



The Hindu Vocabulary: 16.04.2024

1. **PRESUMPTUOUS** (ADJECTIVE): (अक्खड़): brazen

Synonyms: overconfident, arrogant

Antonyms: timid

Example Sentence:

The man seemed too presumptuous to be a humble leader for the nation.

2. **DELIBERATE** (ADJECTIVE): (सविचार): careful

Synonyms: cautious, unhurried

Antonyms: hasty

Example Sentence:

I have always been a conscientious and deliberate worker.

3. **REPRESSIVE** (ADJECTIVE): (दमनकारी): oppressive

Synonyms: authoritarian, despotic

Antonyms: democratic

Example Sentence:

It was clear that he could not continue the repressive tactics of his predecessor.

4. **OVERWEENING** (ADJECTIVE): (आत्माभिमानी): overconfident

Synonyms: conceited, cocksure

Antonyms: modest

Example Sentence:

His modesty is nothing but a cover for his overweening conceit.

5. DETRIMENT (NOUN): (हानि): harm
Synonyms: damage, injury
Antonyms: benefit
Example Hurried tests are a detriment to good education.
Sentence:

6. CAPITULATE (VERB): (आत्मसमर्पण करना): surrender
Synonyms: give in, yield
Antonyms: resist
Example The patriots had to capitulate to the enemy forces.
Sentence:

7. PROSCRIBE (VERB): (बहिष्कार करना): forbid
Synonyms: prohibit, ban
Antonyms: ban
Example Strikes remained proscribed in the armed forces.
Sentence:

8. UNDERLIE (VERB): (नींव रखना): fundamental
Synonyms: basic, basal
Antonyms: subordinate
Example We discussed the principles that underlay their methods.
Sentence:

9. MARGINAL (ADJECTIVE): (मामूली): slight
Synonyms: small, tiny
Antonyms: vast
Example It made only a marginal difference.
Sentence:

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MACABRE

(ADJECTIVE):

(भयंकर):

gruesome

Synonyms:

grisly

grim

Antonyms:

pleasant

Example

Sentence:

A macabre series of murders shocked us.

