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THE HINDU

NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

50 WORDS DAILY

MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

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TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

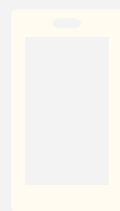
- a) synonyms
- b) antonyms
- c) one word
- d) idioms

- **VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE + ANALYSIS**

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE
YOU
READY??

Yes



Which of these
is the
SYNONYM ? ✓

Q1-Q5

VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the synonym of
'Nostalgia'. — (+)

1. contentedness
- ☒ 2. reminiscence
3. happiness
4. satisfaction

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VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of
'Doughty'.

1. unflagging

2. timid

3. remorseful

4. coward

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Flagged

VOCABULARY

Q3. Choose the synonym of
'Grit'.

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- ✓ 1. surface
- 2. cowardice
- 3. timidity
- 4. weakness

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Q4. Choose the synonym of
✓✓ 'Bandwagon'. ✓✓

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1. assail
- ✓✓ 2. vogue
3. attack
4. criticism

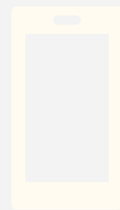
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Q5. Choose the synonym of
'Assault'.

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1. aid
2. strike
3. defend
4. protect

Attack



Which of these
is the
ANTONYM ?

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Q6. Choose the antonym of '**Brass**'.

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- 1. breakable ✓
- 2. delicate ✓
- 3. fragile ✓
- 4. backbone ✓

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VOCABULARY

Q7. Choose the antonym of '**Auction**'.

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~~1. bargain~~ ✓

~~2. jam~~

3. buy

~~4. sell-off~~

acquire

10 min

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VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the antonym of 'Nerve-racking'.

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1. aggravating
2. annoying
3. disquieting
- ✓ 4. calming

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Q9. Choose the antonym of '**Raging**'.

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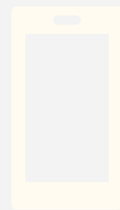
1. angry
2. furious
3. encouraging
4. raving

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Q10. Choose the antonym of '**Trail**'.

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1. train
2. wake
3. way
- ✓ 4. lead



**How to define
this in
ONE WORD?**

VOCABULARY

Q11. A number of stars grouped together

- (1) orbit
- ☒ (2) constellation
- (3) solar system
- (4) comet

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VOCABULARY

Q12. Lasting only for a very short while

- (1) transparent
- (2) temporal
- ~~(3) temporary~~
- (4) temperate


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Q13. A remedy for all diseases

- (1) narcotic
- (2) antiseptic
- (3) tonic
- ☒ (4) panacea

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Q14. The killing of whole group of people

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- ☒ (1) genocide
- (2) germicide
- (3) patricide
- (4) suicide

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Q15. The plants and vegetation of a region

