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# ANSWERS

**Shuddering(Verb) : कॅंपकॅंपी**

**Meaning: Shiver, Quiver**

**Squandered : गंवाना**

**Meaning: To waste time, money, etc.**





# Well Done!



**Muskan Rai** 13 hours ago

Shuddering = excited , shaking , shivery  
Squandered =blown , destroyed , wasted  
thank u mam

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**Vaisnavi Singh** 13 hours ago

Shuddering:  
Shake or vibrate violently  
Synonyms: tremble , flutter  
Antonyms: steady, calm...



**Liza Sahu** 13 hours ago

Shuddering-vibrating  
Squandered\_waste in a reckless manner



**Pranju Singh** 48 minutes ago

1. Shuddering - trembling thrill violentl, vibration  
2. Squandered -waste., Miskay, lose

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**Sundar Singh** 13 hours ago (edited)

Shuddering --vibrate due fear or surprise  
Squandering --- wasting of money or time unnecessary



**Khushboo Mandal** 13 hours ago

1. Shuddering- Thartharana- to suddenly shake hard, especially because of an unpleasant feeling or thought.  
2. Squandered:- sa may, paisa barbad krna- to waste time, money etc.  
e.g.- She squanders her time on tv and computer games. ...

Read more

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**Mousumi Banerjee** 12 hours ago

Squandered:- Misuse, Waste, Misspend  
Shuddering:- Trembling, Throbbing, Tremulous, Quivering, Shivering

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**VOCABULARY**

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**LEARNING**

**CORNER**

THOUGHT  
OF THE  
DAY

You only fail  
when you stop  
trying.

