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# THE HINDU NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

# 50 WORDS DAILY

## MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

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# TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

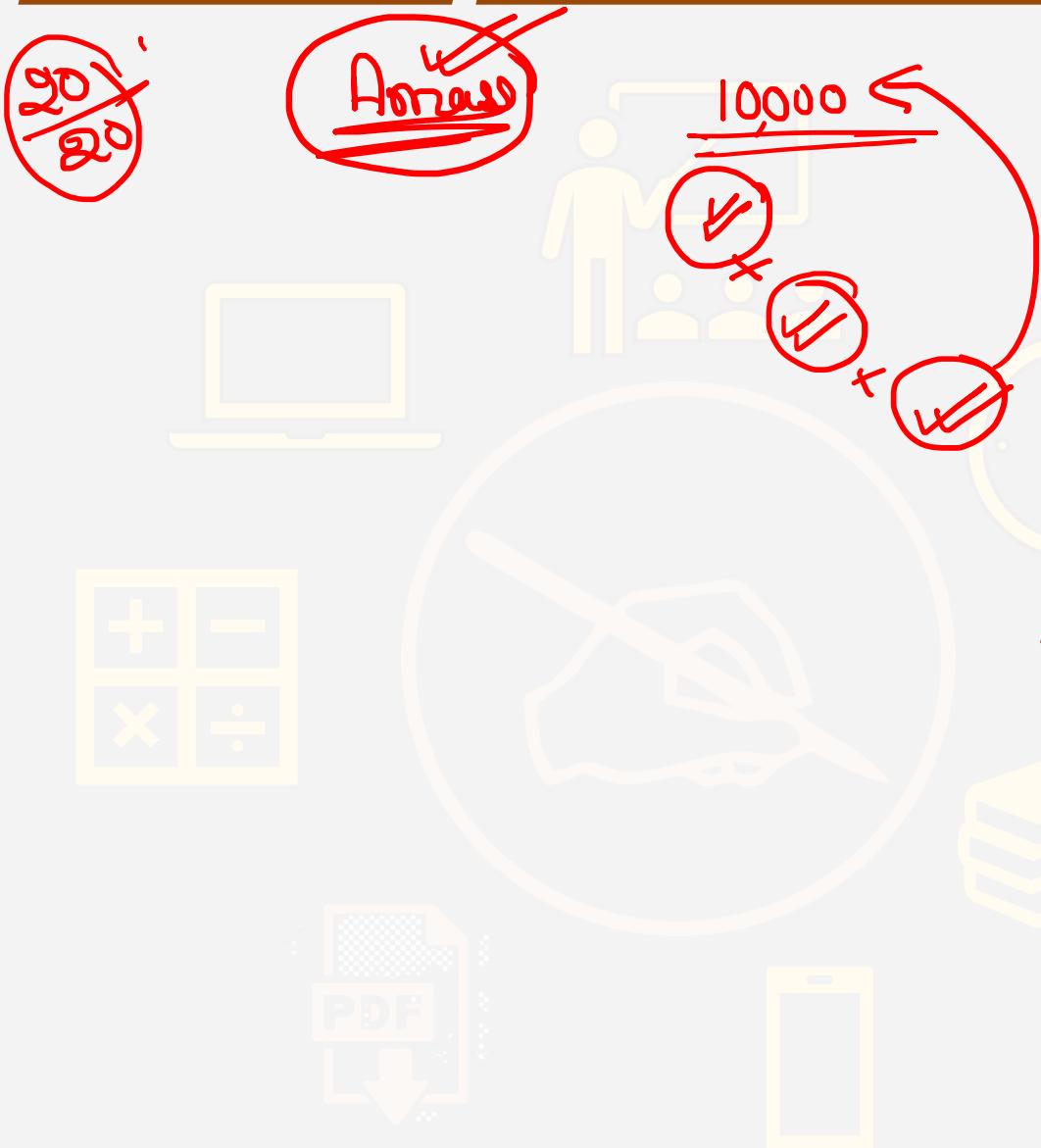
- CHECK YOUR PROGRESS
  - a) synonyms
  - b) antonyms
  - c) one word
  - d) idioms
- VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE + ANALYSIS

# LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE  
YOU  
READY??



## Time for SYNONYMS



# VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the synonym of 'Amassing'.

- 1. gather
- 2. disburse
- 3. disperse
- 4. dissipate

disburse

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\* Upset the apple cart.

# VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of 'Impediment'.

1. aid

2. hindrance

3. assistance

4. facilitation

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help

to put a spoke in one's wheel

# VOCABULARY

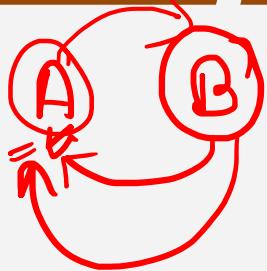
Q3. Choose the synonym of  
'Prosecution'.

1. acquittal
2. execution
3. performance
4. pursuance

acquit

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free from  
offence.



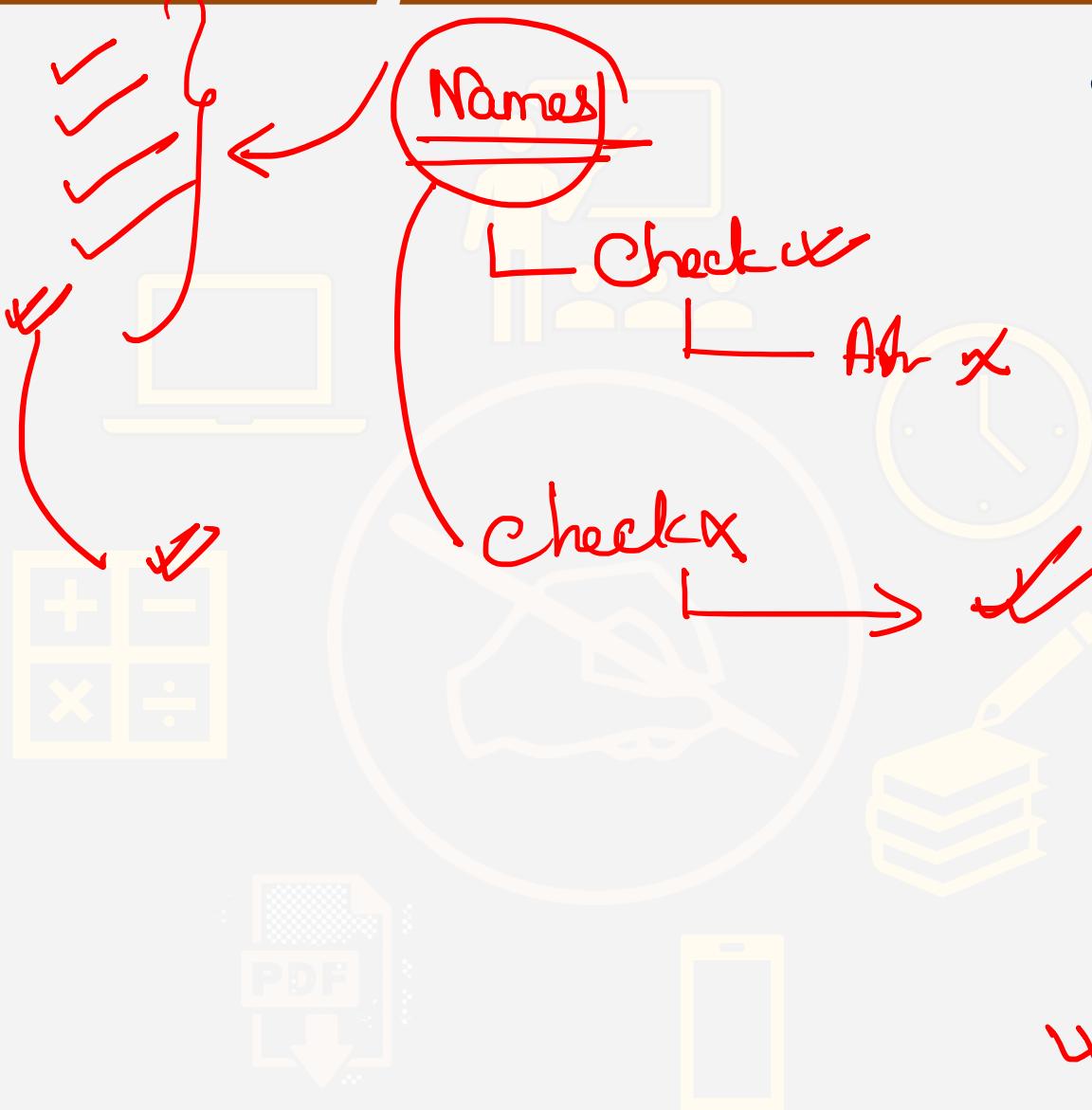
# VOCABULARY

Q4. Choose the synonym of  
**'Cavil'**. — *Picky objection*

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1. agree
2. concede
3. discuss
4. grumble

