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NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

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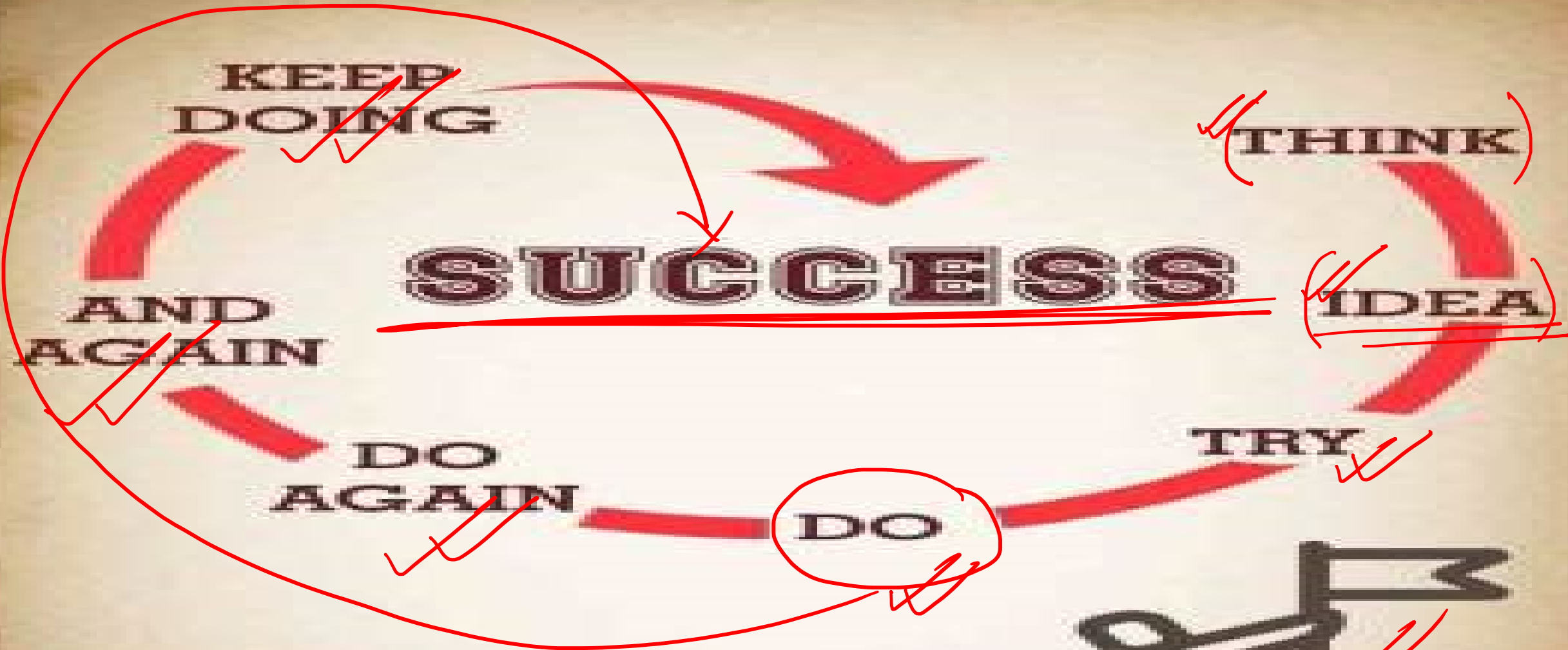
DAILY

MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

LIVE  **7:30 AM**

7 SEP 2021





TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

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

Keep revising

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

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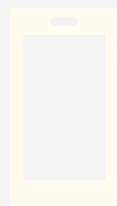
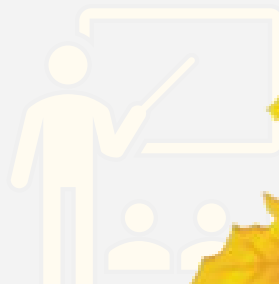
LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE
YOU
READY??



words

Time for SYNONYMS



VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the synonym of-
(My father always kept us on a tight **rein**.)

