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NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

50 WORDS

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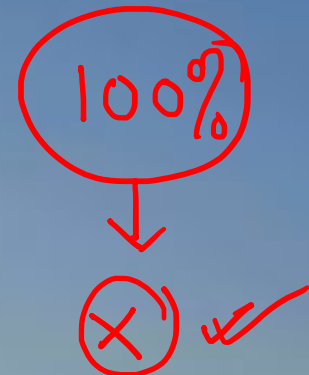
MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

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**THERE IS
NO EXCUSE
FOR NOT
TRYING**



TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

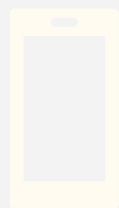
- a) synonyms
- b) antonyms
- c) one word
- d) idioms

- **VOCABULARY FROM (ARTICLE) +
✓ ANALYSIS + (spotting errors) ✓**

*go through
&
comment
its
tone*

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE
YOU
READY??





Time for SYNONYMS

Bound

↳ You are bound to obey the King.

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Q1. Choose the synonym of

Rebound. ----- relaxate / recovers.

1. Bound
2. Retain
3. Restrict
4. Bounce

(bounce back)

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Q2. Choose the synonym of
'Reversal'.

1. Recursion

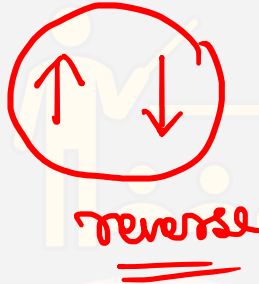
2. Turnaround ✓

3. Doing }

4. Drawing }

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to explain any
problem in its
simplest form.



reverse

Shame ✓
✓?

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Q3. Choose the synonym of
'Proxy'.

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1. Boss
2. Representative
3. Officer
4. Guard

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Q4. Choose the synonym of
'Drastic'.

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1. Mild
2. Moderate
3. Morgue
4. Extreme

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Q5. Choose the synonym of 'Resurgence'.

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- revival*
1. Popularity ~~x~~ - fame
 2. Similar → likeness
 3. Occurrence → happen
 4. Renewal

Age
5+



Time for ANTONYMS

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Q6. Choose the antonym of 'Precede'.

→ occur before.

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- 1. Intercede
- 2. Predate
- 3. ~~Follow~~
- 4. Antedate

→ to represent / proxy.

Syn

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Q7. Choose the antonym of
'Vanguard'.

1. Follower
2. Forefront
3. Van
4. Front

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Q8. Choose the antonym of 'Anaemic'.

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1. Colourless ✓

2. Bloodless ✓

3. Ruddy

4. Pale ✓

Complete total Ultra

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Q9. Choose the antonym of

'Stubborn'

1. Compliant
2. Obstinate
3. Mulish
4. Headstrong

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Q10 Q10. Choose the antonym of '**Brisk**'. → in a pace

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1. Smart
2. Expert
- 3* 3. Slow
4. Rapid



Time for ONE WORD

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Q11. A person who repairs broken window-glasses

(1) welder → one who welds metals.

(2) sculptor → one who cuts rocks into models.

~~(3) glazier~~

(4) patisserie → shop for cakes & pastries.

heat & change
its shape

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Q12. A state where no law and order exists

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- (1) monarchy
- (2) mobocracy
- (3) anarchy
- (4) democracy

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Q13
Q13. He is my partner in crime.

- (1) friend
- ~~(2) accomplice~~
- (3) neighbour
- (4) companion

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Q14. Her speech could not be heard by those sitting in the last few rows.

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- (1) imperceptible → un-noticeable
- (2) indelible → One that cannot be removed
- ~~(3) inaudible~~
- (4) ineffable → too great/big to be expressed in words.

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Q15. A short trip or excursion

- (1) rambler
- (2) jaunt
- (3) detour
- (4) stroller

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Time for (Hw) - ✓ Monday

IDIOMS and PHRASES

VOCABULARY

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Q16. I have recently changed my job and I am **going to have teething problems.**

- (1) difficulties at the start
- (2) difficulties at the end
- (3) difficulties all the time
- (4) problem with my teeth

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Q17. The soldiers **fought tooth and nail** to save their country.

- (1) using unfair means
- (2) with strength and fury
- (3) with weapons
- (4) as best as they could

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Q18. Chetan is very upset because the new manager always **picks on him**.