~~4. grumble~~

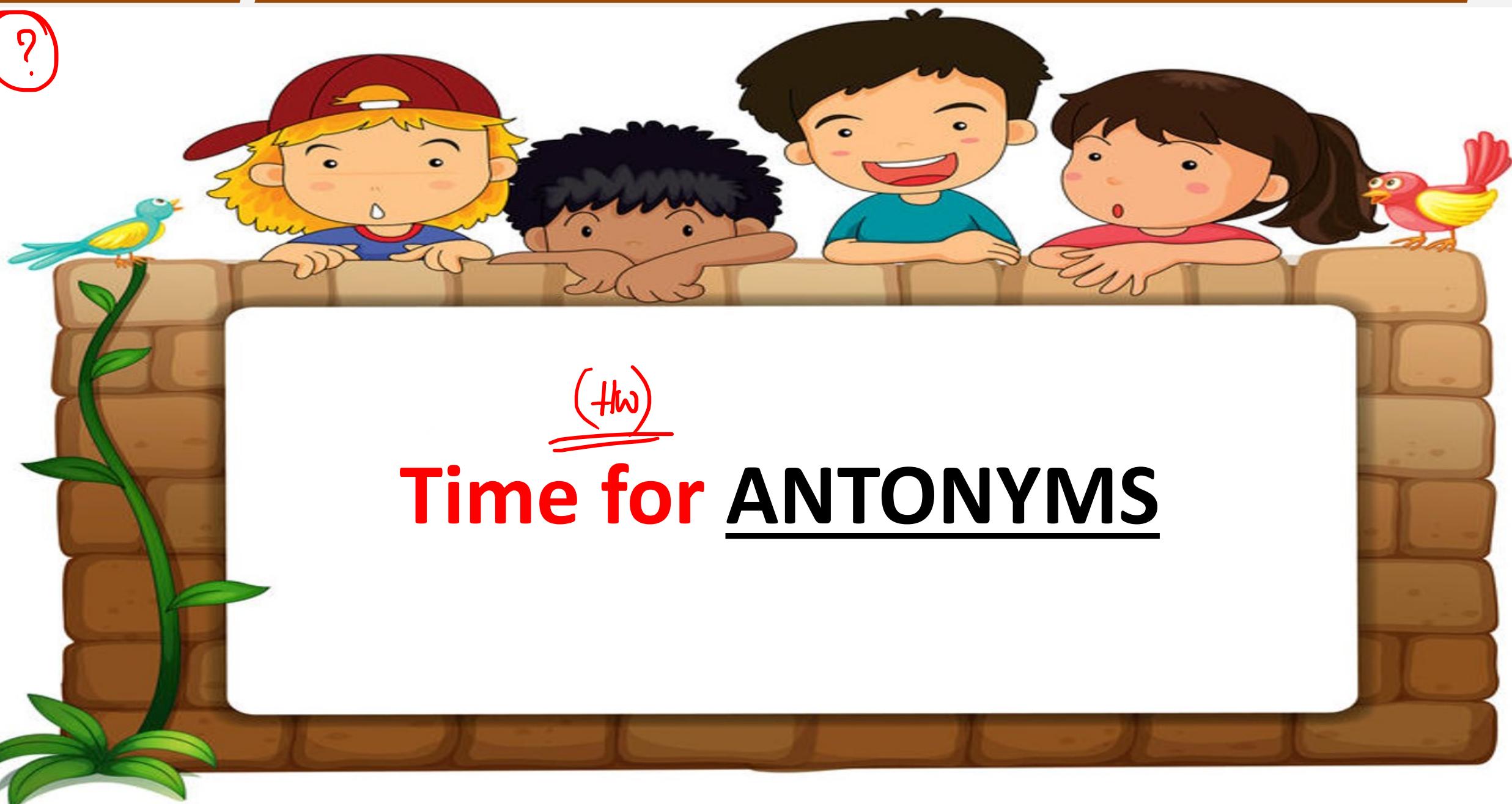


# VOCABULARY

Q5. Choose the synonym of 'Stipulation'.