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1. Wait

 2. Restrain

3. Leave

4. Hold

VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of
The **gloomy** weather shows no
sign of improving.

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1. Happy
2. Cheerful
3. Optimistic
4. ~~Despondent~~

VOCABULARY

Q3. Choose the synonym of Sugar is ubiquitous in the diet.

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1. Nowhere
2. Rare
3. Scarce
4. Everywhere

VOCABULARY

Q4. Choose the synonym of
The light was too **murky** to
continue playing.

1. Bright
2. Dark ✓✓
3. Sunny
4. Clear

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VOCABULARY

Q5. Choose the synonym of
His health was impoverished
daily.

1. Rich
2. Poor
3. Wealthy
4. Fertile

Poverty

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dedonate.




Time for ANTONYMS

VOCABULARY

Q6. Choose the antonym of
The present **incumbent**
will soon be retiring.

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- 
1. Current
 2. Existing
 3. Past
 4. Present

VOCABULARY

Q7. Choose the antonym of
The **dismal** weather made
the late afternoon seem
like evening

1. Dingy
2. Gloomy
3. Dreary
4. ~~Cheerful~~

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✓ → Voc ✓

VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the antonym of Admission is **restricted** to members only.

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1. Limited
2. Curbed
3. Absolute
4. Checked

VOCABULARY

Q9. Choose the antonym of
It wasn't easy, but I
persuaded him to do the
right thing.

0:20

1. Dissuade

2. Induce

3. Force

4. Pertain

Syno

VOCABULARY

Q10. Choose the antonym of
The Earth is a specialized
conglomerate of organisms

1. Coalesce
2. Unite
3. ~~Split~~
4. Combine

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Time for
ONE WORD

VOCABULARY

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Q11. Not likely to be easily pleased

