

The Hindu Vocabulary: 05.11.2023

1-Fraught (Adjective): Filled with a particular quality, emotion, or element often implying tension or difficulty

Synonyms: Laden, Rife

Antonyms: Baren, Devoid

Sentence: The negotiation was fraught with tension, making it difficult to

reach an agreement.

2-Adherence (Noun): Attachment or commitment to a person, cause, or

belief

Synonyms: Loyalty, Cohesion

Antonyms: Condemn, Overlook

Sentence: The patient must show strict adherence to the prescription

3-Mandarin (noun): A powerful official or senior bureaucrat, especially

one perceived as reactionary and secretive

Synonyms: Public servant

Sentence: The mandarins are not able to control inflation through

policymaking.

4-Presentiment (noun): a feeling that something bad will happen

Synonyms: feel, fear, suspicion

Sentence: He had a presentiment of disaster.

5-Farce (noun): a poor, insincere, or insulting imitation of something

Synonyms: parody, joke, caricature

Antonyms: tribute, homage, seriousness

Sentence: The whole procedure has become a complete farce.

6-Lethal (adjective): likely to cause or capable of causing death

Synonyms: deadly, fatal, poisonous

Antonyms: healthy, nonlethal, beneficial

Sentence: All these knives are absolutely lethal.

7-Cachinnation (noun): as in laughter

Synonyms: chuckle, giggle

Antonyms: cry, groan, wail

Sentence: He starts Cachinnation very fast after watching comedy shows.

8-Perused (verb): read (something), typically in a thorough or careful way

Synonyms: read, reviewed, studied

Sentence: After breakfast, he perused the newspapers.

9-Milieus (noun): the circumstances, conditions, or objects by which one

is surrounded

Synonyms: environments, surroundings, contexts

Sentence: He grew up in a military milieu.

10-Debilitating (verb) : making someone very weak and infirm

Synonyms: weakening, enfeebling, enervating

Antonyms: strengthening, energizing, fortifying

Sentence: Huge debts are debilitating their economy.

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