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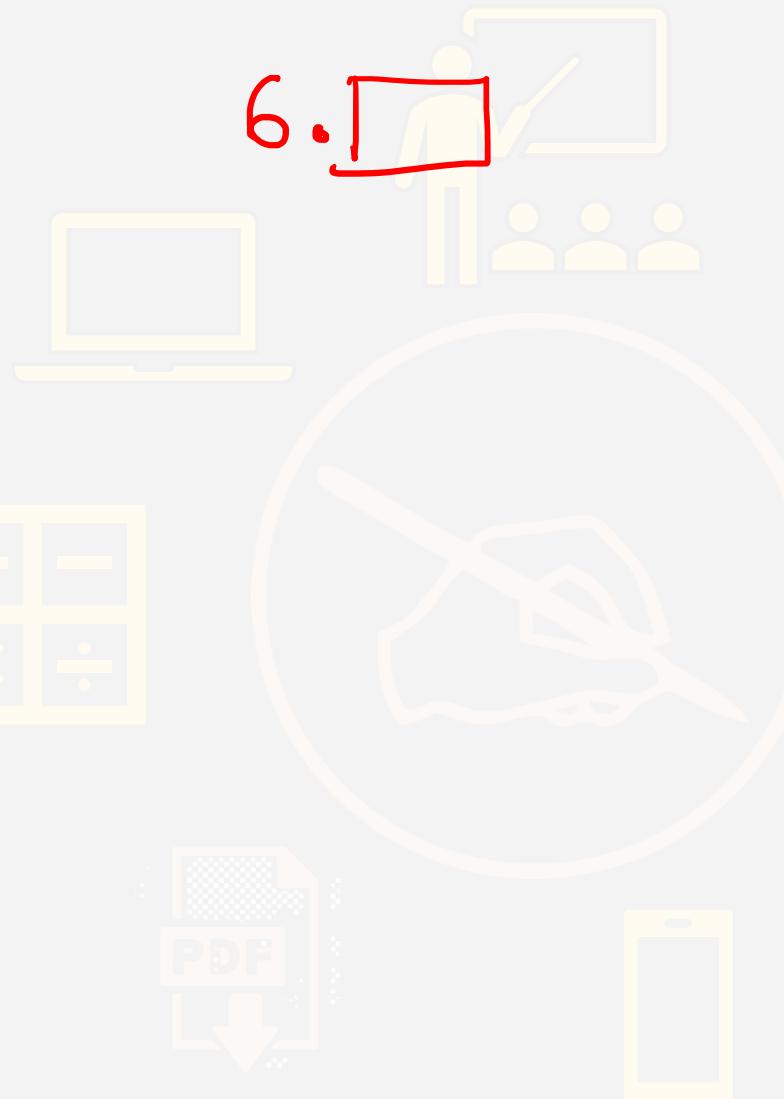
1. implication
2. request
3. wish
4. precondition



(Hw)

## Time for ANTONYMS

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# VOCABULARY

Q6. Choose the antonym of 'Rescind'.

- 1. Enforce
- 2. Revoke
- 3. Repeal
- 4. Cancel

Synonym  
Overturn .

