**LTCG –** Long Term Capital Gains - tax free profits for an individual if the share are held for more than 1 year

**Dividend –** Return of investment on shares. Company’s decision to declare the dividend. Simlarly tax free if held for more than 1 year under a certain limit (10 Lakh)

**Promoter –** Person or group of people who start the company

**Face Value –** Price at which the promoter decides to value their share value at the start of the company. Should be multiple of 1

**Premium Price/Issue Price –** Price at which the promoters decide to sell the shares to the people who want to have the chunk of the share of the company

**Listed Price –** Price when got listed on stock market

**Top Line Growth –** Turnover

**Bottom Line Growth –** Profit after tax generally

**Share Price > Bottom Line Growth % > Top Line Growth %**

**Stock Split –** Decrease the face value of the share but increase the number of stocks keeping the investment of the investor neutral

***Decrease in face value = Increase in the number of value (In proportional manner)***

**Latest Traded Price –** Price which changes simultaneously

Demand & Supply – BSE & NSE can be different

**Pre - Opening Market Session –** 15 min session from 9 to 9.15 to absorb the heavy fluctuation in the market.

**After Market Order** – Order which are placed between 4 PM – 9 AM. But they will get execute @ 9.15AM

**Gap Up Opening** – If the opening price of the share is more than that of the closing price of the previous day because of AMOs

**Gap Down Opening** – If the opening price of the share is less than that of the closing price of the previous day because of AMOs

**Bid Price –** Number of buy orders

**Offer Price –** Number of selling orders

**Volume –** Number of shares traded in each time period

**Bonus Ratio (1:2) –** 1 free share for every 2 shares held by shareholder from company

* Announcement Day – Day announced
* Ex – Bonus Day – Day when the bonus is locked and the price of the share drops
* Record Date – Day when the bonus is realized by the shareholders
  + Shareholders have to purchase the shares in the period between announcement day & Ex – Bonus day to be entitled for the said bonus
* Cum Basis – When a security is traded on cum basis, it means that it incorporates the benefit of the corporate action in its price
* Ex Basis – Buyer no longer has the benefit of the corporate action

Members – Investors can trade in the secondary markets only through members of stock exchange

Investors –

* RII – Retail Individual Investors (if less than/equal to 2,00,000)
* HNI – High Net Worth Individuals (if more than 2,00,000)
* DII – Domestic Institutional Investor
* FII – Foreign Institutional Investor or Foreign Portfolio Investor

Trading & Settlement – If order is placed today then today becomes the trade date whereas the settlement date in general is Trade+2 Days

Depositories – Institution which changes the physical share certificate to de materialized shares. If you have physical share certificate then you need to contact the broker, along with him you fill a particular form which is then forwarded to company. Company then forwards this to depositories who dematerialize these certificates

* NSDL
* CSDL

Depository Participant – Broker is a participant