they do? They provide you with a padding when ypu sit, giving support.. :)

butts rests on support

## 199. Presumptuous

Short Definition : going beyond what is right; excessively forward; arrogant; taking liberties

Definition (adj) excessively forward

Synonyms :  
assuming  
assumptive

Example Sentence

an assumptive person

on a subject like this it would be too assuming for me to decide

the duchess would not put up with presumptuous servants

Focus on "Presum" (Presume)--> To overstep your boundaries by boldly PRESUMing/ assuming something.

Pre+assuming something means you are overly forward and arrogant..in thinking this way

## 200. Caustic

Short Definition : burning; corrosive; able to burn by chemical action; sarcastically biting; (of remarks) intended to hurt; bitter; harmful; OP. harmless

Definition (noun) any chemical substance that burns or destroys living tissue

Definition (adj) harsh or corrosive in tone

Synonyms :

acerb

acerbic

acid

acid

bitter

blistering

sulfurous

sulphurous

virulent

vitriolic

Example Sentence

an acerbic tone piercing otherwise flowery prose

a barrage of acid comments

her acrid remarks make her many enemies

bitter words

blistering criticism

caustic jokes about political assassination, talk-show hosts and medical ethics

a sulfurous denunciation

a vitriolic critique

Definition (adj) of a substance, especially a strong acid; capable of destroying or eating away by chemical action

Synonyms :

corrosive

erosive

mordant

vitriolic

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caustic soda is very common and its "harmful " for health if taken in large quantity....therefore caustic means harmful or burning.  
Since its a soda its somehow related with chemistry as well..

## 201. Discordant

Short Definition : not harmonious; conflicting



Definition (adj) not in agreement or harmony

Example Sentence

views discordant with present-day ideas

Definition (adj) lacking in harmony

Synonyms :  
disharmonious  
dissonant  
inharmonic

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FOCUS ON disco-RDANT.  
dISCOs ARE always inharmonious.  
same as cacophonous

## 202. Reprobate

Short Definition : morally disapproved person; person hardened in sin,  
devoid of a sense of decency; CF. disapproved by God ?

Definition (noun) a person without moral scruples

Synonyms :  
miscreant

Definition (verb) reject (documents) as invalid  
Definition (verb) abandon to eternal damnation

Example Sentence

God reprobated the unrepenting sinner

Definition (verb) express strong disapproval of

Synonyms :

condemn

decry

excoriate

objurgate

Example Sentence

We condemn the racism in South Africa

These ideas were reprobated

Definition (adj) deviating from what is considered moral or right or proper or good

Synonyms :

depraved

perverse

perverted

Example Sentence

depraved criminals

a perverted sense of loyalty

the reprobate conduct of a gambling aristocrat

reprobate: rep(repeatedly)+rob+ate.. a person who again and again robs other peoples food and eats it up has no moral values.

one "reinstated in probation". i.e., morally corrupt person.

203. Levity

Short Definition : lack of seriousness or steadiness; frivolity; lightness of manner

Definition (noun) feeling an inappropriate lack of seriousness

Definition (noun) a manner lacking seriousness

lev(leave)+it+y(.yaar)..you casually leave things without any seriousness

in telugu, levu, means 'not present' ... no seriousness..

## 204. Inert

Short Definition : inactive; lacking power to move; unable to move or act;  
Ex. chemically inert; N. inertia: state of being inert; force which keeps a thing in the position or state

Definition (adj) unable to move or resist motion

Definition (adj) having only a limited ability to react chemically; chemically inactive

Synonyms :

indifferent

neutral

Example Sentence

inert matter

an indifferent chemical in a reaction

Definition (adj) slow and apathetic

Synonyms :

sluggish

soggy

torpid

Example Sentence

she was fat and inert

a sluggish worker

a mind grown torpid in old age

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recollect your chemistry . INERT gases hardly react, therefore INERT means LACKIN ABILITY TO MOVE OR ACT.

## 205. Aver

Short Definition : state confidently; declare as true

Definition (verb) report or maintain

Synonyms :

allege

say

Example Sentence

He alleged that he was the victim of a crime

He said it was too late to intervene in the war

The registrar says that I owe the school money

Definition (verb) to declare or affirm solemnly and formally as true

Synonyms :

affirm  
assert  
avow  
swan  
swear  
verify

Example Sentence

Before God I swear I am innocent

A VERy confident statement!

A(affirmative) version

## 206. Impassive

Short Definition : without feeling; expressionless; imperturbable; stoical; Ex.  
impassive face

Definition (adj) having or revealing little emotion or sensibility; not easily aroused or excited

Synonyms :  
stolid

Example Sentence

her impassive remoteness

he remained impassive, showing neither interest in nor concern for our plight

a silent stolid creature who took it all as a matter of course

her face showed nothing but stolid indifference

Definition (adj) deliberately impassive in manner

Synonyms :

deadpan

expressionless

poker-faced

unexpressive

Example Sentence

deadpan humor

his face remained expressionless as the verdict was read

Impassive-> A person saying-"I m Passive(Not Active)", that means he has no feelings,emotions.

Passive : inactive hence a person inactive in revealing emotions.zzzz

## 207. Exigency

Short Definition : urgent situation; ADJ. exigent

Definition (noun) a pressing or urgent situation

Example Sentence

the health-care exigency

Definition (noun) a sudden unforeseen crisis (usually involving danger) that requires immediate action

Synonyms :  
emergency  
pinch

Example Sentence

he never knew what to do in an emergency

exigency ~ exit + emergency;  
you remember the emergency exit, only when at the time of an urgent situation.

think of urgency/emergency

## 208. Pragmatic

Short Definition : practical (as opposed to idealistic); concerned with practical worth or impact of something; Ex. pragmatic test of the skill

Definition (noun) an imperial decree that becomes part of the fundamental law of the land

Synonyms :  
pragmatic sanction

Definition (adj) concerned with practical matters

Synonyms :  
matter-of-fact  
pragmatical

Example Sentence

a matter-of-fact (or pragmatic) approach to the problem

a matter-of-fact account of the trip

Definition (adj) of or concerning the theory of pragmatism

Synonyms :  
pragmatical

Definition (adj) guided by practical experience and observation rather than theory

Synonyms :  
hard-nosed  
hardheaded  
practical

Example Sentence

a hardheaded appraisal of our position

a hard-nosed labor leader

completely practical in his approach to business

not ideology but pragmatic politics

$$\text{PRA} + \text{gma} + \text{TIC} = \text{PRA} + \text{c} + \text{TIC} + \text{al}$$

## 209. Antipathy

Short Definition : aversion; dislike or opposition

Definition (noun) a feeling of intense dislike

Synonyms :  
aversion  
distaste

Definition (noun) the object of a feeling of intense aversion; something to be avoided



Example Sentence

cats were his greatest antipathy

CAN REMEMBER IT AS OPPOSITE OF sympathy.

RHYMING n OPPOSITE WORDS - antipathy n sympathy

antipathy-- anti + path.. not on the same path due to a feeling of intense dislike.

## 210. Disparage

Short Definition : belittle

Definition (verb) express a negative opinion of

Synonyms :

belittle

pick at

Example Sentence

She disparaged her student's efforts

dispa-rage can be read as display a rage. When you display your RAGE on your juniors you BELITTLE them in front of the others.

26th janury ki parade ke background mein kisine disco ka music chala diya and that led to everyone's disparade

## 211. Delineate

Short Definition : portray; depict; sketch; describe; N. delineation

Definition (verb) show the form or outline of

Synonyms :  
define

Example Sentence

The tree was clearly defined by the light

The camera could define the smallest object

Definition (verb) determine the essential quality of

Synonyms :  
define  
delimit  
delimitate  
specify

Definition (verb) trace the shape of

Synonyms :  
limn  
outline

Definition (verb) make a mark or lines on a surface

Synonyms :  
describe  
draw  
line  
trace

Example Sentence

draw a line

trace the outline of a figure in the sand

Definition (verb) describe in vivid detail

Definition (adj) represented accurately or precisely

Synonyms :

delineated

represented

Delineate = (Diligently and neatly) portrayed painting.

concentrate upon de+LINE+ate....d stands for draw ,line for sketch and ate for appropriately.it may help you

## 212. Engender

Short Definition : cause; produce; give rise to

Definition (verb) call forth

Synonyms :

breed

spawn

Definition (verb) make children

Synonyms :

beget

bring forth

father

generate

get

mother

sire

Example Sentence

Abraham begot Isaac

Men often father children but don't recognize them

when two gender's male & female end up together .. they produce or give rise to a CHILD..

engender also means bringing into being.so,thats opposite of endanger where species will be on the verge of extinct

## 213. Goad

Short Definition : urge on; drive with a goad; cause (someone) to do something by continued annoyance; Ex. They goaded him into doing it by saying he was a coward; N: sharp-pointed stick for driving cattle; stimulus; CF

Definition (noun) a pointed instrument that is used to prod into a state of motion

Synonyms :  
prod

Definition (noun) a verbalization that encourages you to attempt something

Synonyms :  
goad  
goad  
prod  
prodding  
spur  
spurring  
urging

Example Sentence

the ceaseless prodding got on his nerves

Definition (verb) give heart or courage to

Synonyms :  
spur

Definition (verb) urge with or as if with a goad

Definition (verb) stab or urge on as if with a pointed stick

Synonyms :

prick

Definition (verb) goad or provoke, as by constant criticism

Synonyms :

needle

Example Sentence

He needled her with his sarcastic remarks

goad tells you to "GO And Do [it]"

i am not able to tolerate your GODU(goad).... urging

## 214. Implacable

Short Definition : incapable of being pacified; impossible to appease; Ex. implacable enemy

Definition (adj) incapable of being placated

Example Sentence

an implacable enemy

Sounds like IMPLEASABLE -- some one who cannot be pleased or appeased -- not pacifiable

IM(Not) + PLAC(Place) + ABLE = You will not a place in her heart.

