

THE HINDU Editorial Analysis

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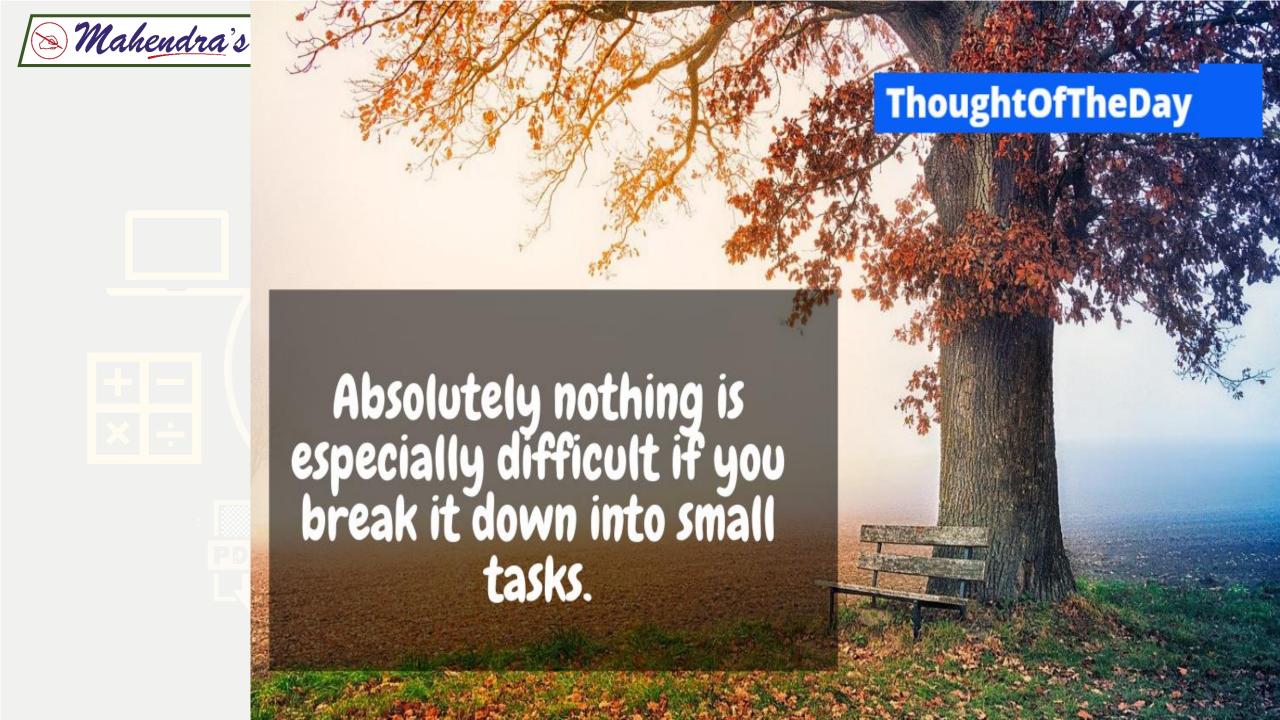
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GRAMMAR SKILLS





GRAMMAR SKILL - 1

After negative sentences, the question tag used should be in an ordinary interrogative form.











GRAMMAR SKILL - 2

After the connective 'because' the words 'so / therefore / as' are not used.



(a) Because he came late so he failed to see her.





