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You'll never be
brave if you don't
get hurt. You'll
never learn if you
don't make
mistakes. You'll
never be successful
if you don't
encounter failure.



MO ANAS CHAUDHARY 1 day ago

Render (verb) Syno...Relinquish deliver yield abandon discord.
Anto.....Misrepresent confuse distort.
Sentence....The committee was asked to Render a report on the housi
Amalgam(Noun) ...

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Mini Chaubey 1 day ago

Amalgam = mixture, combination

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Render = supply, give

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Khushi Gupta 1 day ago

Render:- to offer help to someone
Synonyms:- Give, provide, supply
Antonym:- hold, deny, hide
Sentence:- I had a chance to render some service to my country.

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AKSahu Vlogs 1 day ago

RENDER - Provide or give (a service, help, etc.)
AMALGAM - a mixture or blend

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Chandrika Gore 1 day ago

1. Render: (verb) to cause someone or something to be in a particular state; to change words different language or form; to give something such as a service, a personal opinion or expres a performance of a song or poem, etc. to people; to officially announce a decision or judgemr about something..

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Khushboo Mandal 1 day ago (edited)

1. Render- to cause somebody/something to be in a certain condition to give help, etc. to somebody
Synonym- forgive,give, provide,supply,offer, distribute
Antonym- misrepresent. confuse. distort. falsify...

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Muskan Rai 1 day ago

RENDER=PROVIDE OR GIVE
SYNONYMS=DELIVER, SURRENDER
ANTONYMS=KEEP , RETAIN

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SALEM UNIT ON STREAM



RACE IN CHINA FOR SURVIVORS



Oil leak stops as sinking ship stabilises off Mumbai

Come to the dialogue table Mamata tells Maoists

Games: 'guilty will be punished'

1. Insinuation (Noun)

Meaning: **an unpleasant hint or suggestion of something bad (an indirect or subtle hint)**

Synonyms: **Inference, Suggestion, Hint, Indication, Omen**

Antonyms: **Explicit statement, Clear declaration, Direct assertion**

Sentence: **The insinuation in her tone suggested that she didn't trust him.**

2. Clout (Noun) : अधिकार

Meaning: power, influence, or authority, especially in politics or business

Synonyms: influence, authority, power, domination, supremacy, command

Antonyms: powerlessness, weakness, subordination

Sentence: The CEO of the company has a lot of clout in the business world.

3. Stymie (Verb): रुकावट डालना

Meaning: **to hinder, block, or thwart someone or something from making progress or achieving a goal**

(-) Synonyms: **impede, obstruct, block, hamper, sabotage**

(+) Antonyms: **aid, assist, help, facilitate, promote, support**

Sentence: **The lack of funds has stymied the progress of the project.**

4. Overhaul : पूरी जाँच करके मरम्मत करना

Meaning: a thorough examination of machinery or a **system**, with repairs or changes made if necessary; to completely change a system so that it works more effectively.

Synonyms: upgrade, restructure, rebuild

Sentence: The company decided to overhaul its outdated technology to improve efficiency.

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5. Corroborate (Verb) : सत्यापित करना

Meaning: To confirm or give support to a statement or theory

Synonyms: Confirm, Verify, Substantiate, Authenticate, Validate

Antonyms: Refute, Contradict, Disprove, Deny, Invalidate

Sentence: The research paper included data to corroborate the author's conclusions.

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6. Convalesce (Verb): स्वस्थ होना

Meaning: To recover health and strength after illness; to recuperate.

Synonyms: recuperate, recover, heal, improve, rejuvenate.

Antonyms: deteriorate, worsen, relapse, regress.

Sentence: After being hospitalized for a week, she finally began to convalesce and regain her strength.

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7. Cinch (Noun): आसान काम

Meaning: something that is very easy and is therefore certain to be a success

Synonyms: breeze, snap, piece of cake, easy task, uncomplicated

Antonyms: tough, complicated, difficult

Sentence: The quiz was a cinch for the bright student.

8. To Have Full Hands (Idiom)

Meaning: to be very busy or to have a lot of work to do.

Synonyms: Busy, occupied, engrossed, swamped, burdened, inundated, overloaded

Antonym: Free, unoccupied, idle, leisurely

Sentence: I can't talk right now, I have full hands with this project deadline approaching.

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE



Find the correct one?

Antonym of **BRAZEN**

1. bashful
2. boisterous
3. noisy
4. Heated

Meaning : brazen means to be defiant or bold;
bashful means to be shy or timid

Solution : 1. Bashful



Find the correct one?