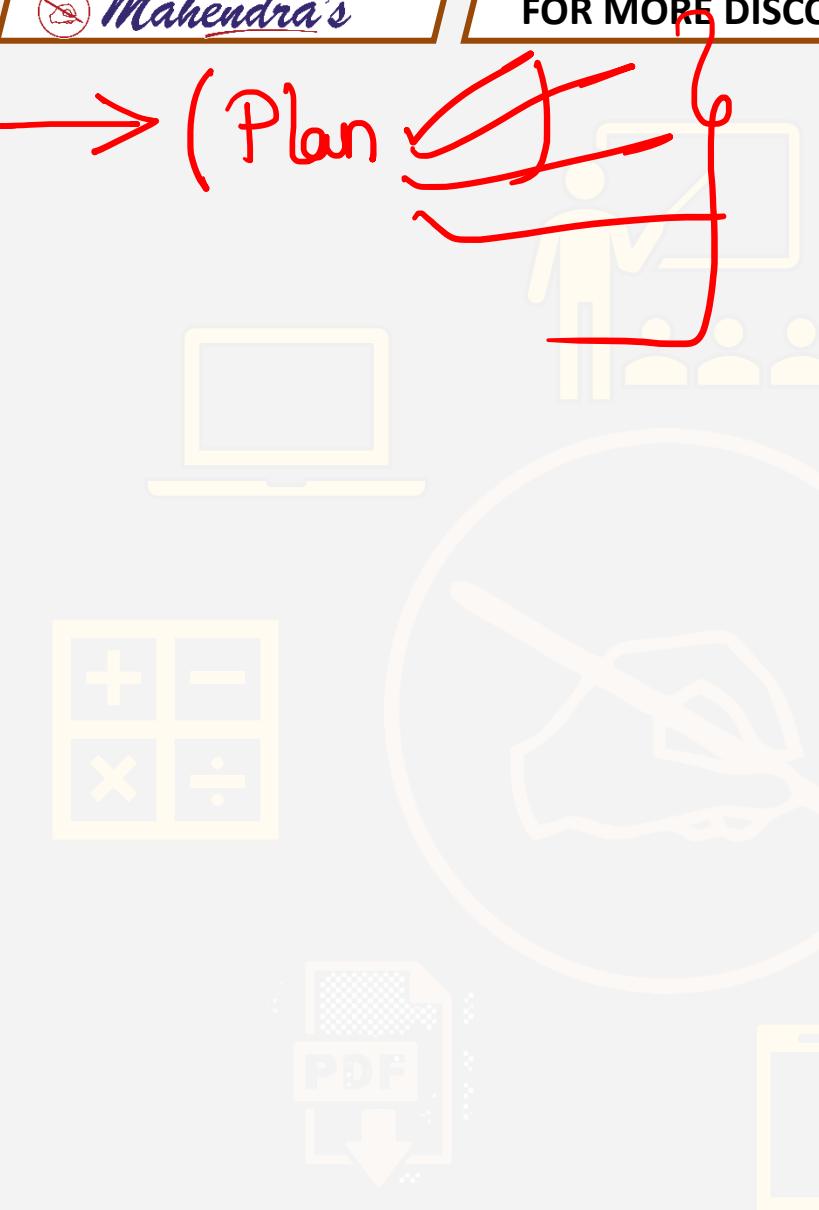
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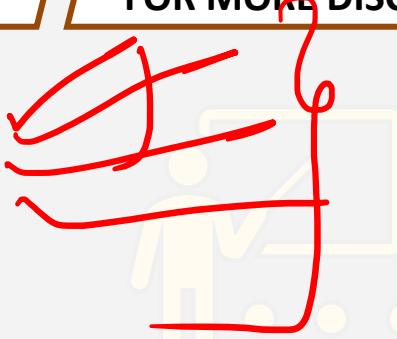
# VOCABULARY

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

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1. Arduous
2. Difficult
- ~~3. Easy~~
4. Hard



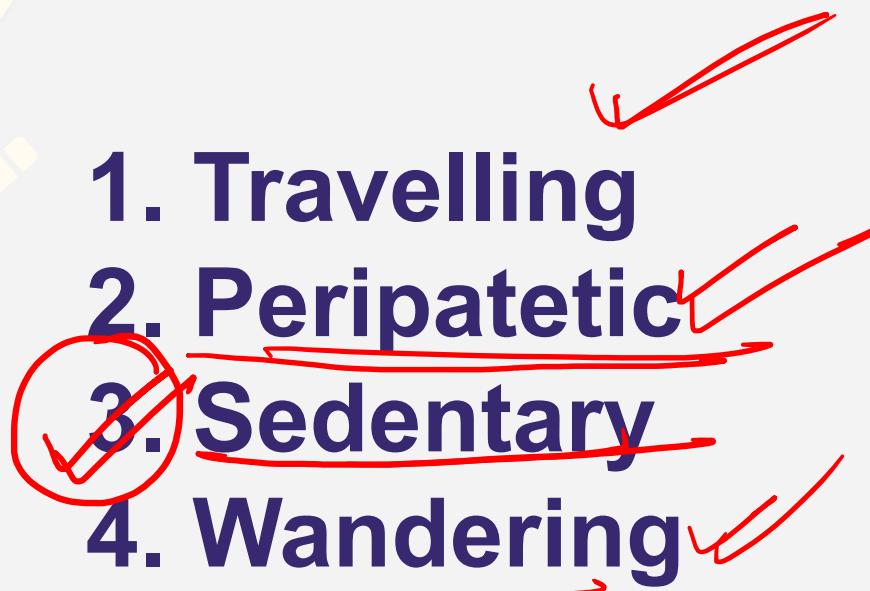
→ (Plan) 

# VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the antonym of 'Itinerant'.

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1. Travelling
2. Peripatetic
3. ~~Sedentary~~
4. Wandering



# VOCABULARY

Q9. Choose the antonym of  
'Gospel'.