## 215. Inundate

Short Definition : flood; overflow; submerge; cover completely; Ex. inundated with work

Definition (verb) fill quickly beyond capacity; as with a liquid

Synonyms :

deluge

flood

swamp

Example Sentence

the basement was inundated after the storm

The images flooded his mind

Definition (verb) fill or cover completely, usually with water

Synonyms :

deluge

submerge

I+NUN +DATE....I asked the NUNs for a DATE and i was FLOODED with letters from christian societies for violating the social norms.

FLOODS came UNDATEDly

## 216. Strut

Short Definition : supporting bar; CF. airplane wing building support

Definition (noun) a proud stiff pompous gait

Synonyms :

prance  
swagger

Definition (noun) brace consisting of a bar or rod used to resist longitudinal compression  
Definition (verb) to walk with a lofty proud gait, often in an attempt to impress others

Synonyms :  
cock  
prance  
ruffle  
sashay

swagger  
tittup

Example Sentence

He struts around like a rooster in a hen house

rhymes with SLUT - imagine the way she walks...pompous, with head erect and chest thrown out.

Imagine a SLUT on the podium of pole dance...how she walks POMPOUS(shaking her ass) And she dances with the help of STRUT(Supportive bar)

## 217. Divest

Short Definition : strip (as of clothes); deprive (as of rights); dispossess; N. divestiture(divestment)

Definition (verb) take away possessions from someone

Synonyms :  
deprive  
strip

Example Sentence

The Nazis stripped the Jews of all their assets

Definition (verb) deprive of status or authority

Synonyms :  
disinvest

Example Sentence

he was divested of his rights and his title

They disinvested themselves of their rights

Definition (verb) reduce or dispose of; cease to hold (an investment)

Synonyms :  
disinvest

Example Sentence

The company decided to divest

the board of trustees divested \$20 million in real estate property

There was pressure on the university to disinvest in South Africa

Definition (verb) remove (someone's or one's own) clothes

Synonyms :  
disinvest  
strip  
undress

Example Sentence



The nurse quickly undressed the accident victim

She divested herself of her outdoor clothes

He disinvested himself of his garments

opposite to invest; di + vest; vest means an inner garment; divest is to remove it.

to see the vest's one need to strip the clothes..;)

## 218. Transgression

Short Definition : violation of a law; sin; V. transgress: go beyond (a limit); violate; do wrong

Definition (noun) the act of transgressing; the violation of a law or a duty or moral principle

Synonyms :  
evildoing

Example Sentence

the boy was punished for the transgressions of his father

Definition (noun) the spreading of the sea over land as evidenced by the deposition of marine strata over terrestrial strata

Definition (noun) the action of going beyond or overstepping some boundary or limit

Trans + aggression....imagine the army of Pakistan aggressively crossing the Line of Control (LOC) and hence violating the law trans(=across) border.

TRANSGRESSION and VIOLATION are similar sounding words which mean, to break a rule or law.

## 219. Alacrity

Short Definition : cheerful promptness without reluctance

Definition (noun) liveliness and eagerness

Synonyms :

briskness

smartness

Example Sentence

he accepted with alacrity

the smartness of the pace soon exhausted him

take the suffix crity we can link it with creativity. creative people are so eager to learn n create things differently.

remember it as a la carte.. which means selecting food from the menu.. usually when ppl go to restaurants they are "eager" to get food!!

## 220. Derivative

Short Definition : unoriginal; obtained from another source; Ex. derivative prose style; N.

Definition (noun) the result of mathematical differentiation; the instantaneous change of one quantity relative to another;  $df(x)/dx$

Synonyms :

derived function

differential

differential coefficient

first derivative

Definition (noun) a compound obtained from, or regarded as derived from, another compound

Definition (noun) a financial instrument whose value is based on another security

Synonyms :

derivative instrument

Definition (noun) (linguistics) a word that is derived from another word

Example Sentence

`electricity' is a derivative of `electric'

Definition (adj) resulting from or employing derivation

Example Sentence

a derivative process

a highly derivative prose style

Deriv - Drive /

ative - Relative

Mng:obtaining from the other source.

## 221. Ostentatious

Short Definition : showy; trying to attract attention; pretentious; N.  
ostentation: showy display

Definition (adj) intended to attract notice and impress others

Synonyms :

pretentious

Example Sentence

an ostentatious sable coat

Definition (adj) (of a display) tawdry or vulgar

Synonyms :  
pretentious

oSTENTATIOUS....read it as Stuntatious....Stunts...you perform stunts to attract attention, showy.

USNE TEN TATTI KIA to attract attention of NURSES

## 222. Alleviate

Short Definition : relieve (pain)

Definition (verb) provide physical relief, as from pain

Synonyms :  
assuage  
palliate  
relieve

Example Sentence

This pill will relieve your headaches

Definition (verb) make easier

Synonyms :  
ease  
facilitate

Example Sentence

you could facilitate the process by sharing your knowledge

ALL (all)+ EVI (evil)+ ATE (has been eaten up) so hence you are relieved of the pain and you feel relief

viate-supress

## 223. Converge

Short Definition : approach; tend to meet; come together

Definition (verb) be adjacent or come together

Synonyms :  
meet

Example Sentence

The lines converge at this point

Definition (verb) approach a limit as the number of terms increases without limit

Definition (verb) move or draw together at a certain location

Example Sentence

The crowd converged on the movie star

Definition (verb) come together so as to form a single product

Example Sentence

Social forces converged to bring the Fascists back to power

Co- together  
Verge- become one

Converge (Sounds like COme aNd mERGE)

## 224. Harangue

Short Definition : long, passionate, and vehement speech; V.

Definition (noun) a loud bombastic declamation expressed with strong emotion

Synonyms :  
rant  
ranting

Definition (verb) deliver a harangue to; address forcefully

HARANGUE can be split as har + ang + u + e....so when YOU are ANGry with HAR(her), she is subjected to a long or intensive verbal attack.

split it to HAR + LANGUAGE . HAR = harass and LANG = language .. hence harangue is harassing language

## 225. Fervor

Short Definition : glowing ardor; intensity of feeling; quality of being fervent or fervid; zeal; intense heat

Definition (noun) feelings of great warmth and intensity

Synonyms :  
ardor  
ardour  
fervency  
fervidness  
fervour  
fire

### Example Sentence

he spoke with great ardor

Definition (noun) the state of being emotionally aroused and worked up

Synonyms :

excitation

excitement

fervour

inflammation

### Example Sentence

his face was flushed with excitement and his hands trembled

he tried to calm those who were in a state of extreme inflammation

Fervor - relate it to exam fever. U become so much ardent and enthusiastic to study for that one night to get good marks.. U have an intense feeling to study.. Hope this helps

close to favor

## 226. Tacit

Short Definition : understood (without actually being expressed); not put into words; Ex. tacit agreement

Definition (adj) implied by or inferred from actions or statements

Synonyms :

silent

understood

Example Sentence

gave silent consent

a tacit agreement

the understood provisos of a custody agreement

tacit ~ take it; imagine you are giving permission to someone to take something from your room...but you didn't say it verbally but via your actions.

Tacit - Change the word to Tact - You tactfully (with perfection) handled the situation even without expressing it in words (tacit).

## 227. Eulogy

Short Definition : expression of praise, often on the occasion of someone's death; V. eulogize

Definition (noun) a formal expression of praise for someone who has died recently

Synonyms :  
eulogium

Definition (noun) a formal expression of praise

Synonyms :  
encomium  
paeon  
panegyric  
pean

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eulogy = eu-'good' + log 'root: logue [dialogue, talk, speech]'



=> Good speech

## 228. Perennial

Short Definition : something long-lasting; perennial plant; ADJ: lasting through the year or many years; lasting for a long time; enduring

Definition (noun) (botany) a plant lasting for three seasons or more

Definition (adj) lasting three seasons or more

Example Sentence

the common buttercup is a popular perennial plant

Definition (adj) lasting an indefinitely long time; suggesting self-renewal

Example Sentence

perennial happiness

Definition (adj) recurring again and again

Synonyms :

recurrent

repeated

Example Sentence

perennial efforts to stipulate the requirements

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if you remember we have learnt about perennial rivers in social studies which means  
LONG LASTING rivers

## 229. Elicit

Short Definition : draw out fact or information (by discussion or from someone)

Definition (verb) call forth (emotions, feelings, and responses)

Synonyms :

arouse  
enkindle  
evoke  
fire  
kindle  
provoke  
raise

Example Sentence

arouse pity

raise a smile

evoke sympathy

Definition (verb) deduce (a principle) or construe (a meaning)

Synonyms :

draw out  
educe  
evoke  
extract

Example Sentence

We drew out some interesting linguistic data from the native informant

Definition (verb) derive by reason

Example Sentence

elicit a solution

implicit - which is understood ..

explicit - means specifically told/derived

so elicit - explicit

A-List can be created from extracting(elicit) good things only

## 230. Dupe

Short Definition : someone easily fooled or deceived; V: deceive

Definition (noun) a person who is tricked or swindled

Synonyms :

victim

Definition (verb) fool or hoax

Synonyms :

befooled

cod

fool

gull

put on

put one across

put one over

slang

take in

Example Sentence

The immigrant was duped because he trusted everyone

You can't fool me!

duplicates(in movies) are used to fool people....

from dupe think of dopehead which means stupid & he can be easily cheated

## 231. Propensity

Short Definition : natural inclination

Definition (noun) an inclination to do something

Synonyms :

leaning

tendency

Example Sentence

he felt leanings toward frivolity

Definition (noun) a natural inclination

Synonyms :

leaning

proclivity

Example Sentence

he has a proclivity for exaggeration

Definition (noun) a disposition to behave in a certain way

Synonyms :  
aptness

Example Sentence

the aptness of iron to rust

the propensity of disease to spread

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now a days people are inclined towards "CITY" dats y they r migrating from villages....

## 232. Reticent

Short Definition : inclined to silence; uncommunicative; reserved; Ex. He was reticent about the reasons; N. reticence

Definition (adj) temperamentally disinclined to talk

Synonyms :  
untalkative

Definition (adj) cool and formal in manner

Synonyms :  
restrained  
unemotional

Definition (adj) reluctant to draw attention to yourself

Synonyms :  
retiring  
self-effacing

Cent (Saint) is stereotypically reluctant to speak or draw attention to themselves.

