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NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

50 WORDS

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MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

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LEAD TO
BEAUTIFUL
DESTINATIONS }
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TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

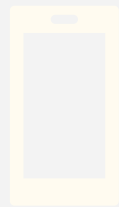
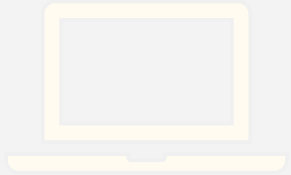
- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

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

- **VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE + ANALYSIS**

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

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Time for SYNONYMS

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Q1. Choose the synonym of
'Smattering'.

1. Numerous

✓ 2. Modicum

3. Sway

4. Tay

little

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VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of
'Rampage'.

→ without any artificial
characteristic

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1. Wild

2. Worried

3. Raid

4. Ravage — destroyed / devastated.

VOCABULARY

Q3. Choose the synonym of 'Pittance'.

Ques

very small

almost Nil / Trivial

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1. Nothing
2. Adequate
3. Amount
4. Pity

*(Idiom)
Chicken feed =*

Brutal, cruel, barbarous.

VOCABULARY

Q4. Choose the synonym of 'Bestial'.

beast-like

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1. Selfish ✓
2. Civilized ✓
3. Savage ✓
4. Humane ✓

VOCABULARY

Q5. Choose the synonym of

'Lambast'.

1. Lend
2. Cruel
3. Criticise
4. Praise

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~~Antonym~~

~~Synonym~~



~~Lambast~~

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Time for ANTONYMS

VOCABULARY

Q6. Choose the antonym of '**Desolate**'.

Option Elimination

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1. Miserable (-)
2. Gloomy (-)
3. Unhappy (-)
- ✓ 4. Joyful (+)

Sad
L ✓
English
(Easy)

VOCABULARY

Q7. Choose the antonym of 'Galore'.

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1. Aplenty ✓
2. By the dozen ✓
3. In short supply
4. To spare ✓

More than
Enough

VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the antonym of
'Recalcitrant'.

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1. Uncooperative
2. Amenable ✓
3. Intractable
4. Unmanageable

*easily
adjusted*

*Something
that is
hard to
deal with*

VOCABULARY

Q9. Choose the antonym of 'Tyranny'.

Monopoly

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1. Despotism
2. Absolutism
3. Autocracy
4. ~~Democracy~~

Answer

VOCABULARY

Q10. Choose the antonym
of 'Enervate'.

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1. Exhaust ✓
2. Invigorate ✓
3. Tire ✓
4. Fatigue ✓

Idiom (Live wire)
full of energy.

drained out of
energy

Shane



Time for ONE WORD

MTS

VOCABULARY

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Q11. A highly skilled musician

full of virtue

(1) artiste

(2) virtuoso ←

(3) performer

(4) diva →

a famous / celebrated
female icon

VOCABULARY

Q12. A method of boiling briefly to cook food slightly

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- (1) steam
- (2) bake
- (3) saute
- (4) parboil

VOCABULARY

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Q13. The group, ^{especially} ~~espeeally~~ in the arts, regarded as being the most experimental

avant

progressive

(1) avantgarde

(2) iconoclast

(3) revolutionary

(4) nerd

one who lacks social skills.

one who criticizes icons

VOCABULARY

Q14. One who helps people by giving them money or other aid

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- ~~(1) benefactor~~
- (2) beneficiary
- (3) tycoon
- (4) patriot

VOCABULARY

Q15. A policy that segregates people on the basis of race

(1) chauvinism

Gender Superiority

(2) theism

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Believer in
God / Religion

~~(3) apartheid~~

(4) partisan

↓
Strong supporter of a party



Time for
IDIOMS and PHRASES

VO CABULARY

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Q16. Our old Rolls Royce has become **a white elephant**.