1. Lie

2. Actuality

3. Factuality

4. Verity

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# VOCABULARY

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

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1. Sentimental
2. Overemotional
3. Dry
4. Cloying

rich is  
Sentimental



Time for ONE WORD



# VOCABULARY

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Q11. Showing a dislike of anything improper.

(1) strict — one who follows rules

(2) crude — raw

(3) prim — showing disapproval

(4) rude

# VOCABULARY

Q12. A planned route or journey

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- (1) iterate
- (2) ~~itinerary~~
- (3) ~~itinerant~~
- (4) isolate

# VOCABULARY

**Q13. A man who helps a stranger or a person in difficulties is**

- (1) a samaritan
- (2) a mercenary
- (3) a stoic
- (4) an altruist

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helpful

# VOCABULARY

**Q14. Speech of great importance and gravity**

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- (1) maiden
- (2) momentous ✓
- (3) monumental
- (4) momentary

# VOCABULARY

Q15. Continuing for a long period of time without interruption

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- (1) continuum
- (2) recurring — ~~by fits & starts~~
- ~~(3) perpetual~~
- (4) frequenting

by fits & starts



# Time for IDIOMS and PHRASES

# VOCABULARY

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Q16. We must **draw the line** somewhere.

- (1) put the screw on
- (2) fix a limit
- (3) aim at the sky
- (4) turn the tables

# VOCABULARY

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Q17. The officer was **in the soup** when there was a raid in his office.

- (1) preparing soup
- (2) drinking soup
- (3) distributing soup
- (4) to be in trouble

# VOCABULARY

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Q18. **to win laurels**

- (1) to be victorious in a game
- (2) to memorise
- (3) to be disappointed
- (4) to earn great prestige

# VOCABULARY

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Q19. The minister took (a bird's eye view) of the problem.

- (1) vision of a bird
- (2) visualize
- (3) see without giving attention
- (4) a general view from above

# VOCABULARY

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**Q20. He is a fine man, but to call him a saint **is laying it on thick.****

- (1) ~~an exaggeration~~
- (2) a compulsion
- (3) a development
- (4) a reality

# SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



# ARTICLE

## Aiding Afghans

India could contribute to international agencies working with **displaced** Afghans

The Post  
↓  
Exception  
→  
The + Post + Proper News

unrestrained -  
a little something else  
little ↗ almost not

(+) help  
emerge .  
compassionate  
At a meeting of countries with the world's highest GDPs – the G-20 – the Prime Minister Narendra Modi spoke about the **looming humanitarian crisis in Afghanistan**, especially as winter nears. He also called for the international community to provide Afghanistan with "immediate and **unhindered** access to humanitarian **assistance**". The meeting came as the UNHCR published a new appeal for funds, with a report that half the population (more than 20 million people) are in need of "lifesaving humanitarian assistance", and the UN has received only 35% of the funds needed for its relief operations.

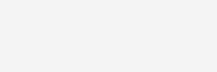
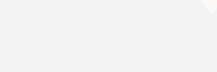
help .

exhausted / end / finished -

(stop)  
helpful  
~~stop~~



helpful



As a result of the Taliban **takeover**, most direct aid to the Afghan government has dried up; its reserves have been frozen by the U.S., making it impossible for salaries to be paid. The Taliban government's refusal to allow women to work and its stopping girls from schooling have made the situation more **dire**. While recognition of the Taliban and any governmental engagement is **a long way off**, the world is faced with the **stark** choice on how to ensure Afghanistan does not suffer further. At the summit, the EU committed \$1.15 billion for Afghanistan and neighbouring countries where refugees have fled, while other countries including the U.S. and China **pledged** \$1.1 billion at a donor conference in Geneva last month. India has not announced any monetary or food assistance.

clear.