50Cent -> talks too much..  
on the contrary..  
reticent-> talk less

## 233. Craven

Short Definition : cowardly

Definition (noun) an abject coward

Synonyms :  
poltroon  
recreant

Definition (adj) lacking even the rudiments of courage; abjectly fearful

Synonyms :  
recreant

Example Sentence

the craven fellow turned and ran

a craven proposal to raise the white flag

this recreant knight

craven -- is the opposite of 'brave'.

one who keeps craving but doesn't do anything

## 234. Stigma

Short Definition : token of disgrace; brand; V. stigmatize: mark with a

stigma; characterize as disgraceful

Definition (noun) the apical end of the style where deposited pollen enters the pistil

Definition (noun) a symbol of disgrace or infamy

Synonyms :

brand

mark

stain

Example Sentence

And the Lord set a mark upon Cain

Definition (noun) an external tracheal aperture in a terrestrial arthropod

Definition (noun) a skin lesion that is a diagnostic sign of some disease

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Stigma (STICK + MAA)

Imagine someone hitting his MAA with a STICK. How disgraceful it will be !!!

## 235. Bolster

Short Definition : support; reinforce

Definition (noun) a pillow that is often put across a bed underneath the regular pillows

Synonyms :

long pillow

Definition (verb) support and strengthen

Synonyms :

bolster up

Example Sentence

bolster morale

Definition (verb) prop up with a pillow or bolster

Definition (verb) add padding to

Synonyms :

pad

Example Sentence

pad the seat of the chair

RELATE TO BOLT>> USED TO SUPPORT OR REINFORCE

Make Something BOLDer

## 236. Spectrum

Short Definition : colored band produced when a beam of light passes through a prism; broad and continuous range; Ex. whole spectrum of modern thoughts

Definition (noun) an ordered array of the components of an emission or wave

Definition (noun) a broad range of related objects or values or qualities or ideas or activities

## 237. Stolid

Short Definition : dull; impassive; showing little emotion when strong feelings are expected

Definition (adj) having or revealing little emotion or sensibility; not easily aroused or excited



Synonyms :  
impassive

Example Sentence

her impassive remoteness

he remained impassive, showing neither interest in nor concern for our plight

a silent stolid creature who took it all as a matter of course

her face showed nothing but stolid indifference

stone like

It becomes 'T' SOLID. So someone very SOLID against 'T'(ears) or emo'T'ions.

stone --> no feeling

## 238. Capricious

Short Definition : unpredictable; fickle

Definition (adj) changeable

Synonyms :  
freakish

Example Sentence

a capricious summer breeze

freakish weather

Definition (adj) determined by chance or impulse or whim rather than by necessity or reason

Synonyms :  
impulsive  
whimsical

Example Sentence

a capricious refusal

authoritarian rulers are frequently capricious

the victim of whimsical persecutions

ca(CAR) + PRIC(PRICE)...PRICE OF cars nowadays is becoming unpredictable with the launch of Tata's 1 lakh car.

if u wear Capri(a dress, also called 3/4th) in place of formal dress, it will be UNPREDICTABLE, ERRATIC.

## 239. Ingenuous

Short Definition : naive and trusting; young; unsophisticated; candid

Definition (adj) characterized by an inability to mask your feelings; not devious

Synonyms :  
artless

Example Sentence

an ingenuous admission of responsibility

Definition (adj) lacking in sophistication or worldliness

Synonyms :  
innocent

Example Sentence

a child's innocent stare

his ingenuous explanation that he would not have burned the church if he had not thought the bishop was in it

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In+genuine- In genuine relationship people are naive and trusting to each other.

## 240. Sate

Short Definition : satisfy fully (physical needs such as hunger); sate; N.  
satiety: condition of being satiated

Definition (verb) fill to satisfaction

Synonyms :  
fill  
replete  
sate

Example Sentence

I am sated

Definition (verb) overeat or eat immodestly; make a pig of oneself

Synonyms :

binge

englut

engorge

glut

gorge

gormandise

gormandize

gourmandize

ingurgitate

overeate

overgorge

overindulge

pig out

scarf out

stuff

Example Sentence

She stuffed herself at the dinner

The kids binged on ice cream

Definition (adj) supplied (especially fed) to satisfaction

Synonyms :

satiated

I SAT & ATE till I was full!

remember with s-ate, so when we have completed our food, we are satisfied to full..(pet bhar kar khaana)

## 241. Analogous

Short Definition : comparable; similar

Definition (adj) similar or equivalent in some respects though otherwise dissimilar

Synonyms :  
correspondent

Example Sentence

brains and computers are often considered analogous

salmon roe is marketed as analogous to caviar

Definition (adj) corresponding in function but not in evolutionary origin

Example Sentence

the wings of a bee and those of a hummingbird are analogous

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remember analogous from analogy

## 242. Embellish

Short Definition : adorn; ornament; enhance as a story (by adding fictitious details)

Definition (verb) add details to

Synonyms :  
aggrandise  
aggrandize  
blow up  
dramatise  
dramatize  
embroider

lard  
pad

Definition (verb) be beautiful to look at

Synonyms :

adorn  
beautify  
deck  
decorate  
grace

Example Sentence

Flowers adorned the tables everywhere

Definition (verb) make more attractive by adding ornament, colour, etc.

Synonyms :

adorn  
beautify  
decorate  
grace  
ornament

Example Sentence

Decorate the room for the party

beautify yourself for the special day

Definition (verb) make more beautiful

Synonyms :

beautify  
fancify  
prettify

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emBELLish--we add BELL to the Christmas tress to adorn it

### 243. Stint

Short Definition : supply; allotted amount of work; assigned portion of work; limitation; Ex. two-year stint in the army; Ex. without stint

Definition (noun) an unbroken period of time during which you do something

Synonyms :  
stretch

Example Sentence

there were stretches of boredom

he did a stretch in the federal penitentiary

Definition (noun) smallest American sandpiper

Synonyms :  
erolia minutilla  
least sandpiper

Definition (noun) an individual's prescribed share of work

Example Sentence

her stint as a lifeguard exhausted her

Definition (verb) subsist on a meager allowance

Synonyms :  
scrimp

skimp

Example Sentence

scratch and scrimp

Definition (verb) supply sparingly and with restricted quantities

Synonyms :

scant

skimp

Example Sentence

sting with the allowance

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'stin't is moderately 'stin'gy

## 244. Arduous

Short Definition : hard; strenuous; Ex. arduous work

Definition (adj) characterized by effort to the point of exhaustion; especially physical effort

Synonyms :

backbreaking

grueling

gruelling

hard

heavy

laborious

operose



punishing  
toilsome

Example Sentence

worked their arduous way up the mining valley

a grueling campaign

hard labor

heavy work

heavy going

spent many laborious hours on the project

set a punishing pace

Definition (adj) taxing to the utmost; testing powers of endurance

Synonyms :  
straining  
strenuous

Example Sentence

his final, straining burst of speed

a strenuous task

your willingness after these six arduous days to remain here

Definition (adj) difficult to accomplish; demanding considerable mental effort and skill

Example Sentence

the arduous work of preparing a dictionary

arduous = read it as: "hard to do for us"

aath(8)+dus(10):lot of hard work so v require 8 or ten ppl

## 245. Audacious

Short Definition : daring; bold; N. audacity

Definition (adj) invulnerable to fear or intimidation

Synonyms :

brave

dauntless

fearless

hardy

intrepid

unfearing

Example Sentence

audacious explorers

fearless reporters and photographers

intrepid pioneers

Definition (adj) unrestrained by convention or propriety

Synonyms :

bald-faced

barefaced

bodacious

brassy

brazen

brazen-faced

insolent

Example Sentence

an audacious trick to pull

a barefaced hypocrite

the most bodacious display of tourism this side of Anaheim

bald-faced lies

brazen arrogance

the modern world with its quick material successes and insolent belief in the boundless possibilities of progress

Definition (adj) disposed to venture or take risks

Synonyms :

daring

venturesome

venturous

Example Sentence

audacious visions of the total conquest of space

an audacious interpretation of two Jacobean dramas

the most daring of contemporary fiction writers

a venturesome investor

a venturesome spirit

audacious..auda(AUDIBLE)....IF YOU WANT to be audible to millions of people you have to be very daring and bold ,to go to the stage and deliver your message.

when you go for some audition you need to be bold and daring.

## 246. Apathy

Short Definition : lack of caring; indifference; lack of concern or interest in important matters; Ex. He was sunk in apathy after his failure; ADJ.  
apathetic

Definition (noun) an absence of emotion or enthusiasm

Definition (noun) the trait of lacking enthusiasm for or interest in things generally

Synonyms :

indifference

numbness

spiritlessness

consider pathy==sympathy,

there are two words.

1. antipathy = dislike

2. apathy = disinterested

Since "anti" is stronger than "a"..

disliking is 1 step above disinterested..

a (negative) + pathy : root "pathy" means feeling as in sympathy; so apathy means having no feeling for others or lacking interest in something.

## 247. Saturate

Short Definition : soak thoroughly; imbue; impregnate; charge; fill to capacity

Definition (verb) cause (a chemical compound, vapour, solution, magnetic material) to unite with the greatest possible amount of another substance

Definition (verb) infuse or fill completely

Synonyms :  
impregnate

Example Sentence

Impregnate the cloth with alcohol

SATURATE or INTEGRATE - to fill or supply completely.

## 248. Latent

Short Definition : present but not yet noticeable or active; dormant; hidden; N. latency; CF. potential

Definition (adj) potentially existing but not presently evident or realized

Example Sentence

a latent fingerprint

latent talent

Definition (adj) (pathology) not presently active

Example Sentence

latent infection

latent diabetes

regroup the words and spell it as talent.. many people have POTENTIAL(talent..)but undeveloped..where as some people HIDE their talent..

late+ent - which will be active late...