- ~~(1) fastidious~~
- (2) infallible =
- (3) fatalist =
- (4) communist

fast

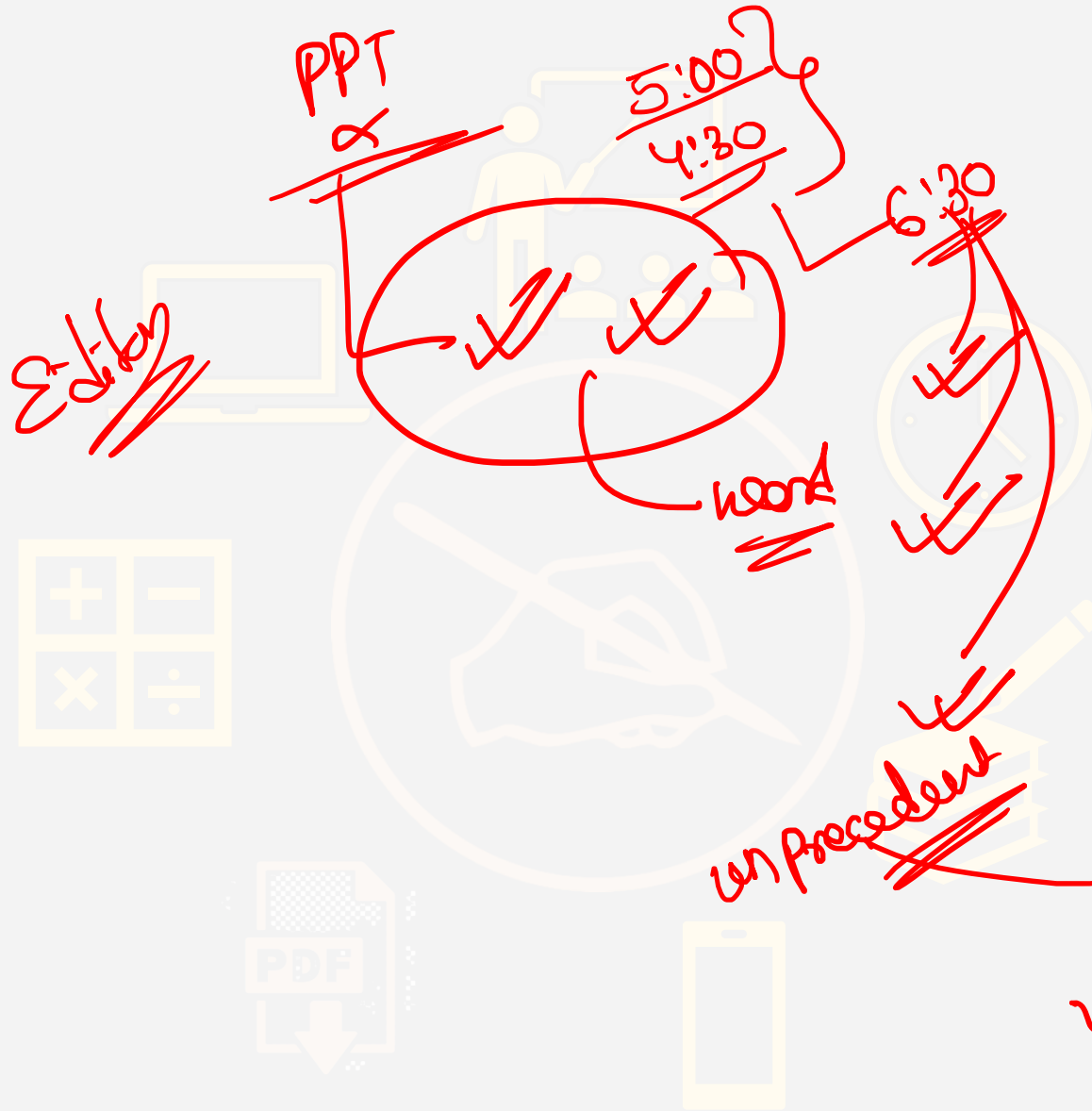
VOCABULARY

Q12. A speech made without preparation

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- (1) impromptu
- (2) unscripted
- (3) ad lib
- (4) extempore

without previous
prepar



VOCABULARY



Q13. Loss of memory

(1) amnesty

~~(2) amnesia~~ ✓

(3) dementia

(4) myopia

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VOCABULARY

Q14. A writing or a speech in praise of someone

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(1) ~~tribute~~

(2) eulogy

(3) accolade

(4) oration

reward/award

VOCABULARY

Q15. The art of beautiful handwriting

- (1) genealogy
- ~~(2) calligraphy~~
- (3) cartography
- (4) philology

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Time for IDIOMS

VOCABULARY

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~~Repeatably~~

Q16. **to get into hot water**

- (1) to have a hot bath
- (2) to keep warm
- (3) to get into trouble
- (4) to get drowned

~~Oration~~
↓
~~formal speech~~

Share Jars

VOCABULARY

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Q17. a wild-goose chase

- (1) run after a bird
- (2) a fruitful search
- (3) long pursuit
- ~~(4) fruitless pursuit~~

↓
beat about
the bush

VOCABULARY

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Q18. **took to her heels**

(1) bent down

~~(2) ran off~~

(3) kicked off her shoes

(4) rubbed her heels

VOCABULARY

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Q19. was plain sailing

- ~~(1) was very easy~~
- ~~(2) was complicated~~
- ~~(3) was competitive~~
- ~~(4) was uncomfortable~~

VOCABULARY

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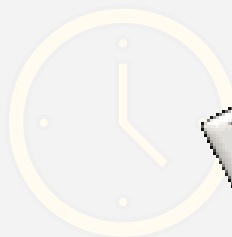
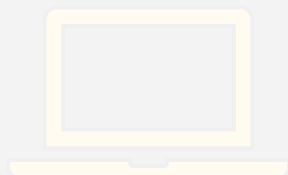
Q20. a bolt from the blue (-)

out of the blue (+)

