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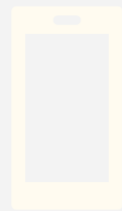
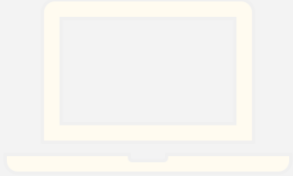
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**ARTICLE ANALYSIS+ VOCABULARY FROM
ARTICLE**

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

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

India must help Afghan brethren: PM

Modi says country must provide refuge to Sikh and Hindu minorities who want to come to India



ARTICLE

Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday **chaired** a meeting of the Cabinet Committee on Security (CCS) where he **instructed** the officials **concerned** to ensure the safe **evacuation** of Indian nationals from Afghanistan within the next few days and also provide all possible help to “Afghan brothers and sisters who are looking towards India for assistance.”

According to sources present at the meeting, Mr. Modi also said that “India must not only protect our citizens, but we must also provide **refuge** to those Sikh and Hindu minorities who want to come to India, and we must also provide all possible help to our Afghan brothers and sisters who are looking towards India for assistance.”

ARTICLE

Nearly 140 people working at the Indian Embassy in Kabul, including Ambassador Rudrendra Tandon, staff at the embassy, and Indo Tibetan Border Police guarding the Indian embassy in Kabul, and four presspersons flew into Delhi late in the evening on an evacuation flight run by the Indian Air Force. Mr. Tandon was present at the CCS meet and **briefed** the Prime Minister on the ground situation in Kabul. Sources said the CCS was briefed in detail on the current and **evolving** security and political situation in Afghanistan.

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The committee was also briefed on the recent evacuations of Indian Embassy officials and some members of the Indian community, as well as some members of the Indian media. The meeting was attended by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, Home Minister Amit Shah, and Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman. External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar, being out of town, could not attend the meeting. Foreign Secretary Harsh Shringla was present. National Security Adviser Ajit Doval, Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister P.K. Mishra and Cabinet Secretary Rajeev Gauba were present.

The Home Ministry added a new category of visa to process applications of those who want to come to India from Afghanistan.



THE HINDU
VOCABULARY

1) chaired

अध्यक्षता

2) instructed

निर्देश दिए

3) Concerned

संबद्ध- related, concerned, connected, belonging

4) evacuation

निकासी- evacuation, clearing, discharge of water, offtake, outturn, pull



5) refuge

शरण- refuge, shelter, hideaway, niche, harbor, protection

6) briefed

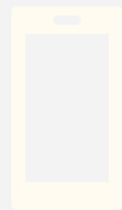
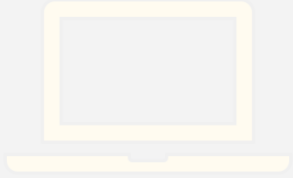
संक्षिप्त करना compress, brief, summarize, abbreviate, curtail

7) evolving

उभरती- evolutionary, evolutionary

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE
YOU
READY??





Time for
ONE
WORD

1. **A person coming to a foreign land to settle there**

(1) Immigrant

(2) emigrant

(3) tourist

(4) settler



1. (1) Immigrant

2. **Something capable of being done**

(1) probable

(2) feasible

(3) tenable

(4) explicable



2. (2) **feasible**

3. Give and receive mutually

(1) present

(2) reciprocate

(3) compromise

(4) approve

3. (2) reciprocate



4. One who can think about the future with imagination and wisdom.

- (1) dreamer
- (2) seer
- (3) idealist
- (4) visionary

4. (4) visionary



5. A doctor who treats children

- (1) pediatrician
- (2) pedagogue
- (3) pedestrian
- (4) pedophile

5. (1) pediatrician





Time for IDIOMS & PHRASES

6. Sarala is always ready to **eat anyone's salt**.

- (1) to be one's guest
- (2) to cook tasty dishes
- (3) an infectious disease
- (4) to deceive someone

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6. (1) eat anyone's salt: to be any one's guest When you are eating someone's salt, you can help him around the house.

The best option is to be one's guest.



7. He will certainly **come to grief** if he does not leave his present friends.

- (1) addicted
- (2) go up to the extreme
- (3) suffer
- (4) enjoy

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7. (3) **come to grief : suffer** In the end, he came to grief because he did not follow instruction

The best option is suffer.



8. If you develop friendship with an individual you must stand by him **through thick and thin.**

- (1) think about his/her welfare
- (2) under all circumstances
- (3) to accompany through a thick forest
- (4) in day and night

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8. (2) through thick and thin :
even when there are problems/ difficulties • The best option is under all circumstances



9. Nowadays, one gets good literary books **once in a blue moon.**

- (1) from renowned publisher
- (2) at very low cost
- (3) when moon gives blue light
- (4) rarely

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9. (4) once in a blue moon : very rarely
You are seen only once in a blue moon.
The best option is rarely.



10. He decided to **bury the hatchet**.

(1) to keep a secret

(2) to make peace

(3) to fool someone

(4) to bury the wealth

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10. (2) bury the hatchet : to stop being unfriendly and become friends again

Let's stop arguing and bury the hatchet.

The best option is to make peace.





Time for SYNONYMS

11. VIE

(1) compete

(2) cheerful

(3) Conceal

(4) confuse

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11. (1) compete

vie (Verb) : compete eagerly with someone in order to achieve something: contest: contend. thin.



12. CAVORT

(1) climb

(2) crawl

(3) jump

(4) drag

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12. (3) jump

cavort (Verb) jump or dance around excitedly: skip:

frisk: move around in a playful way



13. BRITTLE

(1) fragile

(2) dry

(3) risky

(4) demolish

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13. (1) fragile

brittle (Adjective) : breakable: fragile:

delicate and easily broken.



14. ILLUMINATE

(1) desirous

(2) seizure

(3) Solitary

(4) brighten

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14. (4) brighten

illuminate (Verb) brighten: illustrate: adorn: to light something and make it brighter.



15. EMBROIL

(1) curse

(2) confuse

(3) craggy

(4) censure

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15. (2) confuse embroil (Verb): bring into a state of confusion or disorder:





Time for ANTONYMS

16. Select the antonym of sacred.

- (1) pious
- (2) hallowed
- (3) divine
- (4) profane

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16. (4) profane



17. ALIEN

- (1) native
- (2) domiciled
- (3) Natural
- (4) resident



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17. (1) native

18. FUTILE

- (1) upright
- (2) costly
- (3) eminent
- (4) worthy



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18. (4) worthy

19. AUDACIOUS

- (1) meek
- (2) cowardly
- (3) mild
- (4) gentle



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19. (2) cowardly

20. ARROGANT

(1) Simple

(2) timid

(3) civilized

(4) modest

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20. (4) modest

HOME WORK ANSWER

Make no headway

- 1 check if the head can pass through
- 2 unable to progress ahead
- 3 unable to overtake anyone
- 4 forced to fix a new goal

HOME WORK

A thing no longer in use

- a. Redundant b. obsolete c. sick
d. obnoxious



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