## 249. Precarious

Short Definition : unsafe; lacking in stability; uncertain; risky; Ex. precarious living

Definition (adj) affording no ease or reassurance

Synonyms :  
unstable

Example Sentence

a precarious truce

Definition (adj) fraught with danger

Synonyms :  
parlous  
perilous  
touch-and-go

Example Sentence

dangerous waters

a parlous journey on stormy seas

a perilous voyage across the Atlantic in a small boat

the precarious life of an undersea diver

dangerous surgery followed by a touch-and-go recovery

Definition (adj) not secure; beset with difficulties

Synonyms :  
shaky

Example Sentence

a shaky marriage

PRE+CARE+IOUS -> We have to take CARE while doing something risky so that it does not go wrong. ..

PRE + CAR + US = kisi shop ke samne CAR park karna UNSAFE hai.....

## 250. Emulate

Short Definition : imitate; rival; try to equal or excel (through imitation)

Definition (verb) strive to equal or match, especially by imitating

Example Sentence

He is emulating the skating skills of his older sister

Definition (verb) imitate the function of (another system), as by modifying the hardware or the software

Definition (verb) compete with successfully; approach or reach equality with

Example Sentence

This artist's drawings cannot emulate his water colors

Grandma gave me an 'Amulet' so that one day I can 'Emulate' Zidane.

He is like an EMU( a bird) when he eat(..ATE)...EMU+L+ATE..  
imitating the emu

## 251. Whimsical

Short Definition : capricious; fanciful; amusingly strange

Definition (adj) determined by chance or impulse or whim rather than by necessity or reason

Synonyms :

capricious

impulsive

Example Sentence

a capricious refusal

authoritarian rulers are frequently capricious

the victim of whimsical persecutions



Whimsical sounds like comical...whimsical is , impulsive, playful...comical is amusing and funny.

whim sounds like vim bar for washing dishes , vim used for changing dirty dishes to new .so

## 252. Placate

Short Definition : pacify; bring peace to; conciliate; appease

Definition (verb) cause to be more favorably inclined; gain the good will of

Synonyms :

appease  
assuage  
conciliate  
gentle  
gruntle  
lenify  
mollify  
pacify

Example Sentence

She managed to mollify the angry customer

PL + ac + ATE = a PLATE full of tasty food to SATISFY someone.

## 253. Assiduous

Short Definition : diligent

Definition (adj) marked by care and persistent effort

Synonyms :

sedulous

Example Sentence

her assiduous attempts to learn French

assiduous research

sedulous pursuit of legal and moral principles

assiduous+ass+in+the+dust.a donkey working hard in the dust.meaning hard working or industrious or diligent

assiduous= "as i am doing" persistent effort to master Vocab

## 254. Prodigal

Short Definition : wasteful; reckless with money; profuse; Ex. a mind prodigal of ideas; N. prodigality

Definition (noun) a recklessly extravagant consumer

Synonyms :  
profligate  
squanderer

Definition (adj) recklessly wasteful

Synonyms :  
extravagant  
profligate  
spendthrift

Example Sentence

prodigal in their expenditures

prod(rodies) +gals(girls)=extravagance.

If you are with girls of rodies then you have to be extravagant..

prodigal = prodi (proud )+ gal (girl)= the girls who is having excessive proud is always wasteful

or divide prodigal as PRO+DI+GAL, => PRODUCERS and DIRECTORS r using gals for sex.it means they are PROFLIGATE.

## 255. Ascetic

Short Definition : practicing self-denial; avoiding physical pleasures and comforts; austere; Ex. ascetic life of Buddhist monks; N. asceticism

Definition (noun) someone who practices self denial as a spiritual discipline

Synonyms :  
abstainer

Definition (adj) pertaining to or characteristic of an ascetic or the practice of rigorous self-discipline

Synonyms :  
ascetical

Example Sentence

ascetic practices

Definition (adj) practicing great self-denial

Synonyms :  
ascetical  
austere  
spartan

Example Sentence

Be systematically ascetic...do...something for no other reason than that you would rather not do it

a desert nomad's austere life

a spartan diet

a spartan existence

someone who leaves all AESTHETICs is an ascetic

ascetic ~ acidic; he is living ascetic life by drinking and eating only acidic things (not good in taste) and avoid anything have good taste.

## 256. Ambiguous

**Short Definition :** unclear or doubtful in meaning; having more than one possible interpretation

**Definition (adj)** open to two or more interpretations; or of uncertain nature or significance; or (often) intended to mislead

**Synonyms :**  
equivocal

**Example Sentence**

an equivocal statement

the polling had a complex and equivocal (or ambiguous) message for potential female candidates

the officer's equivocal behavior increased the victim's uneasiness

popularity is an equivocal crown

an equivocal response to an embarrassing question

Definition (adj) having more than one possible meaning

Example Sentence

ambiguous words

frustrated by ambiguous instructions, the parents were unable to assemble the toy

Definition (adj) having no intrinsic or objective meaning; not organized in conventional patterns

Example Sentence

an ambiguous situation with no frame of reference

ambiguous inkblots

ambi means two/both..guous sounds like guess..both are wild guess so its doubtful

## 257. Aesthetic

Short Definition : artistic; dealing with or capable of appreciating the beautiful (of a person or building); CF. aesthete; CF. aesthetics

Definition (noun) (philosophy) a philosophical theory as to what is beautiful

Synonyms :

esthetic

Example Sentence

he despised the esthetic of minimalism

Definition (adj) relating to or dealing with the subject of aesthetics

Synonyms :  
esthetic

Example Sentence

aesthetic values

Definition (adj) concerning or characterized by an appreciation of beauty or good taste

Synonyms :  
aesthetical  
esthetic  
esthetical

Example Sentence

the aesthetic faculties

an aesthetic person

aesthetic feeling

the illustrations made the book an aesthetic success

Definition (adj) aesthetically pleasing

Synonyms :

artistic  
esthetic

Example Sentence

an artistic flower arrangement

aes + thetic

opposite of "pathetic"..means beauty

aesthetic ~ aastha (faith or belief); You have aastha in aesthetic things (person or object)

## 258. Supersede

Short Definition : replace; cause to be set aside; make obsolete; N.  
supersession

Definition (verb) take the place or move into the position of

Synonyms :

replace  
supercede  
supervene upon  
supplant

Example Sentence

Smith replaced Miller as CEO after Miller left

the computer has supplanted the slide rule

Mary replaced Susan as the team's captain and the highest-ranked player in the school

when a SUPER new thing arrives, we REPLACE /SET ASIDE the old thing because it is OBSOLETE..

A seed is eventually "replaced" with a SUPER-seed, because that's better

## 259. Volatile

Short Definition : changeable; of a quickly changing nature (as of temper); mercurial; tending to violence; evaporating rapidly; Ex. volatile character/ situation in the street

Definition (noun) a volatile substance; a substance that changes readily from solid or liquid to a vapor

Example Sentence

it was heated to evaporate the volatiles

Definition (adj) evaporating readily at normal temperatures and pressures

Example Sentence

volatile oils

volatile solvents

Definition (adj) liable to lead to sudden change or violence

Synonyms :  
explosive

Example Sentence

an explosive issue



a volatile situation with troops and rioters eager for a confrontation

Definition (adj) marked by erratic changeableness in affections or attachments

Synonyms :  
fickle

Example Sentence

fickle friends

a flirt's volatile affections

Definition (adj) tending to vary often or widely

Example Sentence

volatile stocks

volatile emotions

volatile memory is a computer memory which gets erased when power is turned off, i.e., changed suddenly like RAM, so VOLATILE means liable to change

Think: Vola (volume)-tile (vile)... The VOLUME of the liquid in the VILE changed quickly into a vapor.

## 260. Disinterested

Short Definition : unprejudiced; free from bias and self-interest; objective

Definition (adj) unaffected by self-interest

Dis-Interest...if a particular issue is not of any interest to me (dis-interest), i'll pass a biased free opinion about it...

Disinterested = not having any self interest; unprejudiced

## 261. Diverge

Short Definition : vary; go in different directions from the same point; ADJ.  
divergent: differing; deviating

Definition (verb) move or draw apart

Example Sentence

The two paths diverge here

Definition (verb) have no limits as a mathematical series

Definition (verb) extend in a different direction

Example Sentence

The lines start to diverge here

Their interests diverged

Definition (verb) be at variance with; be out of line with

Synonyms :

depart

deviate

vary

The Driver DIVER(GE)TED into different directions

## 262. Repudiate

Short Definition : disown; disavow; deny

Definition (verb) cast off

Synonyms :

disown

renounce

Example Sentence

She renounced her husband

The parents repudiated their son

Definition (verb) refuse to acknowledge, ratify, or recognize as valid

Example Sentence

The woman repudiated the divorce settlement

Definition (verb) refuse to recognize or pay

Example Sentence

repudiate a debt

Definition (verb) reject as untrue, unfounded, or unjust

Example Sentence

She repudiated the accusations

he ate the PUDDING AGAIN.. When his mother asked him if he ate the pudding, he tried to REPUDIATE (deny eating it)... :)

repud(refused)+iate(to eat) = refused to take anymore or acknowledge

## 263. Idolatry

Short Definition : worship of idols; excessive admiration or devotion; ADJ. idolatrous

Definition (noun) religious zeal; the willingness to serve God

Synonyms :

cultism

devotion

veneration

Definition (noun) the worship of idols; the worship of images that are not God

Synonyms :

idol worship

combination of idol+ adulatory(adulation) gives the meaning

idol+atry::idol ki aarti(à¤@à¤°à¤¾à¤ à¥€)...worship of idol..

## 264. Refute

Short Definition : disprove; prove to be false; N. refutation

Definition (verb) overthrow by argument, evidence, or proof

Synonyms :

rebut

Example Sentence

The speaker refuted his opponent's arguments

Definition (verb) prove to be false or incorrect

Synonyms :  
controvert  
rebut

refute rhymes with refuse, when you DISAPPROVE OF something, or if something is false or incorrect..you refute it or disapprove..