- (1) a costly but useless possession
- (2) antique item or possession
- (3) any traditional possession
- (4) a unique item or possession

VOCABULARY

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Q17. Since the children were young, their parents have always taught them to **cut one's coat according to one's cloth.**

(1) be thrifty

(2) live life to the full

(3) live within one's means

(4) be fair

VOCABULARY

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Q18. The lawyer's closing arguments were full of **red herrings**.

- (1) sound judgement
- (2) references and allusions to previous crimes
- (3) clues intended to distract or mislead
- (4) loopholes

VOCABULARY

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Q19. With great difficulty, he was able to **carve out a niche** for himself.

- (1) became a sculptor
- (2) did the best he could do
- (3) destroyed his career
- (4) developed a specific position for himself

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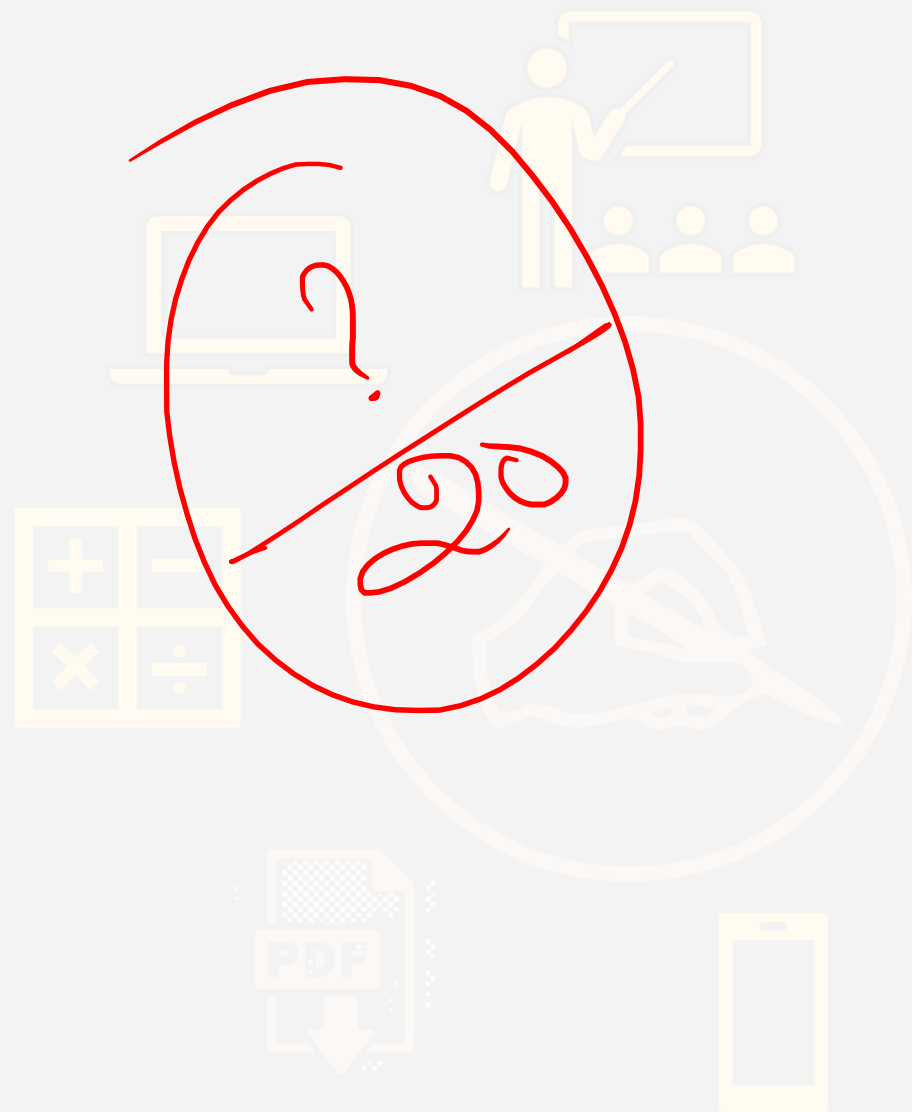
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Q20. You will succeed if you **follow my advice to the letter**.