**Proverbial(Adj.): कहावत**

**Meaning : Well known and talked about by a lot of people**

**Synonyms: Familiar , Axiomatic**

**Antonyms: Unknown , Different**

**Sentence: Like the proverbial tortoise, it must win the race in the end.**

**Heinous(Adj.): अतिदुष्ट**

**Meaning : Utterly odious or wicked.**

**Synonyms: Evil , Atrocious**

**Antonyms: Admirable , Delightful**

**Sentence: They admitted to the most heinous crimes.**



**Decapitated(Verb):** सिर काटना

**Meaning :** To cut off a person's head

**Synonyms:** Decollate , Behead

**Antonyms:** Failure , Leaving

**Sentence:** The two young nobles, after a mock trial, were **decapitated** (November 1440)

**Tug(Verb):** खिंचाव

**Meaning :** To pull something hard and quickly

**Synonyms:** Wrench , Drag

**Antonyms:** Hold , Keep

**Sentence:** The little boy tugged at his father's trouser leg.





**Techie(Noun): तकनीकी विशेषज्ञ**

**Meaning : A person who is very knowledgeable**

**Synonyms: Greek , Technocrat**

**Antonyms: Technophobic**

**Sentence: The simulator that did, located down the hall, required at least one techie to run.**

**Heartstrings(Noun): मर्म**

**Meaning : In reference to one's deepest feelings of love or compassion.**

**Synonyms: Sentiments , Emotions**

**Antonyms: Halt , Refrain**

**Sentence: That movie really tugs/pulls at your heartstrings.**



**Strangled(Verb): गला घोंटना**

**Meaning : To choke to death by squeezing the throat**

**Synonyms: Throttle , Garrote**

**Antonyms: Free , Release**

**Sentence: He used a rope to strangle her**

**Whooping(Verb): खुशी या उत्साह**

**Meaning : To give a loud, excited shout**

**Synonyms: Massive , Immense**

**Antonyms: Little , Small**

**Sentence: The play was a whopping success.**



**Resilient(Adj.): लचीला**

**Meaning : Strong enough to deal with illness, a shock**

**Synonyms: Buoyant , Tough**

**Antonyms: Rigidity , Fragility**

**Sentence: Even my doctors were surprised at how resilient I was during and after treatment.**

**Slackening(Verb): सुस्त करना**

**Meaning : To become or make something less tight**

**Synonyms: Loosen , Relax**

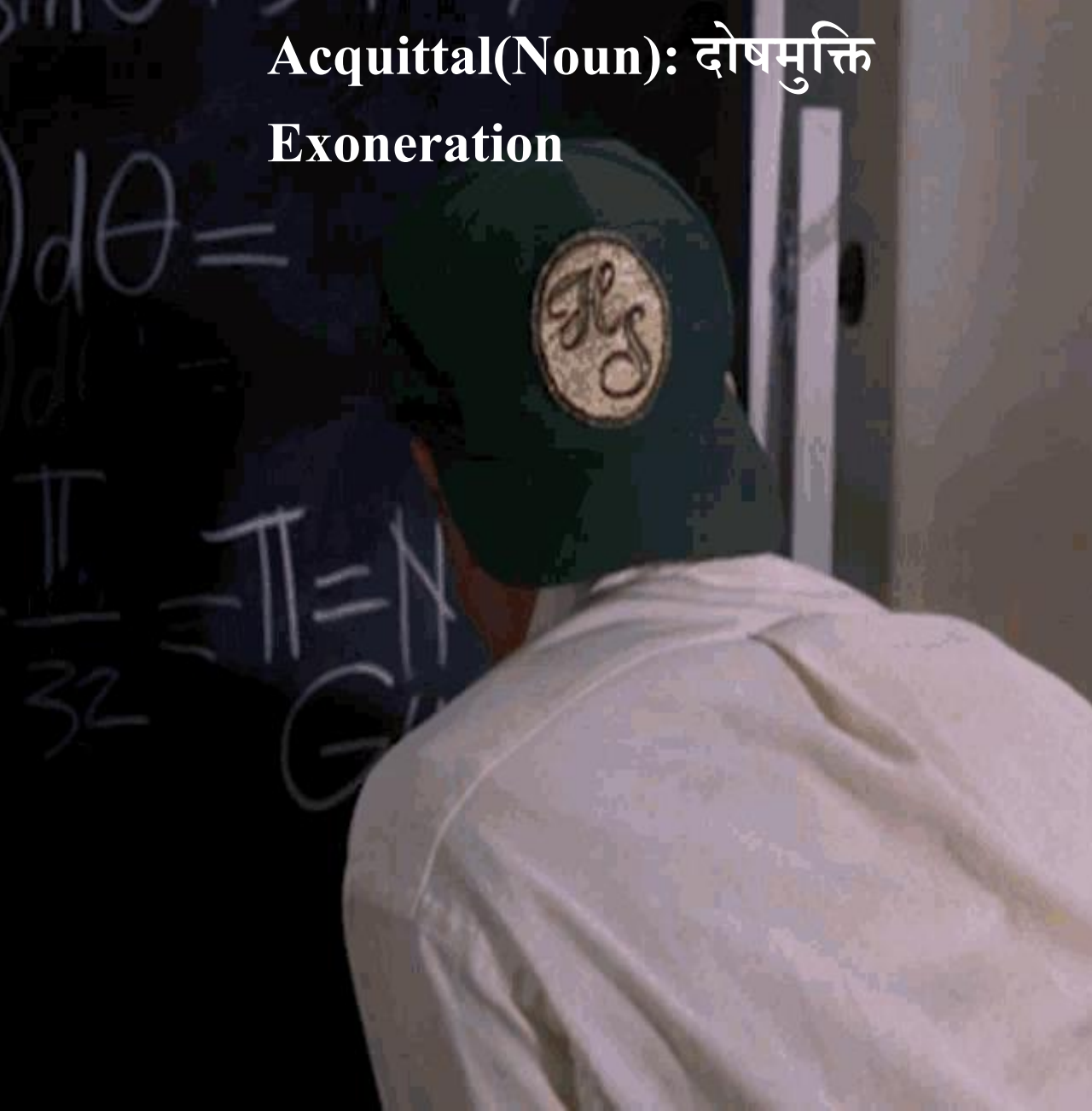
**Antonyms: Enlarge , Extend**

**Sentence: The rope slackened and he pulled his hand free.**





**Acquittal(Noun): दोषमुक्ति**  
**Exoneration**



**Alleged(Adj.): अभिकथित**  
**Unproven**



**Aggrieved(Adj.): पीड़ित**

**Resentful**



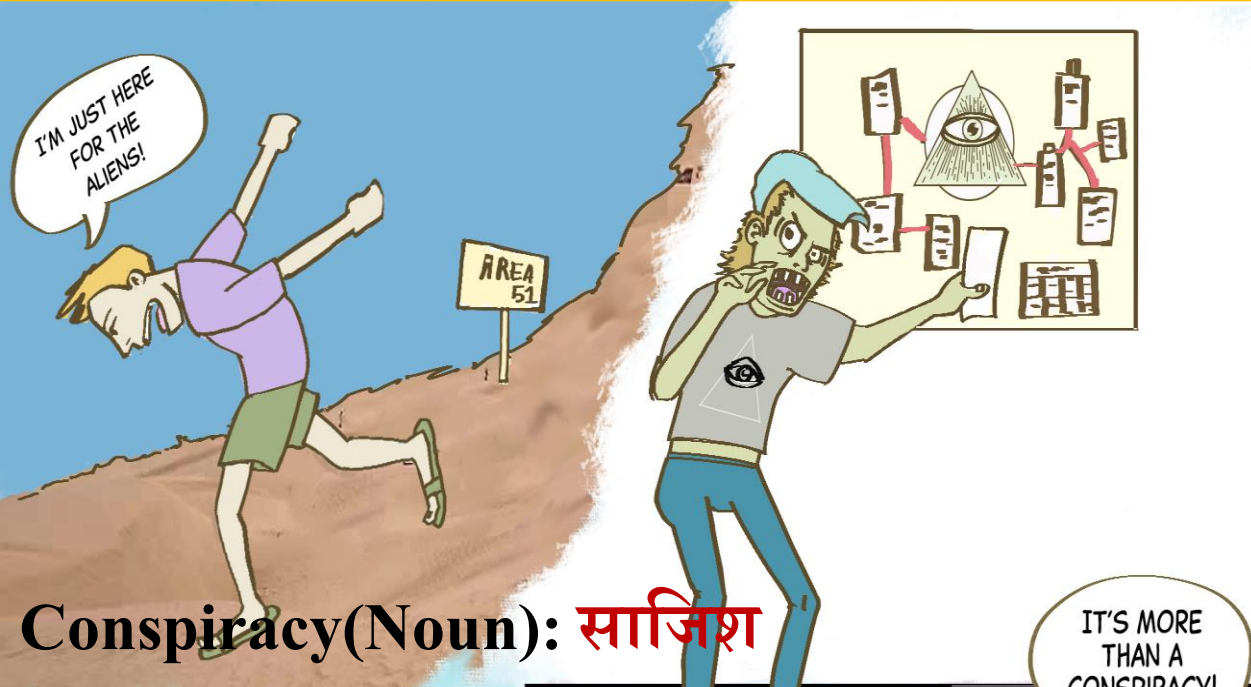