guarantee

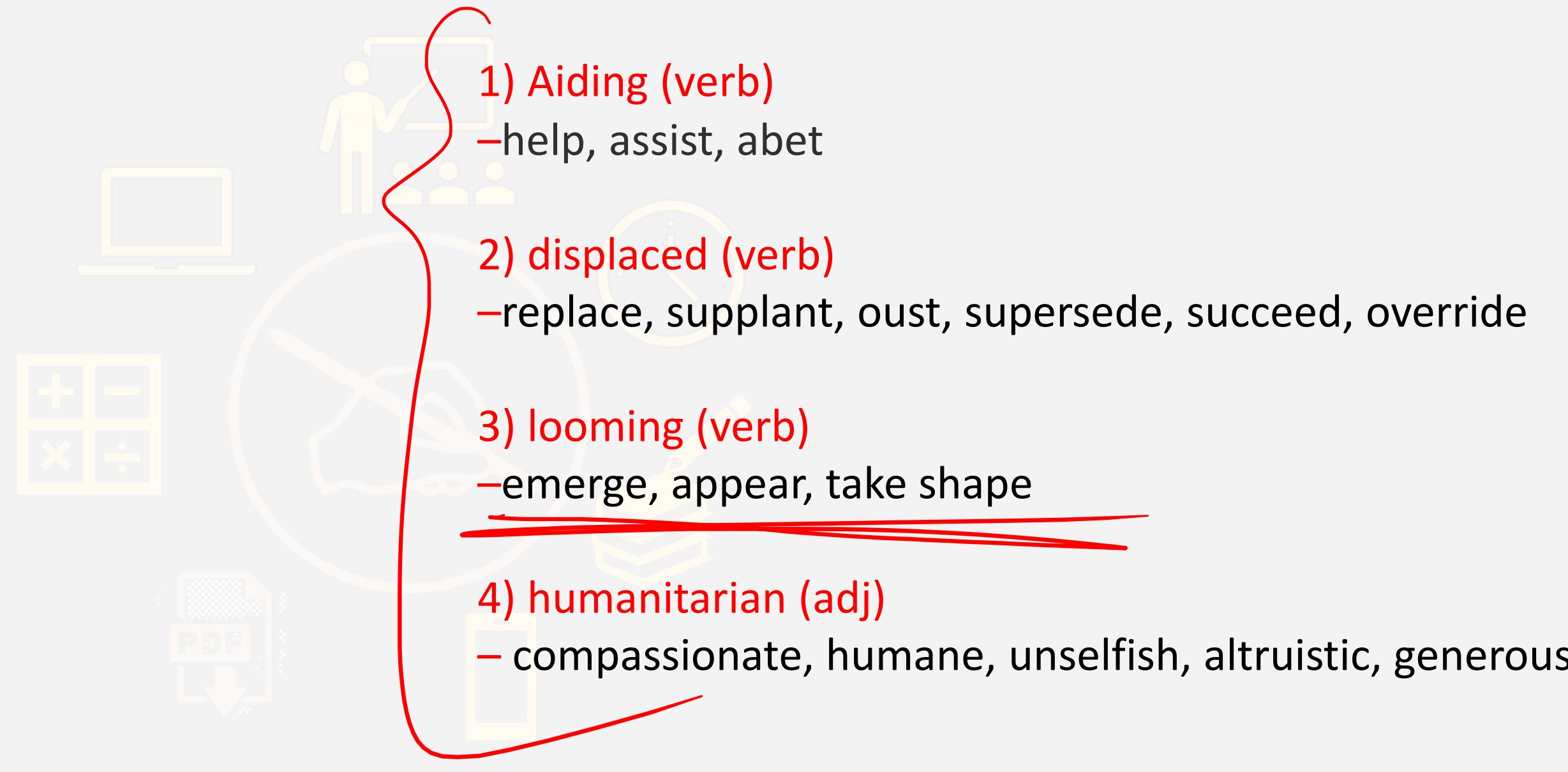
out of range



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# **THE HINDU VOCABULARY**



1) Aiding (verb)

-help, assist, abet

2) displaced (verb)

-replace, supplant, oust, supersede, succeed, override

3) looming (verb)

-emerge, appear, take shape



4) humanitarian (adj)

-compassionate, humane, unselfish, altruistic, generous

5) **unhindered** (adj)

-blocked, hampered, unrestrained, uncontrolled, unbridled, unchecked

6) **assistance** (noun)

-abetment, aid, assist, backing, boost

7) **takeover** (verb)

-accept, assume, bear, shoulder, undertake

8) **dire** (noun)

-baleful, direful, doomy, foreboding

9) a long way off (phrasal verb)

– clear, out of range, a good way off, apart from, at a distance

10) stark (adj)

– crisp, distinct, obvious, evident, clear

11) pledged (adj)

– mortgage, guarantee, pawn, gage, plight

12) fascinating (adj)

- engrossing, captivating, absorbing

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