Refute can be considered as REFusing something to have trUTH or prove to be false/incorrect

## 265. Dissolution

Short Definition : disintegration; reduction to a liquid form; looseness in morals; sensual indulgence; debauchery; ADJ. dissolute: lacking in moral restraint; leading an immoral life

Definition (noun) separation into component parts

Synonyms :  
disintegration

Definition (noun) the process of going into solution

Synonyms :  
dissolving

Example Sentence

the dissolving of salt in water

Definition (noun) dissolute indulgence in sensual pleasure

Synonyms :  
dissipation

licentiousness  
looseness  
profligacy

Definition (noun) the termination of a meeting

Synonyms :  
adjournment

Definition (noun) the termination or disintegration of a relationship (between persons or nations)

Synonyms :  
breakup

dissolution is the opposite of resolution. When you make a resolution you make a promise, when you make a dissolution you BREAK or dissolve the promise!

Dissolution = Looseness in morals ---> Imagine the population is a homogenous mixture, all have accepted behaviour, except the DISSOLUTE mass of people who are the dissipated mass of this mixture, they have no morals

## 266. Mitigate

Short Definition : appease; moderate; make or become less in force or intensity

Definition (verb) lessen or to try to lessen the seriousness or extent of

Synonyms :  
extenuate  
palliate

Example Sentence

The circumstances extenuate the crime

Definition (verb) make less severe or harsh

Example Sentence

mitigating circumstances

Mitigate > "Gate pe kutte ki potty pe mitti daal do" why? so that the intensity of bad odour will lessen.

mitigate -> MIT + i + gate... when you reach the gates of MIT.. your tensions about PG admissions will be appeased/mitigated!!

## 267. Implicit

Short Definition : understood but not stated; implied; unquestioning and complete; Ex. implicit trust

Definition (adj) implied though not directly expressed; inherent in the nature of something

Synonyms :  
inexplicit

Example Sentence

an implicit agreement not to raise the subject

there was implicit criticism in his voice

anger was implicit in the argument

the oak is implicit in the acorn

Definition (adj) being without doubt or reserve

Synonyms :  
unquestioning

Example Sentence

implicit trust

impli+cit--- tacit(CIT) means understand without being expressed so IMPLICIT means implied without directly expressed

## 268. Beneficent

Short Definition : kindly; doing good

Definition (adj) doing or producing good

Example Sentence

the most beneficent regime in history

Definition (adj) generous in assistance to the poor

Synonyms :  
benevolent  
eleemosynary  
philanthropic

Example Sentence

a benevolent contributor

eleemosynary relief



philanthropic contributions

Simply think about beneficial(something gives benefit) which help people.

ben+eficent--eficent sounds like efficient--> efficient people are the ones who does good or produces good.

## 269. Decorum

Short Definition : propriety; orderliness and good taste in manners; appropriateness of behavior or conduct

Definition (noun) propriety in manners and conduct

Synonyms :  
decorousness

"decor um"; decor them to make them more proper and correct

decorum -- decoration . If something is decorated everything is in order and in good manner.

## 270. Efficacy

Short Definition : power to produce desired effect; ADJ. efficacious: effectual

Definition (noun) capacity or power to produce a desired effect

Synonyms :  
efficaciousness

Example Sentence

concern about the safety and efficacy of the vaccine

effic(EFFICIENT)+AC(Y)..so just check out if your AC has the efficiency to PRODUCE DESIRED cooling .

EFFICACY = EFFI + CACY  
= EFFEct producing CApaCitY

## 271. Facilitate

Short Definition : help bring about; make less difficult

Definition (verb) make easier

Synonyms :  
alleviate  
ease

Example Sentence

you could facilitate the process by sharing your knowledge

Definition (verb) be of use

Synonyms :  
help

Example Sentence

This will help to prevent accidents

Definition (verb) increase the likelihood of (a response)

Example Sentence

The stimulus facilitates a delayed impulse

when you provide FACILITIES(facilit+ ate).. it makes things less difficult.

## 272. Laud

Short Definition : praise; N. ADJ. laudable: praiseworthy; ADJ. laudatory: expressing praise

Definition (verb) praise, glorify, or honor

Synonyms :

exalt

extol

glorify

proclaim

Example Sentence

extol the virtues of one's children

glorify one's spouse's cooking

O, Lord! Let me laud You for all your help

## 273. Discredit

Short Definition : defame; disgrace; destroy confidence in; disbelieve; N. CF. discreditable: causing discredit; shameful

Definition (noun) the state of being held in low esteem

Synonyms :  
disrepute

Example Sentence

your actions will bring discredit to your name

because of the scandal the school has fallen into disrepute

Definition (verb) cause to be distrusted or disbelieved

Example Sentence

The paper discredited the politician with its nasty commentary

Definition (verb) damage the reputation of

Synonyms :  
disgrace

Example Sentence

This newspaper story discredits the politicians

Definition (verb) reject as false; refuse to accept

Synonyms :  
disbelieve

U will give the credit card to that person whom u have confidence. Dis means not having confidence

read as opposite of credit. Credit means to acknowledge, so when you don't give credit to others you defame him/her, or when your confidence in him/her is destroyed

## 274. Stipulate

Short Definition : state as a necessary condition (of an agreement); make express conditions; specify; Ex. He stipulated payment in advance

Definition (verb) specify as a condition or requirement in a contract or agreement; make an express demand or provision in an agreement

Synonyms :  
condition  
qualify  
specify

Example Sentence

The will stipulates that she can live in the house for the rest of her life

The contract stipulates the dates of the payments

Definition (verb) give a guarantee or promise of

Example Sentence

They stipulated to release all the prisoners

Definition (verb) make an oral contract or agreement in the verbal form of question and answer that is necessary to give it legal force

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staple+it-- Staple the documents, so that it GUARANTEES that they stay together permanently!

## 275. Lucid

**Short Definition : easily understood; clear; intelligible; N. lucidity**

Definition (adj) (of language) transparently clear; easily understandable

Synonyms :

crystal clear

limpid

luculent

pellucid

perspicuous

Example Sentence

writes in a limpid style

lucid directions

a luculent oration

pellucid prose

a crystal clear explanation

a perspicuous argument

Definition (adj) having a clear mind

Example Sentence

a lucid moment in his madness

Definition (adj) capable of thinking and expressing yourself in a clear and consistent manner

Synonyms :

coherent

logical

Example Sentence

a lucid thinker

she was more coherent than she had been just after the accident

Definition (adj) transmitting light; able to be seen through with clarity

Synonyms :

crystal clear

crystalline

limpid

pellucid

transparent

Example Sentence

the cold crystalline water of melted snow

crystal clear skies

could see the sand on the bottom of the limpid pool

lucid air

a pellucid brook

transparent crystal

when u LOOK(luc) the ID of micorsoft employee...u will " clearly,tranparently understand,that he is clever n inteligent

lucid has root 'luc', means 'light'  
Under the light, we easily understand everything

## 276. Appease

Short Definition : pacify or soothe; Ex. appease a crying baby; N. appeasement

Definition (verb) cause to be more favorably inclined; gain the good will of

Synonyms :

assuage  
conciliate  
gentle  
gruntle  
lenify  
mollify  
pacify  
placate

Example Sentence

She managed to mollify the angry customer

Definition (verb) overcome or allay

Synonyms :

quell  
stay

Example Sentence

quell my hunger

Definition (verb) make peace with



Synonyms :  
propitiate

appease...app(appeal)+pease(peace) appeal for peace....when war was going on in kasmir...our prime minister appealed people to maintain peace in the region.

app(appeal)+ease(easy)=appeal for easiness i.e.;peace or soothe

## 277. Distill

Short Definition : refine (a liquid by evaporating and subsequent condensation); concentrate; separate the most important parts from; Ex. distill fresh water from sea water; CF. brew

Definition (verb) remove impurities from, increase the concentration of, and separate through the process of distillation

Synonyms :  
make pure  
purify  
sublimate

Example Sentence

purify the water

Definition (verb) undergo the process of distillation

Synonyms :  
distil

Definition (verb) extract by the process of distillation

Synonyms :  
distil  
extract

Example Sentence

distill the essence of this compound

Definition (verb) undergo condensation; change from a gaseous to a liquid state and fall in drops

Synonyms :  
condense  
distil

Example Sentence

water condenses

The acid distills at a specific temperature

Definition (verb) give off (a liquid)

Synonyms :  
distil

Example Sentence

The doctor distilled a few drops of disinfectant onto the wound

distilled water...distilleries...

## 278. Default

Short Definition : failure to act; failure to perform a task or be present; V.

Definition (noun) loss due to not showing up

### Example Sentence

he lost the game by default

Definition (noun) act of failing to meet a financial obligation

Synonyms :  
nonpayment  
nonremittal

Definition (noun) loss resulting from failure of a debt to be paid

Synonyms :  
nonpayment  
nonremittal

Definition (noun) an option that is selected automatically unless an alternative is specified

Synonyms :  
default option

Definition (verb) fail to pay up

Synonyms :  
default on

Separate **FAULT** : Fault is a mistake and due to a mistake the person loses by default.

## 279. Daunt

Short Definition : intimidate; frighten; discourage; dishearten

Definition (verb) cause to lose courage

Synonyms :  
dash  
frighten away  
frighten off

pall  
scare  
scare away  
scare off

Example Sentence

dashed by the refusal

daunt = haunt = if you are frightened you will be discouraged to go into the haunted house.

daunt sounds like DON'T, means som1 discouraging u

## 280. Aggregate

Short Definition : sum; total; ADJ. V: gather into a mass or whole; accumulate; add up to; Ex. aggregate 100 dollars

Definition (noun) the whole amount

Synonyms :

sum  
total  
totality

Definition (noun) material such as sand or gravel used with cement and water to make concrete, mortar, or plaster

Definition (noun) a sum total of many heterogenous things taken together

Synonyms :

congeries  
conglomeration

Definition (verb) amount in the aggregate to

Definition (verb) gather in a mass, sum, or whole

Synonyms :

combine

Definition (adj) formed of separate units gathered into a mass or whole

Synonyms :

aggregated  
aggregative  
mass

Example Sentence

aggregate expenses include expenses of all divisions combined for the entire year

the aggregated amount of indebtedness

Definition (adj) composed of a dense cluster of separate units such as carpels or florets or drupelets

Example Sentence

raspberries are aggregate fruits

aggregate- a gre gate - all of us need gre "total" score to reach gate of university

## 281. Indolent

Short Definition : lazy

Definition (adj) disinclined to work or exertion

Synonyms :

faineant  
lazy  
otiose  
slothful  
work-shy

### Example Sentence

faineant kings under whose rule the country languished

an indolent hanger-on

too lazy to wash the dishes

shiftless idle youth

slothful employees

the unemployed are not necessarily work-shy

Definition (adj) (of tumors, e.g.) slow to heal or develop and usually painless

### Example Sentence

an indolent ulcer

leprosy is an indolent infectious disease

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indolent - in + dolent => jo dolta nahi hai(hilta nahi hai)

## 282. Inherent

Short Definition : firmly established by nature or habit; intrinsic

Definition (adj) existing as an essential constituent or characteristic

Synonyms :

built-in

constitutional

inbuilt

integral

Example Sentence

the Ptolemaic system with its built-in concept of periodicity

a constitutional inability to tell the truth

Definition (adj) in the nature of something though not readily apparent

Synonyms :

implicit in

underlying

Example Sentence

shortcomings inherent in our approach

an underlying meaning

in+ here

in heredity: habit that came as heredity...

