



## 1. PERILS

**Parts of Speech: NOUN**

**Meaning:** Serious and immediate dangers or risks.

**Synonyms:** Hazards, risks, dangers, threats.

**Antonyms:** Safety, security, protection.

**Sentence:** The brave explorers faced numerous perils as they ventured into the uncharted territory.

## 2. EMIGRANT

**Parts of Speech: NOUN**

**Meaning:** A person who leaves their own country to settle permanently in another; someone who emigrates.

**Synonyms:** Migrant, settler, expatriate, immigrant.

**Antonyms:** Immigrant (when used in the context of leaving the new country), native.

**Sentence:** The family packed their belongings and bid farewell to their homeland, becoming emigrants in search of a better life abroad.

## 3. LURED

**Parts of Speech: VERB**

**Meaning:** To attract, entice, or tempt someone with the promise of something appealing.

**Synonyms:** Entice, attract, tempt, seduce.

**Antonyms:** Repel, deter, discourage.

**Sentence:** The scent of fresh-baked cookies lured the children into the kitchen.

#### **4. LUCRATIVE**

**Parts of Speech: ADJ.**

**Meaning:** Producing a great deal of profit or wealth; profitable.

**Synonyms:** Profitable, money-making, lucrative, remunerative.

**Antonyms:** Unprofitable, nonremunerative, unrewarding.

**Sentence:** The entrepreneur invested in a lucrative business opportunity that quickly yielded significant returns.

#### **5. DUPING**

**Parts of Speech: VERB**

**Meaning:** Deceiving or tricking someone, often by making them believe something that is not true.

**Synonyms:** Deceiving, tricking, fooling, misleading.

**Antonyms:** Enlightening, informing, revealing.

**Sentence:** The fraudster was arrested for duping unsuspecting individuals into investing in a fake business scheme.

#### **6. UNSCRUPULOUS**

**Parts of Speech: ADJ.**

**Meaning :** Lacking moral principles; not honest or fair.

**Synonyms:** Unethical, dishonest, immoral, corrupt.

**Antonyms:** Ethical, principled, honest, scrupulous.

**Sentence:** The unscrupulous businessman exploited loopholes in the law to gain an unfair advantage over his competitors.

## 7. VETTED

**Parts of Speech: VERB**

**Meaning:** Thoroughly examined, evaluated, or assessed for suitability or approval.

**Synonyms:** Examined, scrutinized, reviewed, assessed.

**Antonyms:** Overlooked, neglected, ignored.

**Sentence:** The job applicants were carefully vetted to ensure they met the company's standards before being hired.

## 8. THWART

**Parts of Speech: VERB**

**Meaning:** To prevent someone from accomplishing a purpose or plan; to hinder or frustrate.

**Synonyms:** Hinder, obstruct, impede, frustrate.

**Antonyms:** Assist, facilitate, support.

**Sentence:** The detective worked tirelessly to thwart the criminal's elaborate scheme.

## 9. ARDUOUS

**Parts of Speech: ADJ.**

**Meaning:** Involving or requiring a lot of effort and hard work; difficult and demanding.

**Synonyms:** Difficult, challenging, laborious, strenuous.

**Antonyms:** Easy, effortless, simple.

**Sentence:** Climbing the steep mountain proved to be an arduous task, but the breathtaking view from the top made it worthwhile.

## 10. ENTRENCHED

**Parts of Speech: ADJ.**

**Meaning:** Firmly established and difficult to change; deeply ingrained or firmly rooted.

**Synonyms:** Established, ingrained, rooted, fixed.

**Antonyms:** Flexible, temporary, changeable.

**Sentence:** The company's policies were so entrenched that even attempts at reform met with strong resistance from the employees.

