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# **THE HINDU**

## **NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS**

# **50 WORDS**

# **DAILY**

**MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY**

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

**2 AUG 2021**



Thought of the day.

“YOU  
ARE ONLY  
CONFINED  
BY THE WALLS  
YOU BUILD  
YOURSELF”



# TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS ✓✓**

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

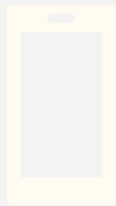
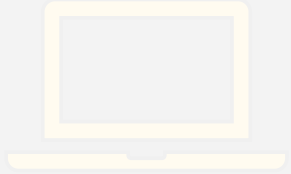
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- ✓✓ **VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE +  
ANALYSIS+ spotting errors (Hw)**

# LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE  
YOU  
READY??



# Time for SYNONYMS

(1-5) – *Similar meaning*





# VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the Synonym of  
**'Infusion'**

- (a) Assisting
- ☒ (b) impregnate
- (c) Aiding
- (d) Helping

*Support*

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# VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the Synonym of  
'Fragility'.

- (a) delicacy
- (b) Perquisite
- (c) Privilege
- (d) Duty

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# VOCABULARY

Q3. Choose the Synonym of  
'Apparent'

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- (a) Outweigh
- (b) Serve
- ~~(c) Visible~~
- (d) Assist

at stake = putting at risk.  
Stakeholder

# VOCABULARY

Q4. Choose the Synonym of  
'Stake'

0:20

- (a) Apathy
- ☒ (b) ownership
- (c) Impartiality
- (d) Enmity

# VOCABULARY

Q5. Choose the Synonym of  
**'Brewing'**

- (a) Blossom
- (b) Thrive
- ☒ (c) prepare
- (d) Prosper

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# Time for ANTONYMS

(6-7)



# VOCABULARY

Q6. Choose the Antonym of '**Norms**'.

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- (a) Devoted
- ☒ (b) exception
- (c) Inclined
- (d) Bent

Normal

# VOCABULARY

Q7. Choose the Antonym of '**Snowball**'

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(a) Denigrate

criticize unfairly

☒ (b) decrease

(c) Besmirch

— spoil

(d) Slander

→ defame

# VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the Antonym of '**Intervene**'

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(a) Condemn

(b) Ostracize

~~(c) ignore~~

(d) Embargo

*Exclude from a  
society.*



# VOCABULARY

Q9. Choose the Antonym of '**Unprecedented**'

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☒ (a) normal

(b) Spitefulness

(c) Malevolence

(d) Benevolence

} Hatred

} Love

# VOCABULARY

Q10. Choose the Antonym of 'Dividend'

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- (a) Comply
- (b) Contravene
- (c) Encroach
- ☒ (d) Liability ✓

Time for  
**ONE WORD**



# VOCABULARY

**Q11. Instrument that magnifies  
Objects**

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- (1) periscope
- (2) stethoscope
- (3) telescope
- ~~(4) microscope~~

# VOCABULARY

✓ Q12. Animals which live in water

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- (1) wild
- (2) domestic
- ✓ (3) aquatic
- (4) barren

# VOCABULARY

**Q13. The study of plant life**

(1) zoology

☒ (2) botany

(3) geography

(4) geology

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# VOCABULARY

**Q14. One who eats too much**

Idiom = to make a pig of oneself  
(Overeat)

(1) glutton

Gourmet

(2) obese

(3) overweight

(4) greedy

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# VOCABULARY

**Q15. . Existing only in the mind**

- ~~(1) imaginary~~
- (2) fallacy
- (3) gamble
- (4) missionary

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misconception



# Time for IDIOMS

# VOCABULARY

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Q16. a lame excuse

- ~~(1)~~ unsatisfactory explanation
- (2) good explanation
- (3) useless talk
- (4) ill feelings

# VOCABULARY

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Q17. at a loss

(1) expert

☒ (2) unable

(3) able

(4) defeat

# VOCABULARY

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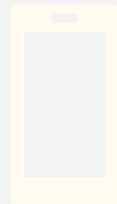
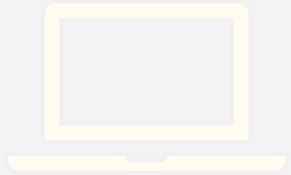
Q18. **in black and white**