## 283. Impair

Short Definition : injure; hurt; damage

Definition (verb) make worse or less effective

Example Sentence

His vision was impaired

Definition (verb) make imperfect

Synonyms :

deflower

mar

spoil

vitiate

Example Sentence

nothing marred her beauty

Opposite of Repair. Repair is to mend, Impair is to Injure..

Im+Pair. If you wear incorrect pair of shoes you may hurt yourself while walking.

## 284. Secrete

Short Definition : conceal; hide away or cache; produce and release a substance into an organism; CF. secretive

Definition (verb) generate and separate from cells or bodily fluids

Synonyms :

release

Example Sentence

secrete digestive juices



release a hormone into the blood stream

Definition (verb) place out of sight; keep secret

Example Sentence

The money was secreted from his children

Secret+e which is to be concealed or hidden

## 285. Insinuate

Short Definition : hint; imply; suggest indirectly; creep in; introduce or insert (oneself) by artful means; Ex. insinuate himself into the boss's favor; CF. ingratiate

Definition (verb) introduce or insert (oneself) in a subtle manner

Example Sentence

He insinuated himself into the conversation of the people at the nearby table

Definition (verb) give to understand

Synonyms :  
adumbrate  
intimate

Example Sentence

I insinuated that I did not like his wife

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The girl has lost her memory. The boy telling her - This is the INStitute IN which U ATE.  
He is trying to HINT, IMPLY to her.

## 286. Luminous

Short Definition : shining (esp. in the dark); issuing light; Ex. luminous paint/  
road signs

Definition (adj) softly bright or radiant

Synonyms :

aglow

lambent

lucent

Example Sentence

a house aglow with lights

glowing embers

lambent tongues of flame

the lucent moon

a sky luminous with stars

luminous = luminance ~ bright

## 287. Approbation

Short Definition : approval

Definition (noun) official approval

Definition (noun) official recognition or approval

Ap+PROBATION: You get CONFIRMATION/APPROVAL in your job after your Probation period

approbation can be remembered as approval and approval are generally given in official and authority matters.

## 288. Skeptic

Short Definition : sceptic; doubter; person who suspends judgment until he has examined the evidence supporting a point of view; ADJ. skeptical; N. skepticism; scepticism

Definition (noun) someone who habitually doubts accepted beliefs

Synonyms :

doubter

sceptic

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Skeptic-just remove 'K' -Septic-When a person is Wounded/Injured he always have doubt whether it is going to get septic or not.  
So he is doubtful.:)

## 289. Deference

Short Definition : courteous regard for another's wish; courteous yielding to another's wish or opinion (showing respect); ADJ. deferential; OP. effrontery

Definition (noun) a courteous expression (by word or deed) of esteem or regard

Synonyms :  
respect

Example Sentence

his deference to her wishes was very flattering

be sure to give my respects to the dean

Definition (noun) courteous regard for people's feelings

Synonyms :  
respect  
respectfulness

Example Sentence

in deference to your wishes

out of respect for his privacy

Definition (noun) a disposition or tendency to yield to the will of others

Synonyms :  
complaisance  
compliance  
compliance  
obligingness

if there is no DIFFERENCE between you and him, then you will respect his wishes.

defer rhymes wit refer..

## 290. Supposition

**Short Definition : assumption; hypothesis; surmise; V. suppose**

Definition (noun) a message expressing an opinion based on incomplete evidence

Synonyms :

conjecture

guess

hypothesis

speculation

surmisal

surmise

Definition (noun) a hypothesis that is taken for granted

Synonyms :

assumption

supposal

Example Sentence

any society is built upon certain assumptions

Definition (noun) the cognitive process of supposing

Synonyms :

supposal

akin to "suppose".

## **291. Abate**

**Short Definition : To reduce in amount; Put an end to; subside or moderate**

Definition (verb) make less active or intense

Synonyms :

slack

slake

Definition (verb) become less in amount or intensity

Synonyms :

die away

let up

slack

slack off

Example Sentence

The storm abated

The rain let up after a few hours

rebate means discount... i.e reducing the price..

abate and rebate are rhyming words

(Tag : ) abate which is rhyming with debate. Debate means raising (actually in discussion imagine that in every thing) just opposite to debate consider abate that is reduction in nature

## 292. Admonish

Short Definition : warn or speak to with gentle disapproval; reprove

Definition (verb) admonish or counsel in terms of someone's behavior

Synonyms :

discourage

monish

warn

Example Sentence

I warned him not to go too far

I warn you against false assumptions

She warned him to be quiet

Definition (verb) warn strongly; put on guard

Synonyms :

caution

monish

Definition (verb) take to task

Synonyms :

reprove

Example Sentence

He admonished the child for his bad behavior

in the add of "eak choti si love story" monisha koiralla on orkut and she shall admonish u/warn u for doing so

admonish ~ ADD MANISH -- Add Manish in the list of guys whom we will WARN to stay away from her.

## 293. Deride

Short Definition : ridicule; treat with contempt; make fun of; OP. respect

Definition (verb) treat or speak of with contempt

Example Sentence

He derided his student's attempt to solve the biggest problem in mathematics

de -ride -- riding a horse upside down.. ppl will make fun of you ( ridicule)

DE(not)+RIDE....if you are NOT able to RIDE a bicycle, you friends will laugh at you and some may show contempt.....

## 294. Impede

Short Definition : hide; retard or obstruct the progress of; block

Definition (verb) be a hindrance or obstacle to

Synonyms :  
hinder

Example Sentence

She is impeding the progress of our project

Definition (verb) block passage through

Synonyms :  
block  
close up  
jam  
obstruct  
obturate  
occlude

Example Sentence

obstruct the path

impede from impedance meaning resistance



relate it with stampede.in a stampede there is great obstruction

## 295. Enhance

Short Definition : increase; make greater (as in value, reputation, or usefulness); improve

Definition (verb) increase

Synonyms :  
heighten  
raise

Example Sentence

This will enhance your enjoyment

heighten the tension

Definition (verb) make better or more attractive

Example Sentence

This sauce will enhance the flavor of the meat

when you are given a chance you try to improve more... that is ENHANCE

## 296. Anarchy

Short Definition : absence of governing body; state of disorder

Definition (noun) a state of lawlessness and disorder (usually resulting from a failure of government)

Synonyms :  
lawlessness

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Anarchy-Sounds like 'monarchy' (like tibet was ruled by monarchy)...so, absence of government

## 297. Contention

Short Definition : assertion; claim; thesis; struggling; competition

Definition (noun) a point asserted as part of an argument

Definition (noun) a contentious speech act; a dispute where there is strong disagreement

Synonyms :  
arguing  
argument  
contestation  
controversy  
disceputation  
disputation  
tilt

Example Sentence

they were involved in a violent argument

Definition (noun) the act of competing as for profit or a prize

Synonyms :  
competition  
rivalry

Example Sentence

the teams were in fierce contention for first place

contention = contend is to compete, but contention has tension also, so a person cannot win a sport if he is full of tension.

(IN HINDI) contention sounds like>> kaun tension le yaar, inke claim (or thesis) ko fact maan lo.

## 298. Diffuse

Short Definition : wordy; verbose; rambling; spread out (like a gas); V: spread out in all directions; disperse; N. diffusion; CF. suffuse

Definition (verb) move outward

Synonyms :

fan out

spread

spread out

Example Sentence

The soldiers fanned out

Definition (verb) spread or diffuse through

Synonyms :

imbue

interpenetrate

penetrate

permeate

pervade

riddle

Example Sentence

An atmosphere of distrust has permeated this administration

music penetrated the entire building

His campaign was riddled with accusations and personal attacks

Definition (verb) cause to become widely known

Synonyms :

broadcast

circularise

circularize

circulate

disperse

disseminate

distribute

pass around

propagate

spread

Example Sentence

spread information

circulate a rumor

broadcast the news

Definition (adj) spread out; not concentrated in one place

Example Sentence

a large diffuse organization

Definition (adj) (of light) transmitted from a broad light source or reflected

Synonyms :

diffused

soft

Definition (adj) lacking conciseness

Example Sentence

a diffuse historical novel

Wen there is a bomb in the building we SPREAD this news WIDELY and call the bomb (DIFFUSE)ing squad

## 299. Wary

Short Definition : very cautious; watchful

Definition (adj) marked by keen caution and watchful prudence

Example Sentence

they were wary in their movements

a wary glance at the black clouds

taught to be wary of strangers

Definition (adj) openly distrustful and unwilling to confide

Synonyms :

leery

mistrustful

suspicious

untrusting

Wary and worry sound the same... you become wary (cautious) if you have too many worries in life.

wary = chary

## 300. Futile

Short Definition : useless; hopeless; ineffectual

Definition (adj) producing no result or effect

Synonyms :

ineffectual

otiose

unavailing

Example Sentence

a futile effort

the therapy was ineffectual

an otiose undertaking

an unavailing attempt

Definition (adj) unproductive of success

Synonyms :

bootless

fruitless

sleeveless

vain

Example Sentence

a fruitless search

futile years after her artistic peak

a sleeveless errand

a vain attempt

futile is not fertile.. hence not fruitful

futile sounds like foot oil ..spending 1000\$ on foot oil is WASTE..and UNPRODUCTIVE bcoz even then hair will not grow on your foot ..haha seems funny but works..

