





*Mahendra's*

**THE HINDU**

✓ **NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS** + Gr

**50 WORDS DAILY**

**MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY**

**LIVE**  **7:30 AM**

**27 July 2021**



☆  
MISTAKES  
*are*

• PROOF •

*that you*  
ARE TRYING. ✓

# TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

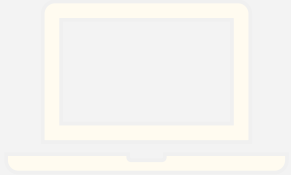
- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

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

- **VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE + ANALYSIS+  spotting errors**

# LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE  
YOU  
READY??



# Time for SYNONYMS

(Similar meaning)





# VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the synonym of

~~gnarly~~

— idiom (out of the box = off beat)

(A) ordinary

(B) extraordinary

(Special way)

(C) normal

(D) barren

0:20

St portal

# VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of **redeem**

- (A) disagree ✗  
(B) tarnish =  
 (C) compensate  
(D) spoil

**0:20**1000500 worthdiscolour / stain



# VOCABULARY

Q3. Choose the synonym of **contemplate**

0:20

(A) neglect ✓

(B) oversight ✓

(C) observe

(D) laxness ✓

neglectful / Careless / Ignorant

Inspired  
Common  
tarnish  
flavourless

Anish

# VOCABULARY

One who is not easily pleased.

Q4. Choose the synonym of punctilious

0:20

- (A) careless  
(B) ~~lackadaisical~~  
(C) dishonest  
(D) fastidious

Ignorant

Couch Potato

# VOCABULARY

Q5. Choose the synonym of

ecstasy

Rejoice ✓

0:20

~~(A) sorrow~~

~~(B) dejection~~

(C) exultation ✓

~~(D) gloomy~~

Sadness



# Time for **ANTONYMS**

(look for an opposite  
meaning)

# VOCABULARY

Q6. Find the antonym of

**benumb** — numb / insensible

Synonyms

(A) Blunt

(B) Chill

(C) Cumber

(D) Enliven — lively / sensible

0:20

# VOCABULARY

Q7. Find the antonym of

**astound**

Synonym

- (A) Amaze
- (B) Dumbfound
- (C) Stun
- ~~(D) Calm~~

0:20

Surprize  
Startled.

~~✓~~ (Birthday)

# VOCABULARY

Q8. Find the antonym of flabbergast

0:20

Startled

- ~~✓~~ (A) Surprise
- ~~✓~~ (B) Astonish
- ~~✓~~ (C) Nonplus
- ~~✓~~ (D) Bore

negative sense

90%

40%



# VOCABULARY

Q9. Find the antonym of **stagger**

0:20

Synonyms

(A) Lurch

(B) Reel ✓

(C) Stay ✓

(D) Shake

# VOCABULARY

Q10. Find the antonym of  
**stupefy**

0:20

~~(A) Daze~~

**(B) Enliven**

~~(C) Deaden~~

~~(D) Dull~~

Dead end



# Time for ONE WORD

# VOCABULARY

*Repaired*

**Q11. The study or collection of  
coins**

**0:20**

- (1) nymphomania
- (2) numismatics
- (3) numerology
- (4) numeric

# VOCABULARY

Q12. One who hates women

~~(1)~~ misogynist

(2) misanthrope

(3) feminist

(4) effeminate

0:20

human

# VOCABULARY

**Q13. A list of books available  
in a library**

- (1) catalogue
- (2) bibliography
- (3) backlist
- (4) index

**0:20**

Aero — ~~height~~

# VOCABULARY

Q14. One who performs  
daring gymnastic feats

0:20

- (1) athlete
- (2) juggler
- (3) acrobat
- (4) conjuror



# VOCABULARY

Q15. An office with a salary but no work

(1) honorary

*work with no pay.*

~~(2) sinecure~~

(3) insolvent

(4) sinuous

*very twisted*

0:20



# Time for IDIOMS

# VOCABULARY

0:20

*Repeat*  
Q16. **at the eleventh hour**

- (1) too late
- (2) too early
- (3) immediately
- ~~(4) at the last moment~~

# VOCABULARY

0:20

Q17. **to burn one's fingers**

(1) to get hurt physically.

(2) to suffer financial losses

(3) to find work

(4) to suffer nervous breakdown

# VOCABULARY

0:20

Q18. "If he does not perform his duties properly, I will **send him packing**," said the manager.

- (1) send him to packing department
- (2) give him a warning
- (3) serve him a notice
- ~~(4) terminate his services~~

# VOCABULARY

0:20

**Q19. to foam at one's mouth**

(1) to brush properly

~~(2) to get very angry~~

(3) to salivate on seeing food

(4) None of the above

# VOCABULARY **0:20**

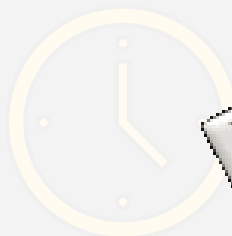
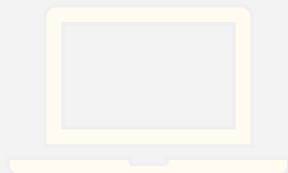
**Q20. to feel like a fish out of water**

- (1) disgusted
- ~~(2) uncomfortable~~
- (3) disappointed
- (4) homeless



# SO IT'S TIME

**Let's start**



# ARTICLE

learning

## A threat to residents from above

Overhanging cables in many areas of the city are putting lives at risk



Stick out

Rule

heith = togetherness

of = relation/  
belongingness



aerial

The Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation (Tangedco) is taking steps to bring the overhead power lines complain underground. But residents in various parts (A) of the city grumble about (B) the growing danger of overhead cables (C) with telecom and satellite companies (D).