- (1) advises
- (2) warns severely
- (3) selects
- (4) treats badly

VOCABULARY

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Q19. After his business failed, he had to work very hard **to keep the wolf from the door.**

- (1) keep away extreme poverty**
- (2) earn an honest living**
- (3) regain his lost position**
- (4) defend from enemies**

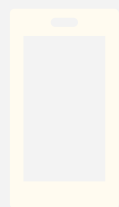
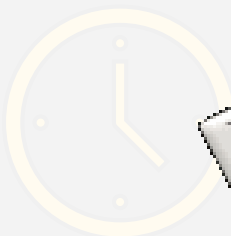
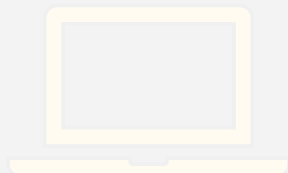
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Q20. The mention of her former husband's name still makes Rita **foam at the mouth**.

- (1) angry
- (2) vomit
- (3) shy
- (4) fall sick

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

• never put the with superlative degree if it is related to possessive case.

Tackling terror

to handle / taking up
the

Civil society, political forces must do their best to remove fear among minorities in J&K

managed / arranged

Q1

The ^{increase} uptick in the number of deaths of civilians, including those of (A) / the minority community after terror attacks recently is a major (B) / setback when the number of violent incidents (C) / in the Kashmir Valley was lowest in five years (D). Orchestrated allegedly by a shadowy force calling itself The Resistance Front (TRF), termed by security forces as being set up by the LeT, the killings have resulted in fear gripping the Valley's minority (Hindu and Sikh communities).

disappointment

↓
where one is very afraid.

blame without enough proof.

invisible power.
something which is not clear.