(1) fauna

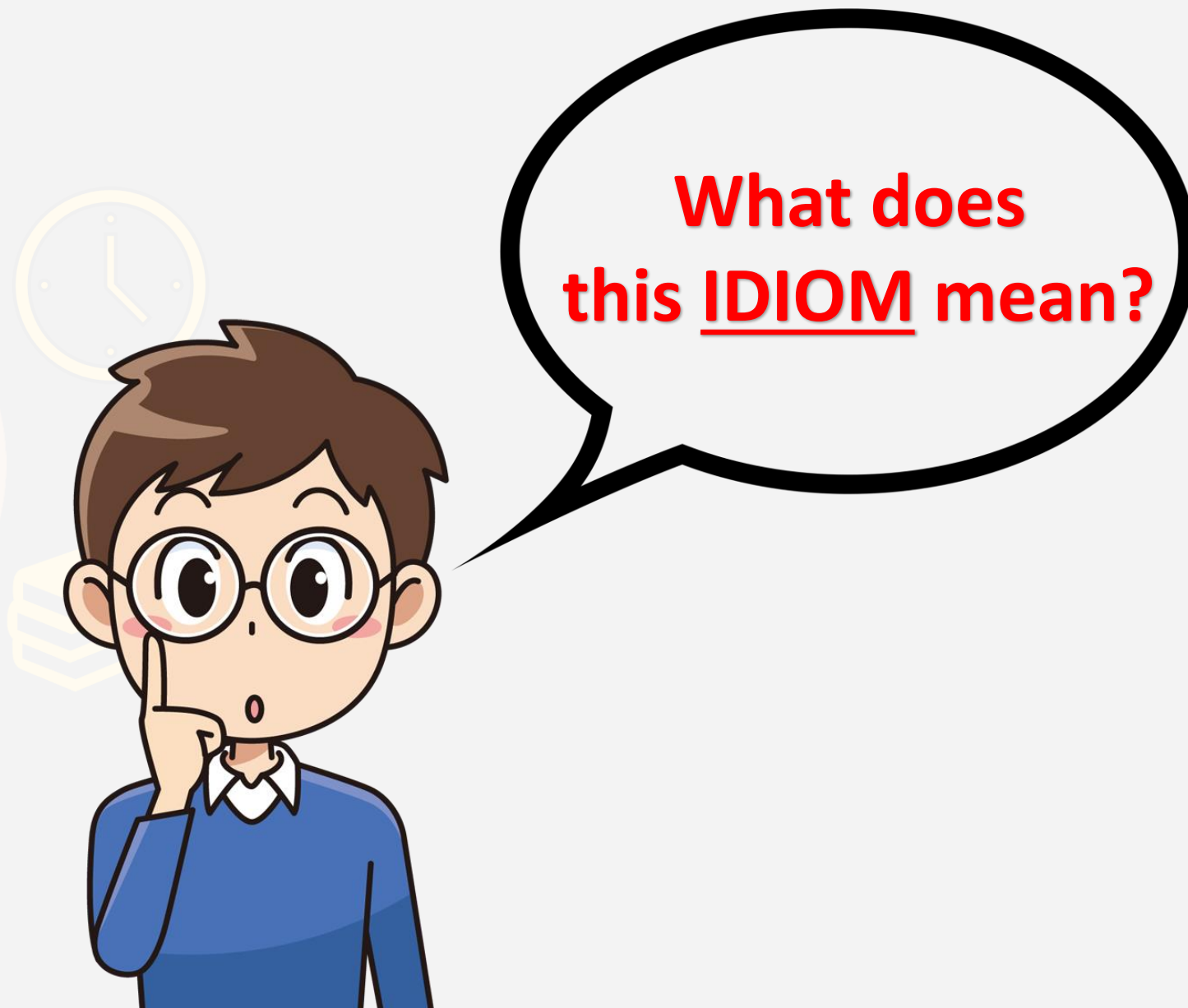
~~(2) flora~~

(3) landscape

(4) environment

animal

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What does
this IDIOM mean?

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Q16. Unless you **grease his palms** he will not do your work.

- (1) talk to him
- (2) flatter him
- (3) beat him
- ~~(4) bribe him~~ ✓

Under the table

VOCABULARY

Q17. I had to **pull strings** to put up a good show.

(1) play music

☒ (2) use personal influence

(3) use the instrument

(4) play a song

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Q18. You can easily overcome this situation if you keep your head.

- (1) keep faith in
- ~~(2) remain calm~~
- (3) believe in
- (4) trust the others

VOCABULARY

Q19. It is clear that the ideas of both reformers **ran in the same groove.**

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- (1) promoted each other
- (2) clashed with each other
- ~~(3) moved in harmony~~
- (4) moved in different directions

VOCABULARY

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Q20. This place affords a **bird's eye view** of the green valley below.

- (1) a beautiful view
- (2) a narrow view
- ☒ (3) an overview
- (4) an ugly view

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THE HINDU VOCABULARY



✓✓ 1) invoked (verb)

✓✓ आवाहन करना - call on/ summon/ cite

2) disconcerting (adj)

✓✓ परेशान कर देने वाला - upsetting/ disturbing

3) struck down (verb)

✓✓ बन्द करना - felled/ abolished

4) unconstitutional (noun)

✓✓ असांविधानिक - illegal/ inadmissible

5) deemed (adj)

मानना– hold/ take for/ view as

6) Came up (verb)

उभरना– emerged/ sprang up

7) menacing (adj)

डरावना– ominous, sinister, threatening

8) prescribed (noun)

निर्धारित– laid down

9) conviction (noun)

अपराधी ठहराना– condemnation, judgment of conviction, sentence

10) Vague (adj)

अनिश्चित– not clearly expressed or understood

11) took into (verb)

ग्रहण करना– embrace/ accept/ swindle

12) Sweep (verb)

छा जाना– wipe/ expel

13) imposition (verb)

अधिक भार डालना—burden/ pressure/ strain.

