

# The Hindu Vocabulary: 21.08.2023

## 1-Guile (Noun): (चालाकी/छल)

Synonyms: Cunning, deceit

Antonyms: Honesty, sincerity

Example sentence:

She used her guile to convince him.

2-Surfeit (Noun): (अधिकता/बहुतायत)

Synonyms: Excess, abundance

Antonyms: Deficiency, shortage

Example sentence:

The market was flooded with a surfeit of cheap, low-quality products.

#### 3-Demolish (Verb): (तबाह करना)

Synonyms: Destroy, wreck

Antonyms: Build, construct

Example sentence:

The old building was demolished to make way for a new shopping complex.

4-Jocularly (Adverb): (मजाकिया तरीके से)

Synonyms: Playfully, humorously

Antonyms: Seriously, solemnly

Example sentences:

He jocularly remarked, "I must be a professional sleeper because I can do it with my eyes closed!".

#### 5. CONFER (VERB): (प्रदान करना)

Synonyms: present with/to, grant to

Antonyms: withhold

**Example Sentence:** 

The Minister may have exceeded the powers conferred on him by Parliament.

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# 6. CRYPTIC (ADJECTIVE): (रहस्यपूर्ण)

Synonyms: mysterious, confusing

Antonyms: straightforward

Example Sentence:

He found his boss's utterances too cryptic.

7. DEEM (VERB): (मानना)

Synonyms: judge, adjudge

Antonyms: mis-judge

Example Sentence:

The event was deemed a great success.

# 8. UNBRIDLED (ADJECTIVE): (निरंकुश)

Synonyms: unconstrained, uncontrolled

Antonyms: restrained

**Example Sentence:** 

He had a moment of unbridled ambition.

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## 9. HUMILIATE (VERB): (अपमानित करना)

Synonyms: mortify, humble

Antonyms: aggrandize

Example Sentence:

You'll humiliate me in front of the whole school!

## 10. INVIGORATE (VERB): (पुन: जीवित करना)

Synonyms: energize, refresh

Antonyms: tire

Example Sentence:

The shower had invigorated her.

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