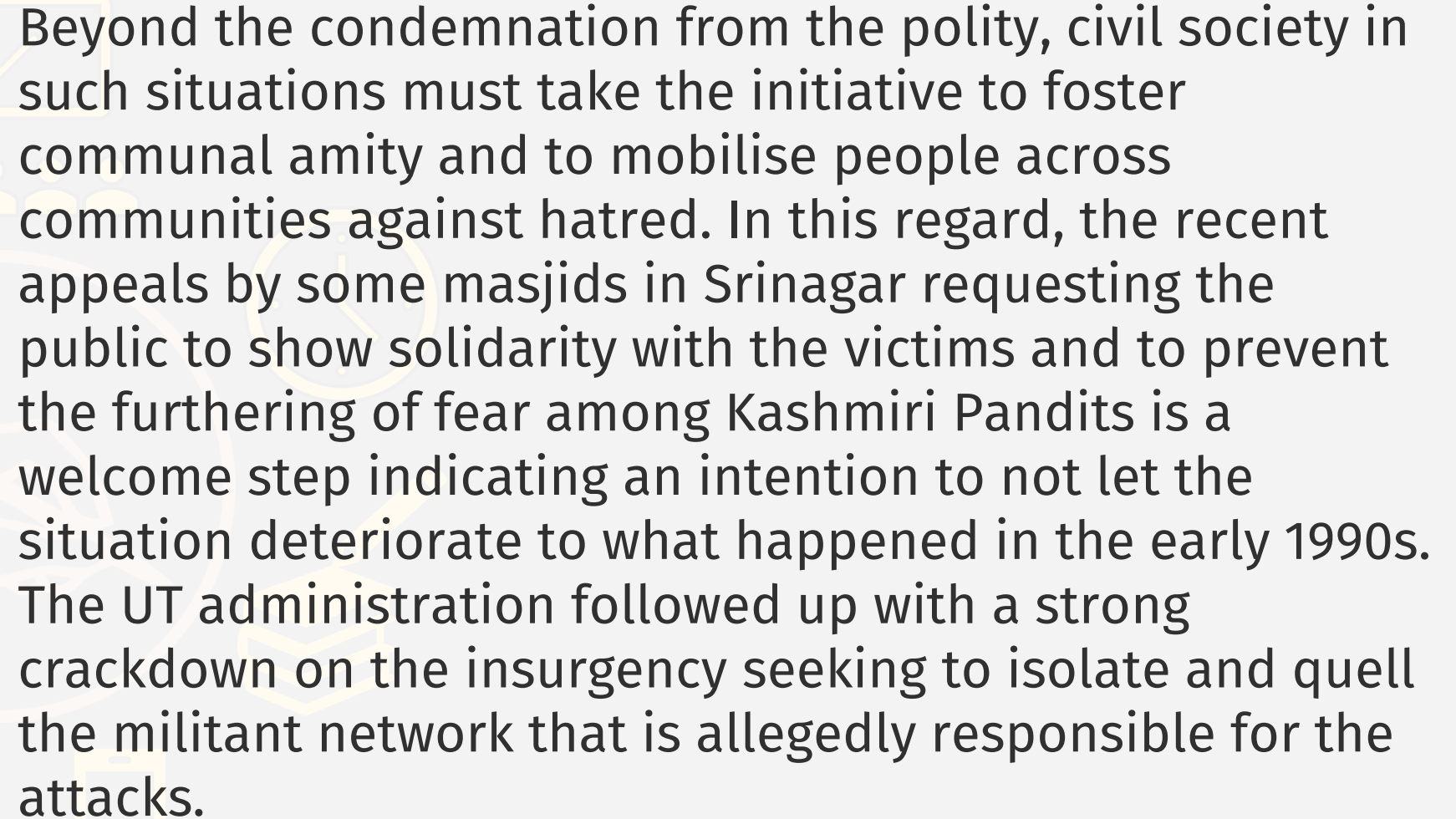
In spite of

Notwithstanding statements from (A)/ ^{general} **mainstream** political parties and separatist organisations **condemning** the (B)/ violence, many Kashmiri Pandit and Sikh employees (C)/ **abstained** from work or took leave temporarily, worried about their security. This is an unfortunate outcome that **calls to mind** the **exodus** of Kashmiri Pandits due to terror attacks in the early 1990s. The reversal of this dangerous trend requires not only a ^{soothing} **reassurance** of security from the Government for members of the minority communities such as the Pandits and the Sikhs but also a commitment for **solidarity** with the victims from the various political forces and civil society. The targeted nature of the killings by a "faceless" terror group suggests that its aim was to use the **disquiet** in the Valley with the recent administrative and political measures to **foment** communal discord and violence.

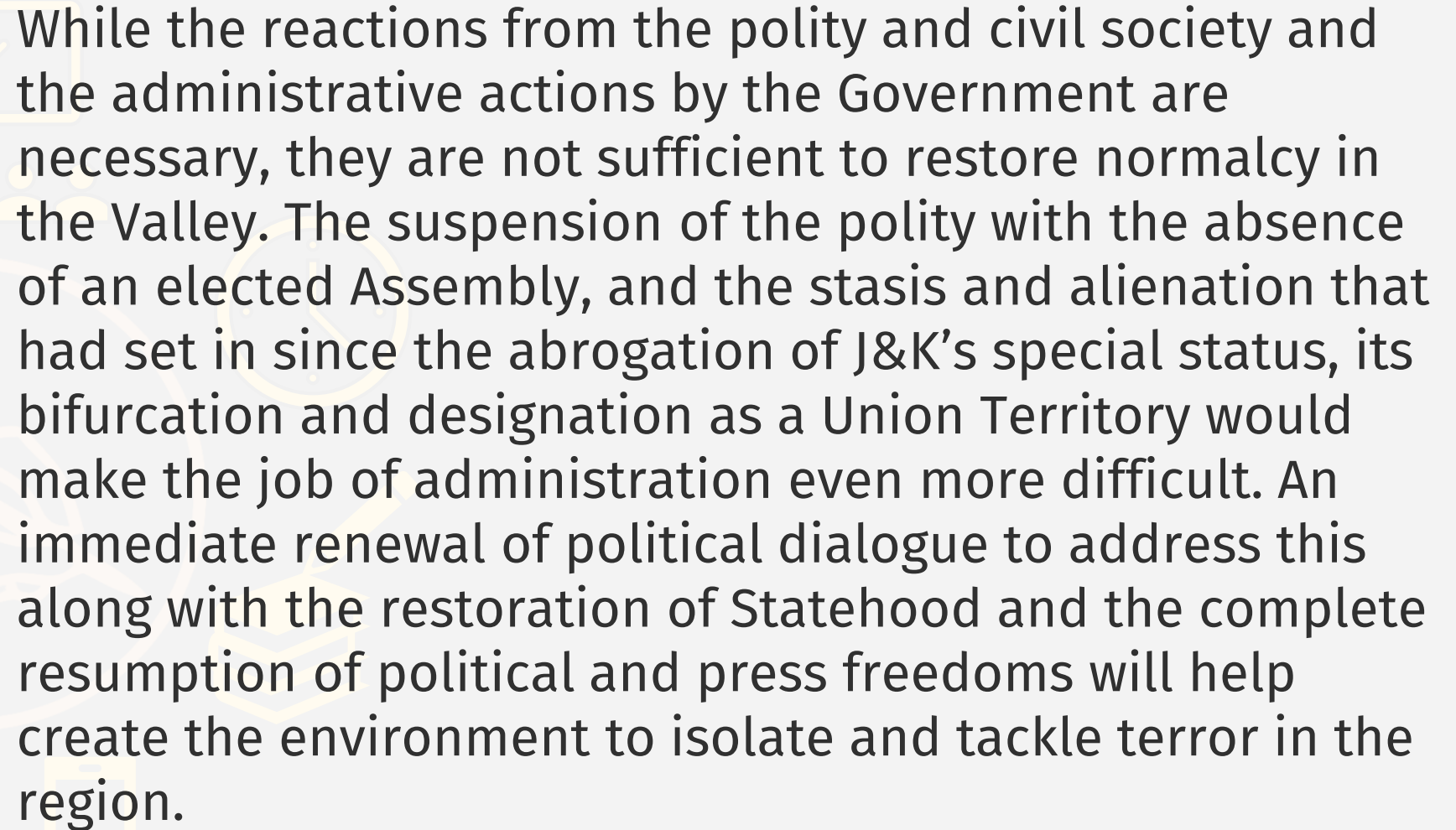
denouncing
 declare / refused
 with drawal
 to call someone
 over telephone.