**Acquitted(Verb): अपराधमुक्त**

**Exculpate**



**NOT GUILTY**





**Conspiracy(Noun): साजिश**

**Intrigue**



**Maoist(Noun): माओवादी  
Comrade**







Prosecution(Noun): अभियोग पक्ष  
Pursuance

Cognizance(Noun): विचाराधिकार

DO

Awareness

NOT DO





**Interdicted(Verb): निषेध करना**

**Proscribe**



**Appellate(Adj.): अपील-संबंधी**  
**Appeal**





**Gone girls: On crimes against women**

**A zero tolerance approach to violence  
against women is the only acceptable course**



**Reported violence against women is the proverbial tip of the iceberg; it conceals more than it reveals. But what it reveals can sometimes shock the collective conscience of a nation, especially a heinous crime that plays out in broad daylight as an assault on a young woman. Last week's incident of violence in Chennai, where college student Sathyapriya was decapitated as a young man pursuing her romantically pushed her in the path of an oncoming train did no less tug at the heartstrings of the public. The incidents of violence against women in train stations in Chennai are following a nearly copycat pattern after Swathi, a young techie was murdered in 2016, in broad daylight by a man, who was again stalking her, in a railway station. In 2021, Swetha, a young college goer was murdered near a suburban train station by a man in a 'troubled relationship' with her.**

**In each of these cases, the inability of the stalker to accept the fact that his overtures were turned down by the girl directly led to the violence. Earlier this month, an eight-year-old girl in Delhi was kidnapped, sexually assaulted and murdered. In September, the bodies of two teenaged girls were found in Lakhimpur Kheri in Uttar Pradesh. Police said they had been strangled with a scarf and hung from a tree after they were raped. Only a few cases hit the headlines or make an impact on social media. Many more go unreported, the massive unseen underbelly of the iceberg.**

**In the chequered history of handling the many forms of violence against women in India, the horrific Nirbhaya rape of 2012 is a definitive milestone. It rocked the nation with such force that lawmakers rushed to strengthen laws, and put in place systems**