14) disseminated (verb)

फैलाया हुआ—spread/ disperse

15) manning (verb)

कार्मिक आवश्यकता—work at, run, or operate

16) surmise (verb)

अनुमान करना—guess/ suspect

17) rule out (verb)

खारिज करना- dismiss ✓

18) pursued (verb)

जारी रखना- quest for/ hunt for ✓

19) evince (verb)

प्रकट करना)- reveal ✓

20) grim (adjective)

अरुचिकर)- stern ✓

HOMework

1. ASSUAGE (VERB): (राहत देना): relieve ✓
2. VINDICTIVE (ADJECTIVE): (प्रतिशोधी): vengeful ✓
3. FORMIDABLE (ADJECTIVE): (भयभीत करने वाला): intimidating ✓
4. LACKLUSTRE (ADJECTIVE): (भावशून्य): uninspired ✓
5. BLATANT (ADJECTIVE): (प्रबल): flagrant ✓
6. DISMAY (NOUN): (त्रस्त करना): appall ✓
7. INDUCE (VERB): (मनाना): persuade ✓
8. DISSENT (NOUN): (असहमति): disagreement ✓
9. VIRTUOUS (ADJECTIVE): (न्याय परायण): righteous ✓
10. SCURRY (NOUN): (हड़बड़ी): rush ✓

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

not longer
legal

Undead section

The invalid Sec. 66A is often invoked out of ignorance, but serves as a tool of harassment

It is quite disconcerting that the Supreme Court has been informed for the second time in two years that Section 66A of the IT Act, which was struck down as unconstitutional six years ago, is still being invoked by the police and in some trial courts. One can see why the Court deemed it "a shocking state of affairs" when a petition by the People's Union for Civil Liberties (PUCL) came up for hearing. Section 66A made messages deemed by the police to be offensive or menacing to anyone, or those that caused "annoyance", a criminal offence if these were sent through a computer or computer resource.

It prescribed a prison term of up to three years on conviction. In its landmark judgment in Shreya Singhal (2015), the Court ruled that the provision was vague and violated the freedom of free speech. It was so broadly defined that it took into its sweep protected speech also, and therefore upset the balance between the exercise of the free speech right and the imposition of reasonable restrictions on it. In January 2019, too, the Court's attention was drawn to the same problem of the invalidated provision being used by the police to register cases based on complaints. Not much seems to have changed since then, and it is quite surprising that the police headquarters and prosecutors in the various States had not disseminated the effect of the Court ruling among officers manning police stations.

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There were also instances of courts framing charges under Section 66A even after lawyers had cited the 2015 judgment. The PUCL has said as many as 745 cases are still pending in district courts in 11 States. It is not difficult to surmise that police officers who receive complaints and register them as First Information Reports may not be aware of the judgment, though one cannot rule out instances of the section being invoked deliberately as a tool of harassment. Ignorance of the law is no excuse for the citizen, and it must equally be no excuse for police officers who include invalidated sections in FIRs. Recently, police in Uttar Pradesh booked a journalist for defamation under Section 500 of the IPC, even though the Supreme Court has ruled that defamation can be pursued only by way of private complaints and there can be no FIR.



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07 July 2021

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM
**LIVE PREMIUM
GREEN CARD**
(BANK-PO & CLERK)

BILINGUAL

14 July 2021

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
**LIVE PREMIUM
SILVER CARD**
(CGL & CHSI)

03:00 PM to 05:00 PM
**LIVE PREMIUM
STATE CARD**
(UPSSSC PET)

BILINGUAL

21 July 2021

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM
**LIVE PREMIUM
GREEN CARD**
(IBPS RRB PO/CLERK)
PRE + MAINS

BILINGUAL

28 July 2021

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM
LIVE PREMIUM BRONZE CARD
(TET)

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD
(IBPS PO & CLERK)

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM
LIVE PREMIUM SILVER CARD
(SSC CGL & CHSL)

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