

The Hindu Vocabulary: 01.02.2024

1. Defying(NOUN)

Part of speech: Verb (gerund form)

Meaning: Resisting or challenging something, often in a rebellious manner.

Synonym: Resisting, challenging, opposing

Antonym: Complying, obeying

Example sentence: "She was defiantly defying the rules, determined to chart

her own course."

2. Geriatric(VERB)

Part of speech: Adjective (can also be used as a noun)

Meaning: Relating to old age, especially the health or care of elderly people.

Synonym: Elderly, senior, aged

Antonym: Youthful, young

Example sentence: "The hospital has a specialized wing for geriatric care to meet the unique health needs of older patients."

3. Conjured(NOUN)

Part of speech: Verb

Meaning: To call upon or summon, often through magical or supernatural

means.

Synonym: Summoned, invoked, evoked

Antonym: Dismissed, banished

Example sentence: "The magician skillfully conjured a rabbit out of an empty hat, leaving the audience in awe."

4. Irrestible(VERB)

Part of speech: Adjective

Meaning: Too attractive, appealing, or powerful to be resisted.

Synonym: Alluring, captivating, compelling

Antonym: Resistible, unappealing

Example sentence: "The aroma of freshly baked cookies was irresistible, drawing everyone to the kitchen."

5. Cartilage(VERB)

Part of speech: Noun

Meaning: Flexible connective tissue found in various parts of the body, such as joints and the outer ear.

Synonym: Connective tissue, gristle

Antonym: Bone

Example sentence: "Cartilage provides support and flexibility in joints, allowing for smooth movement."

6. Recalibrate(ADJ.)

Part of speech: Verb

Meaning: To adjust or calibrate again, typically to improve accuracy or precision.

Synonym: Fine-tune, readjust, reset

Antonym: Misalign, leave unchanged

Example sentence: "The technician had to recalibrate the instrument to ensure accurate measurements."

7. Relegate(ADJ.)

Part of speech: Verb

Meaning: To consign or dismiss to an inferior rank or position.

Synonym: Demote, downgrade, transfer

Antonym: Promote, elevate

Example sentence: "After a series of mistakes, the manager decided to relegate the employee to a less critical role within the company."

8. Clinched(ADJ.)

Part of speech: Verb

Meaning: To secure or settle something decisively.

Synonym: Secured

Antonym: Uncertain or unresolved.

Example sentence: "After months of negotiations, they clinched the agreement, bringing the matter to a decisive and secure conclusion."

9. Burnished(VERB)

Part of speech: Adjective (can also be used as a verb)

Meaning: Polished or made shiny, typically by rubbing.

Synonym: Polished, buffed, gleaming

Antonym: Dull, tarnished

Example sentence: "The artisan burnished the metal until it reflected the light with a brilliant shine."

10. IMMEDIACY (NOUN)

Meaning: The sense of urgency or closeness in time or proximity.

Synonym: Promptness, proximity, urgency

Antonym: Delay, remoteness, distance

Example Sentence: The immediacy of the situation required quick decision-

making.