same thinking
 compatibility
 turmoil

incite / instigate



Beyond the condemnation from the polity, civil society in such situations must take the initiative to foster communal amity and to mobilise people across communities against hatred. In this regard, the recent appeals by some masjids in Srinagar requesting the public to show solidarity with the victims and to prevent the furthering of fear among Kashmiri Pandits is a welcome step indicating an intention to not let the situation deteriorate to what happened in the early 1990s. The UT administration followed up with a strong crackdown on the insurgency seeking to isolate and quell the militant network that is allegedly responsible for the attacks.



While the reactions from the polity and civil society and the administrative actions by the Government are necessary, they are not sufficient to restore normalcy in the Valley. The suspension of the polity with the absence of an elected Assembly, and the stasis and alienation that had set in since the abrogation of J&K's special status, its bifurcation and designation as a Union Territory would make the job of administration even more difficult. An immediate renewal of political dialogue to address this along with the restoration of Statehood and the complete resumption of political and press freedoms will help create the environment to isolate and tackle terror in the region.



Makendra's



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VOCABULARY

1) Tackling (verb)

–approaching, facing, pursuing, taking up, undertaking

2) uptick (verb)

– accretion, accrual, addendum, addition, augmentation, boost

3) setback (verb)

–disappointment, frustration, letdown, decline, descent

4) Orchestrated (adj)

– arranged, managed, ordered, planned

5) allegedly (adverb)

-purportedly, reportedly, reputedly, assumably, likely, presumedly, probably, conceivably, maybe

6) fear gripping (phrase)

-an emotion such as fear grips you, you feel it strongly

7) Notwithstanding (adverb)

-in spite of, despite, regardless of, for all

8) mainstream (adj)

-conventional, general, established, received, accepted

9) Condemning (phrase)

– censuring, damning, decrying, denouncing, execrating, reprehending, reprobating

10) abstained (verb)

– declined, refused, rejected, turned down

11) calls to (phrase)

– to call (someone) on the telephone

12) Exodus (phrase)

-withdrawal, evacuation, leaving, exit, migration

13) reassurance (phrase)

– cheering, comforting, soothing, auspicious, bright, encouraging

14) solidarity (verb)

– companionship, compatibleness, congeniality, fellowship, fraternization

15) Disquiet (noun)

– turmoil, uneasiness, unquietness, unrest

16) foment (verb)

-abet, brew, ferment, incite, instigate, pick, provoke, raise, stir

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