- (1) struck by thunder
- (2) a piece of bad luck
- (3) a flash of lightning
- (4) ~~a complete surprise~~

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

Sukhet's villagers trade waste for wellness, get free LPG refills

Villagers who provide 20 kg of cow dung and farmyard waste a day for vermicomposting receive free fuel in a novel project in Madhubani district of Bihar

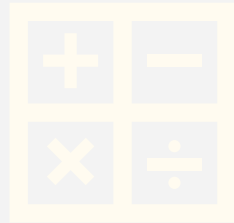
While the rising prices of LPG cylinders are pushing refills out of reach for most people, especially in rural areas, bucking the trend is Munni Devi, a mother of three sons and owner of three cows in Sukhet village in Jhanjharpur block of Madhubani district in Bihar.



Process to use earthworms to convert organic waste into fertilizer

exchange.

Unconventional/new crop land.



POU 8

toxic

Earlier, most of Munni Devi's time was spent over an earthen stove in a corner of her house. Fired with wood, crop waste and cow dung, the stove billowed noxious smoke into the house, leaving her ill and breathless. Every month she had to consult a local doctor for huffani (breathing) trouble.

Rampari Devi, in her sixties, and her daughter-in-law Lalo Devi too had similar stories of ill-health and visits to doctors.

Though they had LPG connections, the rising cost of refills put the cleaner cooking fuel out of reach.

But not any more.

last

In the last six months, the lives of these rural women has changed dramatically with the Sukhet model that allows them to get their LPG cylinders refilled every two months in exchange for cow dung and the farmyard waste.

Position
Tone - laudatory

one of its kind.

The unique programme, which was lauded by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in his latest episode of 'Mann ki Baat' on August 29, offers four-fold benefit to the villagers: it ensures a pollution-free environment at home, waste disposal, monetary assistance for LPG cylinders and availability of organic fertiliser to the local farmers.

Person behind the
idea

Today the mud stoves of Sukhet lie abandoned.
forsaken / deserted.

Man on a mission

Scheme/plan

The Sukhet model is an initiative by the Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University (RPAU) at Pusa in Samastipur district and the brainchild of Vice-Chancellor Ramesh Chandra Srivastava, a vermicompost enthusiast.

Lanatic



Makendra's



THE HINDU
VOCABULARY

1) Farmyard (noun)

–cropland, farmland, estate, farm, grange, ranch
farmhouse, hacienda, manor, plantation

2) vermicomposting (noun) –

the use of earthworms to convert organic waste into
fertilizer.

3) novel (phrasal verb)

–new, unconventional, off-center, unprecedented

4) bucking (verb)

– resist, oppose, contradict, defy



5) billowed (verb)

-pour, flow, swirl, spiral, roll, undulate, eddy



6) noxious (adj)

-poisonous, toxic, deadly, virulent, harmful, dangerous, pernicious



7) dramatically (adj)

-fast, dramatic, exotic, thrilling, exhilarating



8) assistance (noun)

-encouragement, helping hand, succour. in the sense of backing.

9) abandoned (adj)

– deserted, forsaken, cast aside/off, jilted, dumped, ditched, neglected, uninhabited

10) initiative (noun)

– plan, scheme, strategy, technique, manoeuvre, gambit

11) brainchild (noun)

– an idea or invention which is considered to be a particular person's creation.

12) enthusiast (noun)

-fan, fanatic, devotee, aficionado, addict, lover, admirer



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(SSC CGL & CHSL)

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10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD
(BANK-PO & CLERK)

BILINGUAL

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LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD
(BANK-PO & CLERK)

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LIVE MATHS INDIVIDUAL
(ONLINE LIVE CLASS)

BILINGUAL

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LIVE PREMIUM GREEN CARD
(BANK-PO & CLERK)

BILINGUAL

29 Sep 2021

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LIVE PREMIUM SILVER CARD
(SSC CGL & CHSL)

BILINGUAL

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