## 301. Austere

Short Definition : forbiddingly stern; ascetic; without comfort or enjoyment; severely simple and unornamented; Ex. a monk's austere life; Ex. austere grandeur of the cathedral; N. austerity

Definition (adj) severely simple

Synonyms :

severe

stark

stern

Example Sentence

a stark interior

Definition (adj) of a stern or strict bearing or demeanor; forbidding in aspect

Synonyms :  
stern

Example Sentence

an austere expression

a stern face

Definition (adj) practicing great self-denial

Synonyms :  
ascetic  
ascetical  
spartan

Example Sentence

Be systematically ascetic...do...something for no other reason than that you would rather not do it

a desert nomad's austere life

a spartan diet

a spartan existence

AUS-australia TERE-tear(sorrow). like the recent beatings of Australians in INDIA. so one should deny oneself from going there

austere sounds like severe which it means

**302. Incorporate**



**Short Definition :** introduce something into a larger whole; include; embody; give material form to; ADJ.

**Definition (verb)** make into a whole or make part of a whole

**Synonyms :**  
integrate

**Example Sentence**

She incorporated his suggestions into her proposal

**Definition (verb)** include or contain; have as a component

**Synonyms :**  
comprise  
contain

**Example Sentence**

A totally new idea is comprised in this paper

The record contains many old songs from the 1930's

**Definition (verb)** form a corporation

**Definition (verb)** unite or merge with something already in existence

**Example Sentence**

incorporate this document with those pertaining to the same case

**Definition (adj)** formed or united into a whole

**Synonyms :**  
incorporated  
integrated

merged  
unified

IN CORPORATE life you have to integrate and to become united to have greater profits

### 303. Insensible

Short Definition : unconscious; unresponsive; insensitive; unaware;  
imperceptible; Ex. insensible of his danger/to pain; Ex. insensible change;  
CF. not the opposite of sensible

Definition (adj) incapable of physical sensation

Example Sentence

insensible to pain

insensible earth

Definition (adj) unaware of or indifferent to

Synonyms :  
unaffected

Example Sentence

insensible to the suffering around him

Definition (adj) barely able to be perceived

Synonyms :  
indiscernible  
undetectable

Example Sentence

the transition was almost indiscernible

an almost insensible change

Definition (adj) unresponsive to stimulation

Synonyms :  
senseless

Example Sentence

he lay insensible where he had fallen

drugged and senseless

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in (without..) +sensible (sense..)i.e. without sense we are UNCONSCIOUS or UNRESPONSIVE..

## 304. Subside

Short Definition : sink to a lower level; settle down; sink to the bottom (as a sediment); descend; grow quiet; become less; moderate; abate

Definition (verb) wear off or die down

Synonyms :  
lessen

Example Sentence

The pain subsided

Definition (verb) sink to a lower level or form a depression

Example Sentence

the valleys subside

Definition (verb) sink down or precipitate

Synonyms :  
settle

Example Sentence

the mud subsides when the waters become calm

Definition (verb) descend into or as if into some soft substance or place

Synonyms :  
sink

Example Sentence

He sank into bed

She subsided into the chair

imagine there is a violent mob.the police comes to make them settle down.there first dialogue to the mob will be SUB SIDE ho..

305. Piety

Short Definition : devoutness; reverence for God; ADJ. pious

Definition (noun) righteousness by virtue of being pious

Synonyms :  
piousness

Pie+tea if we get a pie and a tea when we are hungry we thank god and devout to him.  
Or else when we need them we devout to god...

Piety sounds like mighty, the mighty lord or god.

## 306. Precipitate

Short Definition : hurl downward; throw headlong; hasten; cause to happen sooner; condense and fall as rain or snow; cause (a solid substance) to be separated from a solution; ADJ. hasty; rash; premature; sudden

Definition (noun) a precipitated solid substance in suspension or after settling or filtering  
Definition (verb) bring about abruptly

Example Sentence

The crisis precipitated by Russia's revolution

Definition (verb) separate as a fine suspension of solid particles  
Definition (verb) fall from clouds

Synonyms :  
come down  
fall

Example Sentence

rain, snow and sleet were falling

Vesuvius precipitated its fiery, destructive rage on Herculaneum

Definition (verb) fall vertically, sharply, or headlong

Example Sentence

Our economy precipitated into complete ruin

Definition (verb) hurl or throw violently

Example Sentence

The bridge broke and precipitated the train into the river below

Definition (adj) done with very great haste and without due deliberation

Synonyms :

hasty

overhasty

precipitant

precipitous

Example Sentence

hasty marriage seldom proveth well

hasty makeshifts take the place of planning

rejected what was regarded as an overhasty plan for reconversion

wondered whether they had been rather precipitate in deposing the king

Precipitate -> Pre + anticipate.

That means you don't think/anticipate before you do something. You do it in RASH or HASTE.

## 307. Partisan

Short Definition : one-sided; prejudiced; committed to a party (with dislike of any others); N: strong supporter of a party; guerrilla

Definition (noun) a fervent and even militant proponent of something

Synonyms :

drumbeater

zealot

Definition (noun) an ardent and enthusiastic supporter of some person or activity

Synonyms :

enthusiast

partizan

Definition (noun) a pike with a long tapering double-edged blade with lateral projections; 16th and 17th centuries

Synonyms :

partizan

Definition (adj) devoted to a cause or party

Synonyms :

partizan

parti(think of a political party)+san(son)...so a father who is favouring his son's political party, instead of a good party.

A partisan says, 'my party is my SON, my daughter, my mom & my dad'

## 308. Qualified

Short Definition : limited; restricted; V. qualify: limit the meaning of; modify

Definition (adj) meeting the proper standards and requirements and training for an office or position or task

Example Sentence

many qualified applicants for the job

Definition (adj) limited or restricted; not absolute

Example Sentence

gave only qualified approval

Definition (adj) holding appropriate documentation and officially on record as qualified to perform a specified function or practice a specified skill

Synonyms :  
certified

Example Sentence

a registered pharmacist

a registered hospital

Definition (adj) restricted in meaning; (as e.g. 'man' in 'a tall man')

Synonyms :  
restricted

Definition (adj) contingent on something else

Synonyms :  
dependant  
dependent



Primary meaning qualified :above a given standard(quality)  
Secondary meaning:limited in quality(just the opposite)

even though I was a QUALIFIED engineer, I was RESTRICTED from attending the conference.

## 309. Propriety

Short Definition : fitness; quality of being proper; correct conduct; conformity to prevailing customs and usages; CF. proprietor, proprietary

Definition (noun) correct or appropriate behavior

Synonyms :  
correctitude  
properness

divide the word as propr+iety ..propr(sounds like PROPER)..hence it refers to being PROPER or CORRECT IN CONDUCT..

propriety

## 310. Sage

Short Definition : person celebrated for wisdom; wise person; ADJ: wise

Definition (noun) a mentor in spiritual and philosophical topics who is renowned for profound wisdom

Definition (noun) aromatic fresh or dried grey-green leaves used widely as seasoning for meats and fowl and game etc

Definition (noun) any of various plants of the genus Salvia; a cosmopolitan herb

Synonyms :  
salvia

Definition (adj) having wisdom that comes with age and experience

Definition (adj) of the grey-green color of sage leaves

Synonyms :  
sage-green

If one knows meaning of saga, that is any legend,  
one can easily remember sage. a saga will be a wise person, sensible.

's' age'd' leaves

## 311. Confound

Short Definition : confuse; puzzle

Definition (verb) be confusing or perplexing to; cause to be unable to think clearly

Synonyms :  
bedevil  
befuddle  
confuse  
discombobulate  
fox  
fuddle  
throw

Example Sentence

These questions confuse even the experts

This question completely threw me

This question befuddled even the teacher

Definition (verb) mistake one thing for another

Synonyms :  
confuse

Example Sentence

you are confusing me with the other candidate

I mistook her for the secretary

CONfusion FOUND == CONFOUND

con found: cannot be found => puzzle

## 312. Venerate

Short Definition : revere; treat with great respect

Definition (verb) regard with feelings of respect and reverence; consider hallowed or exalted or be in awe of

Synonyms :

fear

revere

reverence

Example Sentence

Fear God as your father

We venerate genius

ven(..when)U RATE someone higher.. you TREAT THEM WITH RESPECT .

vanar who ate the mountain - hanuman - we revere him

## 313. Sanction

Short Definition : approve; ratify; N: permission; penalty intended to enforce compliance

Definition (noun) formal and explicit approval

Synonyms :  
countenance  
endorsement  
imprimatur  
indorsement  
warrant

Example Sentence

a Democrat usually gets the union's endorsement

Definition (noun) a mechanism of social control for enforcing a society's standards

Definition (noun) official permission or approval

Synonyms :  
authorisation  
authority  
authorization

Example Sentence

authority for the program was renewed several times

Definition (noun) the act of final authorization

Example Sentence

it had the sanction of the church

Definition (verb) give sanction to

Synonyms :

approve

o.k.

okay

Example Sentence

I approve of his educational policies

Definition (verb) give authority or permission to

Definition (verb) give religious sanction to, such as through on oath

Example Sentence

sanctify the marriage

u can read it like sanction ~~ SANG SONG so u sing song when u have been approved or accepted it's like being approved to USA..

