



## The Hindu Vocabulary: 17.10.2023

**1-HARP: Verb:** to talk or complain about it repeatedly, often in a tedious or annoying manner.

**Synonyms :** Dwell, obsess, nag, repeat

**Antonyms :** Move on, let go, forget

**Sentence :** He would always harp on his past mistakes, making it difficult to have a positive conversation with him.

**2-VOCIFEROUS : Adjective :** loud, noisy, or characterized by vehement and persistent outcry or expression of opinions

**Synonyms:** clamorous, boisterous, raucous

**Antonyms :** muted, peaceful, meek

**Sentence:** Although he was usually quite reserved, he became vociferous when defending his favourite sports team.

**3-CHARADE: Noun:** A situation in which someone is pretending or putting on a false appearance, often to deceive others.

**Synonyms:** Pantomime, mime, acting, masquerade, facade

**Antonyms:** Honesty, sincerity, transparency, truth.

**Sentence:** His charming demeanor was just a charade to hide his true intentions.

**4-CRAMMED: Adjective:** filled or packed tightly with an excessive or overcrowded amount of something.

**Synonyms:** squeezed, jammed, forced, wedged.

**Antonyms:** Emptied, cleared, unpacked.

**Sentence :** She crammed all her belongings into a single suitcase before leaving for her trip, struggling to close the overstuffed bag.

**5-SUMPTUOUS : Adjective:** a display of wealth or excess.

**Synonyms:** opulent, extravagant, grand

**Antonyms:** frugal, humble, spartan

**Sentence:** She hosted a sumptuous dinner party in her elegant mansion, serving gourmet dishes and fine wines to her guests.

**6-CLOGGED : Adjective:** the action of becoming or causing something to become obstructed or blocked.

**Synonyms:** Blocked, obstructed, congested

**Antonyms:** Unblocked, cleared, opened, freed.

**Sentence:** The drain was clogged with leaves and debris, causing water to pool in the backyard.

**7-PLUMMET : Verb :** to fall or drop rapidly and abruptly, often referring to a steep or sudden decline in value, quantity, or position.

**Synonyms:** Fall, drop, plunge, descend, tumble

**Antonyms:** Rise, ascend, soar, increase

**Sentence :** His popularity in the polls seemed to plummet as more scandals were exposed.

**8-CLAWED: Adjective:** a forceful or aggressive action using claws, like those of an animal.

**Synonyms:** Scratched, tore, raked, ripped

**Antonyms:** Gently, caressed, soothed

**Sentence:** His arm was clawed by the thorny branches as he tried to push his way through the dense underbrush.

**9-VERITABLE: Verb:** something is a perfect or absolute example of its kind.

**Synonyms:** Genuine, authentic, true

**Antonyms:** counterfeit, fictitious, spurious

**Sentence :** The team's victory in the championship game was a veritable triumph, earning them a place in history.

**10-SCRAMBLE:Noun:** a chaotic and competitive situation where people or things move or compete quickly and without a specific order or arrangement.

**Synonyms:** Frenzy, chaos, jumble

**Antonyms:** Order, organize, plan

**Sentence :** The last-minute shopping on Christmas Eve turned into a scramble as people rushed to find gifts in a crowded mall.