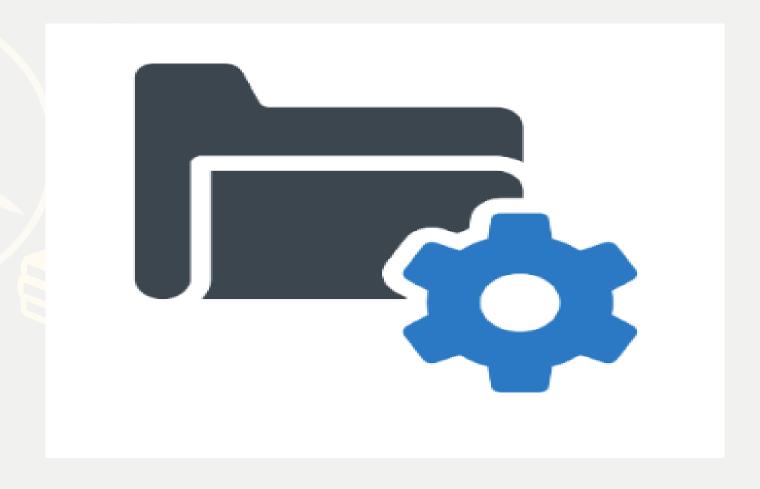






ARTICLE

In Sri Lankan crisis, a window of economic opportunity





In a recent interview with an Indian TV channel, the Sri Lankan Prime Minister, Ranil Wickremesinghe, touched upon a less-emphasised yet significant aspect of India-Sri Lanka relations the commonality between Sri Lanka and the southern parts of India. He even said he would "easily fit into Chennai or Kerala without a problem, while similarly people in the south can fit in here". This was not the first time that he has talked of forging closer ties between his country and south India. his second term as Prime Minister, Mr. During

Wickremesinghe while delivering a lecture in Chennai, in August 2003, called for the development of the south India-Sri Lanka sub-region as a single market that would provide more opportunities for the economic growth of both countries.

ARTICLE

In 2016, addressing the South Asian Diaspora Convention in Singapore, he highlighted the fact that the five Indian southern States, with a total population of 250 million, had a combined gross state domestic product of nearly \$450 billion; with the addition of Sri Lanka's \$80 billion GDP, the sub-region would have a \$500 economy, having an aggregate population of around 270 million. Mr. Wickremesinghe's latest observations should be viewed in the context of his idea of sub-regional integration. The present economic crisis in Sri Lanka has

pushed it closer to India for immediate relief.

ARTICLE

For the last few months, the Indian media's regular the crisis has led coverage better understanding and even created a sense empathy in India about the plight neighbouring country. India, as part of 'Neighbourhood First' policy, has extended support to the people of Sri Lanka in the form of aid (close to \$3.5 billion) to help secure Sri Lanka's food, health and energy security by supplying it essential items such as food, medicines, fuel and kerosene. The latest in the series was the signing of an agreement on June 10 between the Government of Sri Lanka and the Export-Import Bank of India for a \$55-million short term Line of Credit to facilitate the procurement of urea for paddy crop.





THE HINDU VOCABULARY



BYGONE (ADJECTIVE): (पुराना):

ancient

Synonyms: past, former

Antonyms: contemporary



SCOURGE (NOUN): (अभिशाप): affliction

Synonyms: bane, curse

Antonyms: blessing



COHERENCE

(NOUN):

(स्थिरता):

consistency

Synonyms: soundness, organization

Antonyms: incoherence



BONHOMIE

(NOUN):

(खुशमिज़ाजी):

geniality

Synonyms: conviviality, affability

Antonyms: coldness



LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS



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- 1. She was.....surprised at the news because it wasperplexing!
- (1) much, very
- (2) very, much
- (3) very, very
- (4) Much
- (5) very, too

Ans-(1)