(1) useless

☒ (2) in writing

(3) in short

(4) in full swing



# VOCABULARY

Q19. **stand by**

- ☒ (1) support
- (2) postpone
- (3) stand up
- (4) resist

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# VOCABULARY

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Q20. to give vent to

(1) cause trouble

(2) lose courage

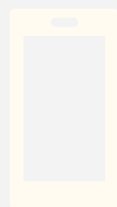
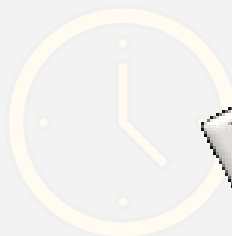
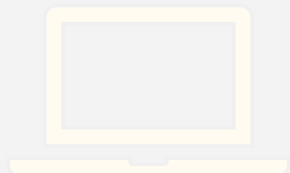
(3) circulate

~~(4)~~ express



# SO IT'S TIME

**Let's start**



# ARTICLE

## Elusive gold

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✓ *evasive / shifty*

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*Extreme Effort = zero result*

*blue in the face*

*pain.*

*start*

*known*

*higher / changeable hopes*

*injuring*

*Society*

*wrestling match.*

came from

with good scaps  
glislers

get hold of

inborn

victory

Badminton star P.V. Sindhu too joined the party, seizing her bronze after defeating China's He Bingjiao 21-13, 21-15 during Sunday's third-place play-off. Through their exploits Mirabai and Lovlina, hailing from Manipur and Assam, respectively, have revealed the rich sporting ability (shimmering) in the North-eastern States linked to the mainland through the chicken's neck above Bangladesh. Mirabai and Lovlina owe their triumphs to their innate strength and hard work besides the obvious support from family and the Sports Authority of India. With Sindhu, they have also reiterated women-power. Sindhu, who won the silver at the previous Olympics at Rio de Janeiro, had an exceptional run till she ran into Chinese Taipei's Tai Tzu-Ying in the semifinal and then made amends with a bronze.

retell / restake.