Si

of

Rule

Number + Unit + Noun

(Use the above concept when there are more than one noun after a number)

3 thousands streets

Rule

A relative pronoun always takes a verb as per its antecedent.

crucial vital

Q2  
Thousands of interior (A)/ streets <sup>horizon</sup> crowded with iron poles (B)/, and their skyline is (C)/ cluttered with overhanging cables (D). The menace has become more pronounced in the past few years: several telecom and cable television networks have put up poles to carry their cables. These are in addition to the Chennai Corporation's street-light poles used for carrying cables.

are (crammed)  
clear/catchy. confused

The overhanging cables are an eyesore. They also pose a threat to residents.

Standard/normal  
disfigurement

T. Abishek, a resident of R.A. Puram, points out that with work-from-home being the norm, telecom cables have become indispensable for Internet link. But the civic body has to regulate the installation of (A)/ the poles and work out rules for the maintenance of cables (B)/ that hangs on avenue trees or (C)/street-light poles at most places(D).

Q3

Residents say the streets are already filled with overhead electricity lines and street-light poles and the installation of huge poles for carrying the telecom cables is adding to their problems because they are being erected without any regard for safety.

A senior Corporation official says the power to grant permission ('right of way') for laying underground Internet cables and television cables on arterial roads rests with the Bus Route Department.

And the Electricity Department will have to grant permission for stringing the cables overground through street-light poles.

The civic body grants the permission after collecting the annual track rent for using the street-light poles.

~~Tone~~  
~~Informative~~

~~Last days~~

# HOMework

- There are crucial decisions to (A)/ be made about the design of the currency with regards ~~to~~ (B)/ how it will be issued, the degree of anonymity it will (C)/ have, the kind of technology that is to be used, and so on (D).
- ~~NE~~ Many laws need (A)/ to be amended to make the digital (B)/ rupee a reality. So, while India might have (C)/ done exceedingly well in digital payments in recent years (D) - - - .





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**VOCABULARY**



1) Overhanging (noun)

आगे निकला हुआ हिस्सा—stick out/ stand out



2) overhead(adj)

आसमानी—aerial/ elevated/raised/suspended/projecting



3) grumble (verb)

गरजना—complain/ moan/ groan/ whine



4) menace (noun)

खतरा— danger/ peril/ risk/ hazard



5) crowded (adj)

जनाकीर्ण-throng/ pack/ jam/ cram/ fill

6) skyline (noun)

दिगंत-horizon/ midair blue/ firmament

7) cluttered (adj)

कोलाहल-chaotic/ confused/ disheveled

8) pronounced (adj)

स्पष्ट-catchy/ commanding/ conspicuous

9) eyesore (noun)

आंख का कांटा- mess/ scar/ blight/disfigurement

10) potential (adj)

साध्य- doable/ feasible/ practicable

11) pose (verb)

बनाना- create

12) norm(noun)

प्रतिमान- standard/ usual/normal

13) indispensable (adj)

अनिवार्य- essential/ crucial/ necessary/ vital

14) arterial (adj)

मुख्य मार्गीय- freeway

15) stringing (verb)

तार चढ़ाना- concatenating/ threading

Yesterday + today

HW

# HOMework

1. INSTIL (VERB):
2. ENCROACH (VERB):
3. EVASION (NOUN):
4. PERSECUTE (VERB):
5. GIGANTIC (ADJECTIVE):
6. RAVAGE (VERB):
7. TRECHAREOUS (ADJECTIVE):
8. SANGUINE (ADJECTIVE):
9. ORDAIN (VERB):
10. INSIPID (ADJECTIVE):



# UPCOMING ONLINE BATCHES

## August 2021

04 AUG 2021

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM

LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD  
(BANK PO & CLERK)

07:30 PM to 09:30 PM

LIVE PREMIUM SILVER CARD  
(SSC CGL & CHSL)

07:30 PM to 09:30 PM

LIVE CLASS COURSE  
(MATHS)

03:00 PM to 05:00 PM

LIVE CLASS COURSE  
(UP SI)

BILINGUAL

11 AUG 2021

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM

LIVE CLASS COURSE  
(TET & CTET)

05:30 PM to 07:30 PM

LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD  
(BANK PO & CLERK)

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM

LIVE CLASS COMPLETE COURSE  
(SSC GD)

BILINGUAL

18 AUG 2021

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM

LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD  
(BANK PO & CLERK)

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM

LIVE PREMIUM SILVER CARD  
(SSC CGL & CHSL)

BILINGUAL

25 AUG 2021

07:30 PM to 09:30 PM

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GREEN CARD  
(BANK PO & CLERK)

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