**and infrastructure that were meant to ensure such dreadful incidents are never repeated. However, according to National Crime Records Bureau statistics, a whopping 4,28,278 lakh crimes against women happened in 2021. These included rape, rape and murder, dowry harassment, kidnapping, forced marriage, trafficking, and online harassment. At this juncture, a decade later, it is pertinent to ask if the Government has rolled out all the strategies conceived of and fuelled by the Nirbhaya Fund. Speedy process of trial and resolution resulting in conviction of the accused is a casualty in courts that are flooded with pending cases. The Sustainable Development Goals underline the importance of building safe, resilient and inclusive cities from a gender lens. No slackening on the part of authorities is acceptable when it comes to dealing with violence against women; zero tolerance alone is acceptable.**



# HOMEWORK

**Comity            ?**

**Resurgent        ?**





# Prepositions of Direction

To refer to a direction, use the prepositions "to," "in," "into," "on," and "onto."

1. She drove to the store.
2. Don't ring the doorbell. Come right in(to) the house.
3. Drive on(to) the grass and park the car there.



# GRAMMAR

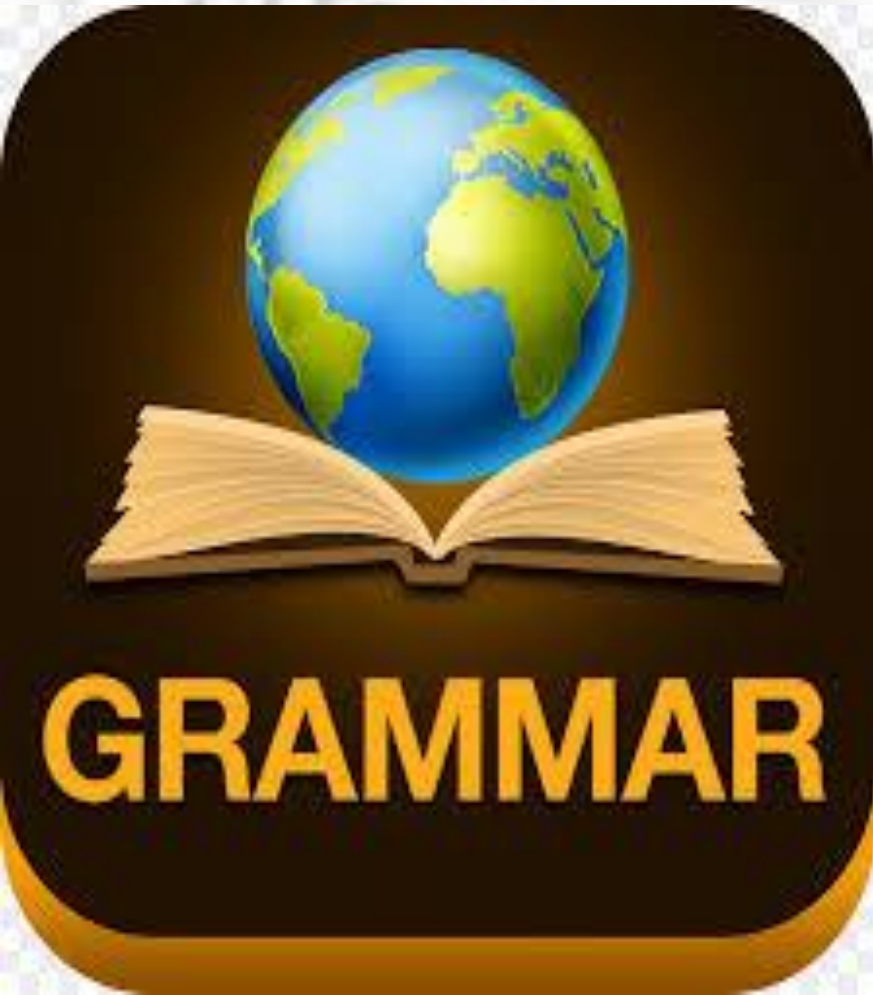
## Prepositions of Time

To refer to one point in time, use the prepositions "in," "at," and "on."

**Note :** Use "in" with parts of the day (not specific times), months, years, and seasons.

1. He reads in the evening.
2. The weather is cold in December.
3. She was born in 1996.
4. We rake leaves in the fall.





## Prepositions of Time

Use "at" with the time of day. Also use "at" with noon, night, and midnight.

1. I go to work at 8:00.
2. He eats lunch at noon.
3. She often goes for a walk at night.
4. They go to bed at midnight.

Use "on" with days

1. I work on Saturdays.
2. He does laundry on Wednesdays.