# Homework

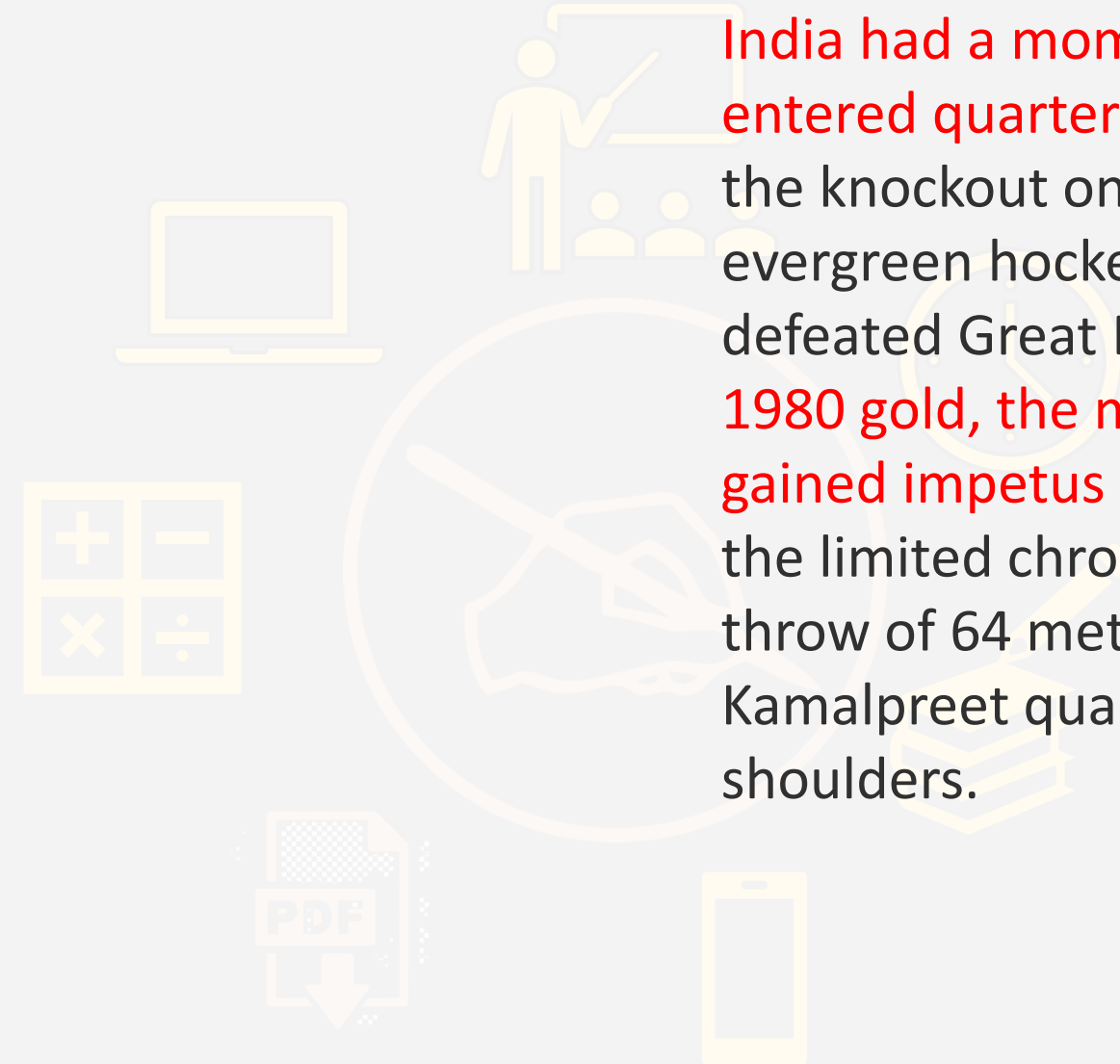


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India had a moment to savour when its women's hockey team entered quarterfinals. While a strong Australian outfit awaits in the knockout on Monday, the women will add to India's evergreen hockey-hopes that gained a fillip after the men defeated Great Britain 3-1 during Sunday's quarterfinal. After the 1980 gold, the men's quest winning another Olympic medal has gained impetus and the road ahead is tough but interesting. In the limited chronicle of good tidings, Kamalpreet Kaur's excellent throw of 64 metres in the discus throw event was a spark. Kamalpreet qualified for Monday's final and a lot is resting on her shoulders.

While these stirring events kept India afloat, there is also the litany of heart-breaks that included Mary Kom's loss in boxing, a fact the 38-years-old failed to initially admit following her **adrenaline rush**. The travails in shooting and archery did not add up to the original template of good form and resultant expectations. Shooters Saurabh Chaudhary and Manu Bhaker had their moments but they were not enough. The Games exert immense pressure as it is always about the athlete combining individual excellence with national pride. **Tennis champion Novak Djokovic failed to even win a bronze while gymnast Simone Biles withdraw from events citing mental fatigue**. It is never easy and the Indian contingent would vouch for that going into the second week.



*Makendra's*



# THE HINDU VOCABULARY





1) Elusive (noun)

हाथ न आनेवाला–evasive/ slippery/ shifty

2) feverish hopes (phrase) –

High hopes/ rising hopes

3) bruising (adj)

खरोंच–injure/mark/blacken

4) anguish (noun)

मलाल– agony/pain/torment/torture

5) Populous (adj)

जनाकीर्ण-congested/packed/jammed/crammed

6) familiar (adj)

जाना-पहचाना-close/ intimate/ dear

7) commenced (verb)

शुरू करना-Begin/ start

8) bout (noun)

मुक्केबाज़ी प्रतियोगिता- a wrestling or boxing match.



9) exploits (noun)

कारनामे- deed/ act/ adventure/ stunt

10) Hailing from (phrasal verb)

– come from/be born in/originate in

11) shimmering (adj)

जगमगाहट- sparkle/flash/glimmer/glitter

12) triumphs (noun)

विजय- victory/ win/ conquest

13) innate (adj)

जन्मसिद्ध- inborn/natural/inbred/congenital

14) reiterated (verb)

दोहराना- restate/ retell/ recapitulate



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## 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**

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**BILINGUAL**



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