

IMPROVE YOUR WORD POWER

Quick Test—1

Match each word of the left to its Synonym and Antonym

Word	Synonym	Antonym
1. Incredible	(a) accuse	(a) acquit
2. Increment	(b) owing	(b) believable
3. Incriminate	(c) increase	(c) destroy
4. Incubate	(d) permanent	(d) penalty
5. Incubus	(e) angry	(e) exonerate
6. Inculcate	(f) unyielding	(f) ungrateful
7. Incumbent	(g) astonishing	(g) delight
8. Indebted	(h) sickness	(h) charm
9. Indelible	(i) sluggish	(i) deprive
10. Indemnity	(j) nightmare	(j) industrious
11. Indict	(k) dependent	(k) decline
12. Indignant	(l) compensation	(l) feeble
13. Indisposition	(m) protect	(m) transient
14. Indomitable	(n) accuse	(n) past
15. Indolent	(o) instil	(o) poised

Quick Test—3

Match the phrases on the left with similar words on the right.

Phrase	Word
31. one who practises some handicraft	(a) artistic
32. something that is not natural	(b) artful
33. covering a good deal	(c) artificial
34. worthy of honour	(d) comprehensible
35. related to materialistic world	(e) comprehensive
36. a performer in singing or dancing	(f) corporal
37. an office or post held without pay	(g) human
38. a beautiful thing	(h) humane
39. an attitude of kindness	(i) humility
40. that which can be understood	(j) humiliation
41. the act of politeness	(k) corporeal
42. one who is clever	(l) honorary
43. related to the body	(m) honourable
44. that which is related to mankind	(n) artiste
45. the act of dishonour	(o) artisan

Quick Test—2

Match each word of the left to its Synonym and Antonym

Word	Synonym	Antonym
16. Indubitable	(a) relentless	(a) competent
17. Inept	(b) devilish	(b) unexpected
18. Inevitable	(c) plague	(c) release
19. Inexorable	(d) traitor	(d) obey
20. Infamy	(e) definite	(e) relieve
21. Infernal	(f) unavoidable	(f) compromising
22. Infest	(g) break	(g) cajole
23. Infidel	(h) exasperate	(h) divine
24. Inflict	(i) absurd	(i) deprive
25. Infringe	(j) instil	(j) permit
26. Infuriate	(k) disgrace	(k) trustworthy
27. Infuse	(l) innocent	(l) friendly
28. Ingenuous	(m) impose	(m) cunning
29. Inhibit	(n) hostile	(n) laurels
30. Inimical	(o) restrain	(o) questionable

Check your performance ...

1. (g), (b)	2. (c), (k)	3. (a), (a)	4. (m), (c)
5. (j), (g)	6. (o), (i)	7. (k), (n)	8. (b), (f)
9. (d), (m)	10. (l), (d)	11. (n), (e)	12. (e), (o)
13. (h), (h)	14. (f), (l)	15. (i), (j)	16. (e), (o)
17. (i), (a)	18. (f), (b)	19. (a), (f)	20. (k), (n)
21. (b), (h)	22. (c), (e)	23. (d), (k)	24. (m), (c)
25. (g), (d)	26. (h), (g)	27. (j), (i)	28. (l), (m)
29. (o), (j)	30. (n), (l)	31. (o)	32. (c)
33. (e)	34. (m)	35. (k)	36. (n)
37. (l)	38. (a)	39. (h)	40. (d)
41. (i)	42. (b)	43. (f)	44. (g)
45. (j)			

Where do you stand?

If you score:

1 to 10	...	Poor
11 to 25	...	Average
26 to 38	...	Above Average
39 to 45	...	Excellent