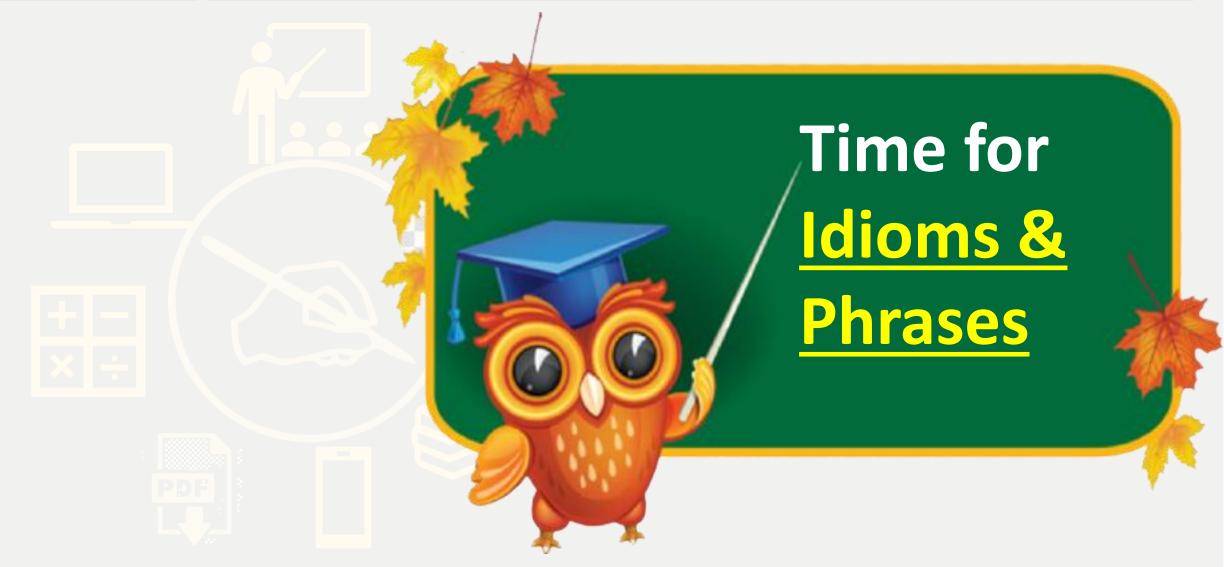


- 2. Sanjay is..... better today.
- (1) fairly
- (2) Rather
- (3) very
- (4) too
- **(5) Only**

Ans-(1)











A.real cause

B.to be puzzled

C.at enmity

D.at friendship

Answer: Option C







A.All the clothing

B.Without any belonging

C.Leave

D.With all one's belongings

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Answer: Option D





A. Everybody without

distinction

B. only rich person

C. Together

D. selected people









A. in full operation

B. unintentionally

C. Deliberately

D. aimlessly









A.By any means

B.To avoid taking sides

C.To relax

D.Feel uncomfortable



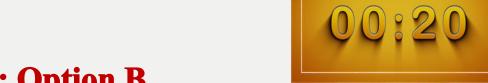


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- 8. He said, "I have often told you not to waste your time".
- A. He said that he had often told not to waste your time.
- B. He said that he had often told him not to waste his time.
- C. He said that he had often suggest to him not to waste his time.
- D. He told that he had often told him not to waste his time.



Answer: Option B

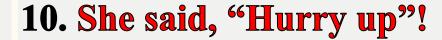


- 9. "Please don't go away" she said
- A. She said to please her and not go away.
- B. She told me not to go away.
- C. She begged that I not go away.
- D. She begged me not to go away.









- A. She told me to hurry up!
- B. She said that hurry up!
- C. She told me that hurry up!
- D. She did tell me hurry up!





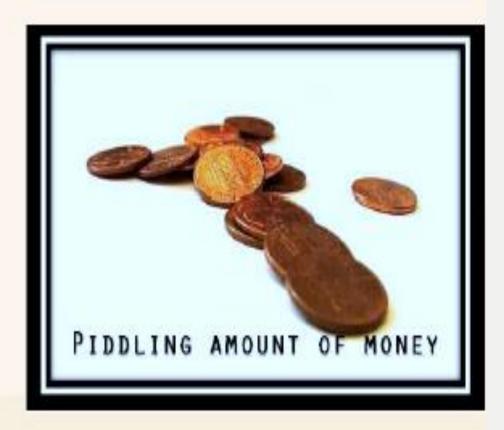


LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES





Piddling



Definition: small and unimportant



Infinitesimal



Definition: extremely small



Indomitable



Definition: not willing to accept defeat, even in a difficult situation





Home Work

I first met Santosh five years ago and have recalled

him.....

- (1) since
- (2) ever
- (3) ever since
- (4) then
- **(5)** New



Home Work Answer

- One who thinks or speaks too much of himself
- (A) Egotist
- (B) Optimist
- (C) Imposter
- (D) Enthusiast





UPCOMING ONLINE BATCHES