Antonym of **APPROBATE**

1. ingratitude
2. condemn
3. dissatisfaction
4. master

Meaning: to approbate means to approve or sanction; to condemn disapprove, or reject someone or something as worthless or unacceptable.

Solution: 2. condemn



Find the correct one?

Antonym of **INEPT**

1. cool
2. infer
3. competent
4. foolish



Meaning: inept means to lack competence, therefore competent is the opposite

Solution: 3. competent



Find the correct one?



Antonym of **WINSOME**

1. dour
2. Attractive
3. mysterious
4. clever

Meaning: winsome means cheerful and engaging; dour means gloomy or sullen.

Solution: 1. dour

Find the correct one?

Antonym of **SARTORIAL**

1. cheerful
2. sincere
3. inelegant
4. homespun



Meaning: sartorial means of or relating to tailored clothes; homespun means homemade
Solution : 4. homespun



Find the correct one?



Synonym of **PICAYUNE**

1. petty
2. spicy
3. paltry
4. southern

unimportant

Meaning: picayune means trivial or of little value; paltry means trivial or meager

Solution: 3. Paltry

Find the correct one?

Synonym of **INSOUCIANT**

1. Carefree
2. Worried
3. Anxious
4. Stressed



Meaning: Insouciant means being unconcerned or carefree, so its synonym is carefree (relaxed and happy, with no feelings of worry)

Solution: 1. Carefree



Find the correct one?



Synonym of **FIASCO**

1. festival
2. disaster ✓
3. happenstance
4. ceremony

Meaning: a fiasco is a complete failure or a disaster

Solution: 2. disaster

My **kith and kin** congratulated me on my brilliant success.

1. father and mother
2. friends and relatives
3. colleagues
4. niece and nephew

Solution: **2. friends and relatives**





Receiving his first award was **a shot in the arm** for him.

1. something that is painful
2. something that needs attention
3. something done with a purpose
4. something that gives encouragement

Solution: **4. something that gives encouragement**



Television has become **part and parcel** of our lives.

1. unavoidable luxury
2. An important part
3. obsolete part
4. status symbol



Solution: **2. an important part**



He was **all at sea** when he began his new job.

1. puzzled
2. sad
3. triumphant
4. happy

Solution: **1. puzzled**

1. Fear of being alone -
Monophobia
2. Killing of a monarch -
Regicide
3. The science of the universe-
Cosmography
4. Return of object stolen or lost -
Restitution

TODAY'S EDITORIAL TOPIC

Desperate for justice: On the issue of exploitation and India's medal-winning wrestlers

Wrestling needs to be rescued from its feudal culture of exploitation

India's leading wrestlers, especially women supported by their male counterparts, have again taken to the streets in Delhi. If the first protest was during the winter in January, the latest is happening in peak summer at Jantar Mantar. That both the biting cold and the searing heat did not diminish these athletes' determination to air their sexual-harassment grievances against the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) office-bearers, especially its president Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh, is a reflection of their trauma. It also reveals their sheer despondency as even the Oversight Committee led by Olympian Mary Kom set to clean up the system, has not yielded any results.

That three inconclusive months have lapsed since the first public complaint is another pointer to the inhumane reaction that often trails sexual-harassment allegations. First there is silence from people in authority, then there are furious denials, and third, insinuations are allowed to seep in about the victim's morality. Brij Bhushan may have stepped aside from the day-to-day functioning of the WFI but this sports administrator, essentially a BJP MP from Uttar Pradesh, has enough clout to stymie efforts to prise him out from the federation.

Wrestling harks back to India's rural heartland, especially North India, and is seen by sportspersons as an opportunity to escape the suffocating feudal atmosphere. The trust in a coach or official borders on blind devotion and this trait gets exploited. To not accept gender-violence as a sordid reality and to sweep it under the political-rivalry carpet does no good to Indian sport. This is not about the central government pitted against the opposition; it is about fairness in dealing with athletes. The Indian Olympic Association president, P.T. Usha, an icon for many, made it worse by stating that the athletes are tarnishing the country's image.

Be it Vinesh Phogat, Sakshi Malik or Bajrang Punia, who have led the protests, their quest for justice and desire for a complete overhaul of the WFI structure are genuine endeavours. The Supreme Court's directive that forced the Delhi Police to lodge a first information report against Brij Bhushan is a step in the right direction. More was expected from the larger sporting fraternity but with the exception of Olympic gold medallists Abhinav Bindra and Neeraj Chopra, the rest, especially the much-feted cricketers, have responded feebly. Kapil Dev and a few other players besides Sania Mirza voiced their concern through social media. But these remain the few volleys of resistance. India's medal-winning wrestlers deserve better.



1. Upsurge

2. Turbulent

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