I- SAY-ACTION, slang for I give you permission

## 314. Negate

Short Definition : cancel out; nullify; cause to have no effect; deny; N. negation

Definition (verb) be in contradiction with

Synonyms :

belie

contradict

Definition (verb) deny the truth of

Synonyms :

contradict

contravene

Definition (verb) prove negative; show to be false

Synonyms :  
contradict

Definition (verb) make ineffective by counterbalancing the effect of

Synonyms :  
neutralise  
neutralize  
nullify

Example Sentence

Her optimism neutralizes his gloom

This action will negate the effect of my efforts

ne=no + gate=door, so there is no entrance through that door

negate sounds similar to negotiate,,,cancel out

## 315. Reverent

Short Definition : respectful; worshipful; V. revere: regard with reverence; N. reverence: profound respect

Definition (adj) feeling or showing profound respect or veneration

Example Sentence

maintained a reverent silence

Definition (adj) showing great reverence for god

Synonyms :

godly

worshipful

Example Sentence

a godly man

leading a godly life

reverent-divine as river end i.e we bath in the river end as a part of worship

Reverent sounds like Reverend(Priest) now think of the feeling most people have for them.

## 316. Reproach

Short Definition : blame (not angrily but sadly); express disapproval or disappointment; N. ADJ. reproachful

Definition (noun) a mild rebuke or criticism

Example Sentence

words of reproach

Definition (noun) disgrace or shame

Example Sentence

he brought reproach upon his family

Definition (verb) express criticism towards

Synonyms :  
upbraid

Example Sentence

The president reproached the general for his irresponsible behavior

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divide it as re(again..)+proach(..approach).. you ask someone to APPROACH AGAIN & AGAIN since you DISAPPROVE OF HIS WORK..(eg during submissions)

## 317. Dismiss

Short Definition : eliminate from consideration; no longer consider; put out of court without further hearing; reject; discharge from employment; direct to leave; ADJ. dismissive; N. dismissal

Definition (verb) bar from attention or consideration

Synonyms :  
brush aside  
brush off  
discount  
disregard  
ignore  
push aside

Example Sentence

She dismissed his advances

Definition (verb) cease to consider; put out of judicial consideration



Synonyms :  
throw out

Example Sentence

This case is dismissed!

Definition (verb) stop associating with

Synonyms :  
drop  
send away  
send packing

Example Sentence

They dropped her after she had a child out of wedlock

Definition (verb) terminate the employment of; discharge from an office or position

Synonyms :  
can  
displace  
fire  
force out  
give notice  
give the axe  
give the sack  
sack  
send away  
terminate

Example Sentence

The boss fired his secretary today

The company terminated 25% of its workers

Definition (verb) end one's encounter with somebody by causing or permitting the person to leave

Synonyms :  
usher out

Example Sentence

I was dismissed after I gave my report

Definition (verb) declare void

Synonyms :  
dissolve

Example Sentence

The President dissolved the parliament and called for new elections

DIS(these)-MISS(girls) are careless drivers , they ELIMINATE FROM  
CONSIDERATION the traffic around & so are REJECTED @ licence interview..!!

## 318. Appropriate

Short Definition : acquire; take possession of for one's own use without permission; set aside for a particular purpose; allocate; CF. inappropriate

Definition (verb) give or assign a resource to a particular person or cause

Synonyms :  
allow  
earmark  
reserve  
set aside

### Example Sentence

I will earmark this money for your research

She sets aside time for meditation every day

Definition (verb) take possession of by force, as after an invasion

Synonyms :

capture

conquer

seize

### Example Sentence

the invaders seized the land and property of the inhabitants

The army seized the town

The militia captured the castle

Definition (adj) suitable for a particular person or place or condition etc

### Example Sentence

a book not appropriate for children

a funeral conducted the appropriate solemnity

it seems that an apology is appropriate

appropriate = a + property + iate.. i.e. to make it your own property .. by force if required.. And also when you are appropriating it your self you are "allocating" it to yourself.

Property + Ate

## 319. Profound

Short Definition : deep; not superficial; complete; Ex. profound thinker/  
remark/silence/deafness; N. profundity

Definition (adj) showing intellectual penetration or emotional depth

Example Sentence

the differences are profound

a profound insight

a profound book

a profound mind

profound contempt

profound regret

Definition (adj) of the greatest intensity; complete

Example Sentence

a profound silence

a state of profound shock

Definition (adj) far-reaching and thoroughgoing in effect especially on the nature of something

Synonyms :  
fundamental

Example Sentence

the fundamental revolution in human values that has occurred

the book underwent fundamental changes

committed the fundamental error of confusing spending with extravagance

profound social changes

Definition (adj) coming from deep within one

Example Sentence

a profound sigh

Definition (adj) (of sleep) deep and complete

Synonyms :  
heavy  
sound  
wakeless

Example Sentence

a heavy sleep

fell into a profound sleep

a sound sleeper

deep wakeless sleep

Definition (adj) situated at or extending to great depth; too deep to have been sounded or plumbed

Synonyms :  
unfathomed  
unplumbed  
unsounded

Example Sentence

the profound depths of the sea

the dark unfathomed caves of ocean

unplumbed depths of the sea

remote and unsounded caverns

whatever professional or researchers found(read find) has to be deep.

pro(past/previous) + found .. if we need to find something from past we have to do deep study about that.

## 320. Resolution

Short Definition : determination; resoluteness; ADJ. resolute: firm or determined in purpose

Definition (noun) a formal expression by a meeting; agreed to by a vote

Synonyms :  
declaration  
resolve

Definition (noun) the ability of a microscope or telescope to measure the angular separation of images that are close together

Synonyms :  
resolving power

Definition (noun) the trait of being resolute

Synonyms :  
firmness  
firmness of purpose  
resoluteness  
resolve

Example Sentence

his resoluteness carried him through the battle

it was his unshakeable resolution to finish the work

Definition (noun) finding a solution to a problem

Synonyms :  
solving

Definition (noun) something settled or resolved; the outcome of decision making

Synonyms :  
closure  
settlement

Example Sentence

they finally reached a settlement with the union

they never did achieve a final resolution of their differences

he needed to grieve before he could achieve a sense of closure

Definition (noun) analysis into clear-cut components

Synonyms :  
resolving

Definition (noun) (computer science) the number of pixels per square inch on a computer-generated display; the greater the resolution, the better the picture

Definition (noun) the subsidence of swelling or other signs of inflammation (especially in a lung)

Definition (noun) (music) a dissonant chord is followed by a consonant chord

Definition (noun) a statement that solves a problem or explains how to solve the problem

Synonyms :  
answer  
result

solution  
solvent

Example Sentence

they were trying to find a peaceful solution

the answers were in the back of the book

he computed the result to four decimal places

Definition (noun) a decision to do something or to behave in a certain manner

Example Sentence

he always wrote down his New Year's resolutions



resolution reminds me of revolution, so during American Revolution, America determined to win.

when prof. blame raju that he copied the solution..he gave a resolution....he said i am determined about my solution sir.....he is firm in his response

## 321. Document

Short Definition : provide written evidence (for a claim); record with documents; N.

Definition (noun) writing that provides information (especially information of an official nature)

Synonyms :

papers  
written document

Definition (noun) anything serving as a representation of a person's thinking by means of symbolic marks

Definition (noun) a written account of ownership or obligation

Definition (noun) (computer science) a computer file that contains text (and possibly formatting instructions) using seven-bit ASCII characters

Synonyms :

text file

Definition (verb) record in detail

Example Sentence

The parents documented every step of their child's development

Definition (verb) support or supply with references

Example Sentence

Can you document your claims?

## 322. Flag

Short Definition : droop; grow feeble; decline in vigor or strength; ADJ. flagging; CF. unflagging

Definition (noun) emblem usually consisting of a rectangular piece of cloth of distinctive design

Definition (noun) a listing printed in all issues of a newspaper or magazine (usually on the editorial page) that gives the name of the publication and the names of the editorial staff, etc.

Synonyms :  
masthead

Definition (noun) plants with sword-shaped leaves and erect stalks bearing bright-colored flowers composed of three petals and three drooping sepals

Synonyms :  
fleur-de-lis  
iris  
sword lily

Definition (noun) a rectangular piece of fabric used as a signalling device

Synonyms :  
signal flag

Definition (noun) flagpole used to mark the position of the hole on a golf green

Synonyms :  
pin

Definition (noun) stratified stone that splits into pieces suitable as paving stones

Synonyms :  
flagstone

Definition (noun) a conspicuously marked or shaped tail

Definition (verb) communicate or signal with a flag

Definition (verb) provide with a flag

Example Sentence

Flag this file so that I can recognize it immediately

Definition (verb) droop, sink, or settle from or as if from pressure or loss of tautness

Synonyms :

droop

sag

swag

Definition (verb) decorate with flags

Example Sentence

the building was flagged for the holiday

Definition (verb) become less intense

Synonyms :

ease off

ease up

slacken off

white flag is used to indicate surrender as in a war, a white flag is used to indicate acceptance of defeat. thus low in vigour, grow feeble

flag rhymes with sag which means to droop or grow feeble

## 323. Resolve

Short Definition : decide; settle; solve; separate; make a determined decision; N. resolution

Definition (noun) the trait of being resolute

Synonyms :  
firmness  
firmness of purpose  
resoluteness  
resolution

#### Example Sentence

his resoluteness carried him through the battle

it was his unshakeable resolution to finish the work

Definition (noun) a formal expression by a meeting; agreed to by a vote

Synonyms :  
declaration  
resolution

Definition (verb) bring to an end; settle conclusively

Synonyms :  
adjudicate  
decide  
settle

#### Example Sentence

The case was decided

The judge decided the case in favor of the plaintiff

The father adjudicated when the sons were quarreling over their inheritance

Definition (verb) reach a conclusion after a discussion or deliberation

Synonyms :

conclude

Definition (verb) reach a decision

Synonyms :  
purpose

Example Sentence

he resolved never to drink again

Definition (verb) understand the meaning of

Synonyms :  
answer

Example Sentence

The question concerning the meaning of life cannot be answered

Definition (verb) make clearly visible

Example Sentence

can this image be resolved?

Definition (verb) find the solution

Synonyms :  
solve

Example Sentence

solve an equation

solve for x

Definition (verb) cause to go into a solution

Synonyms :

break up

dissolve

Example Sentence

The recipe says that we should dissolve a cup of sugar in two cups of water

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If u r SOLVING problems in a chapter AGAIN & AGAIN  
then u have determination to do that chapter in exams