- (1) about writing letters
- (2) written in the letters
- (3) in every detail
- (4) very thoughtfully

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

Needless escalationrise / accretionViolence in Lakhimpur Kheri will increase trust deficit between farmers and GovernmentShortage+ + + + +fleet / caravanmassacre / butcheryBlame game

The deaths of eight people, four of whom were mowed down by a vehicle that was part of the convoy of Union Minister of State for Home Affairs and BJP MP Ajay Kumar Mishra, in Lakhimpur Kheri in north-central Uttar Pradesh, marks an escalation of violence in a movement that has tried to remain peaceful. While the agitators and the BJP have traded charges on who is responsible, the incident has also worsened chances of a rapprochement between the farmers protesting against farm laws introduced last year and the Union government.

make badreconciliationrevolutionary

almost nil

Progress.

Suspended

(execution)

Suspicion

move

Tone

There has been little headway since January this year, when the Government agreed to a few demands and also promised to keep the farm laws in abeyance, and after the Supreme Court stayed their implementation. But the distrust between the unions representing the agitators and the Government has remained high, with the farmers refusing to budge from their maximalist position seeking a repeal of the three laws passed last year — the Farmers' Produce Trade and Commerce (Promotion and Facilitation) Act, Farmers (Empowerment and Protection) Agreement on Price Assurance and Farm Services Act, and the Essential Commodities (Amendment) Act.

cancel/call off.

asking



Mahendra's



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VOCABULARY

1) escalation (noun)

–accretion, accrual, augmentation, cumulation, rise, hike, advance, growth, leap

2) deficit (noun)

–shortfall, deficiency, shortage, undersupply, slippage, indebtedness, debt, arrears

3) mowed down (verb)

–butcher, massacre, slaughter

4) convoy (verb)

–group, fleet, caravan, company, line, procession

5) agitators (noun)

- revolutionary, revolutionist, subversive, prodder, prompter, provoker

6) rapprochement (noun)

-reconciliation, agreement, cooperation, harmonization

7) headway (noun)

-gain ground, progress, advance, proceed, move, get on, get ahead

8) abeyance (noun)

-suspense, remission, reserve, suspended, deferred, postponed, unresolved, undetermined

9) implementation (noun)

– execution, application, carrying out, performance, enactment, administration

10) distrust (noun)

– suspicion, wariness, scepticism, doubtfulness, cynicism

11) budge (verb)

– move, shift, give way, dislodge, remove, relocate, reposition

12) seeking (verb)

-assaying, attempting, endeavoring, essaying, striving, trying

13) repeal (verb)

- call off, cancel, drop, rescind, revoke

14) complacency (noun)

- self-satisfaction, self-approval

15) deport (verb)

- banish, exile

16) scrutinize (verb)

- survey, scan

vocabulary

1. SCANDALOUS (ADJECTIVE):

(अपमानपूर्ण): discreditable, disreputable,
dishonourable

2. ACQUIT (VERB): (बरी करना): absolve, clear,
exonerate

3. RETROGRADE (ADJECTIVE):

(प्रतिगामी): regressive, negative, downhill

4. PERSEVERANCE (NOUN): (दृढ़ता): persistence,
tenacity, determination

5. BANKRUPT (ADJECTIVE): (दिवालिया): insolvent
bankrupted, failed

6. RECURRENT (ADJECTIVE): (आवर्तक): repeated,
recurring, repetitive

vocabulary

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7. **RESUMPTION (NOUN): (पुनरारंभ):** restart, restarting, reopening
8. **LATENT (ADJECTIVE): (निष्क्रिय):** ~~dormant~~, quiescent, inactive
9. **FORGO (VERB): (त्यागना):** do without, go without, give up
10. **AFFLUENT (ADJECTIVE): (धनी):** ~~wealthy~~, rich, prosperous

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