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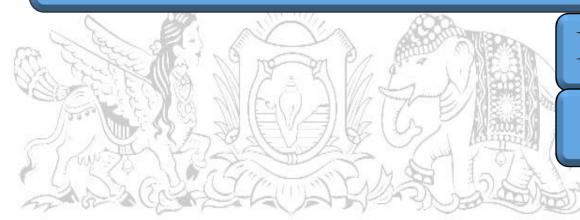


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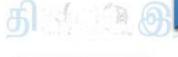


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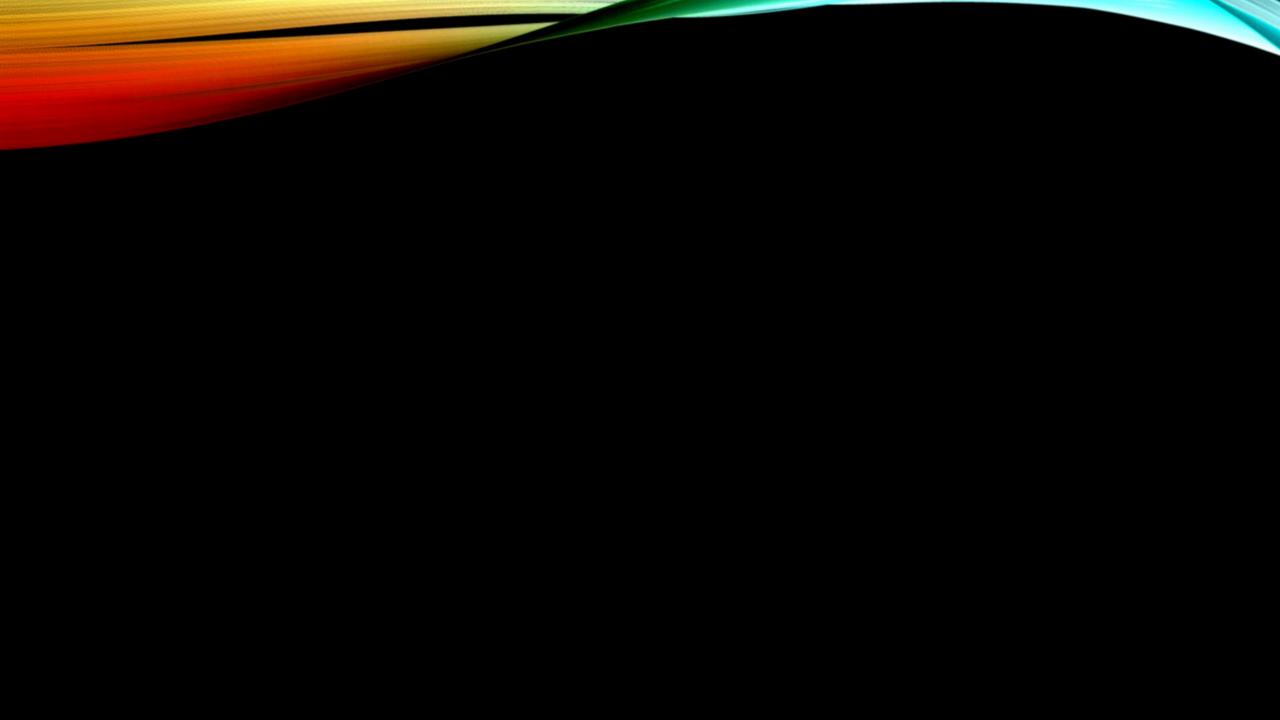
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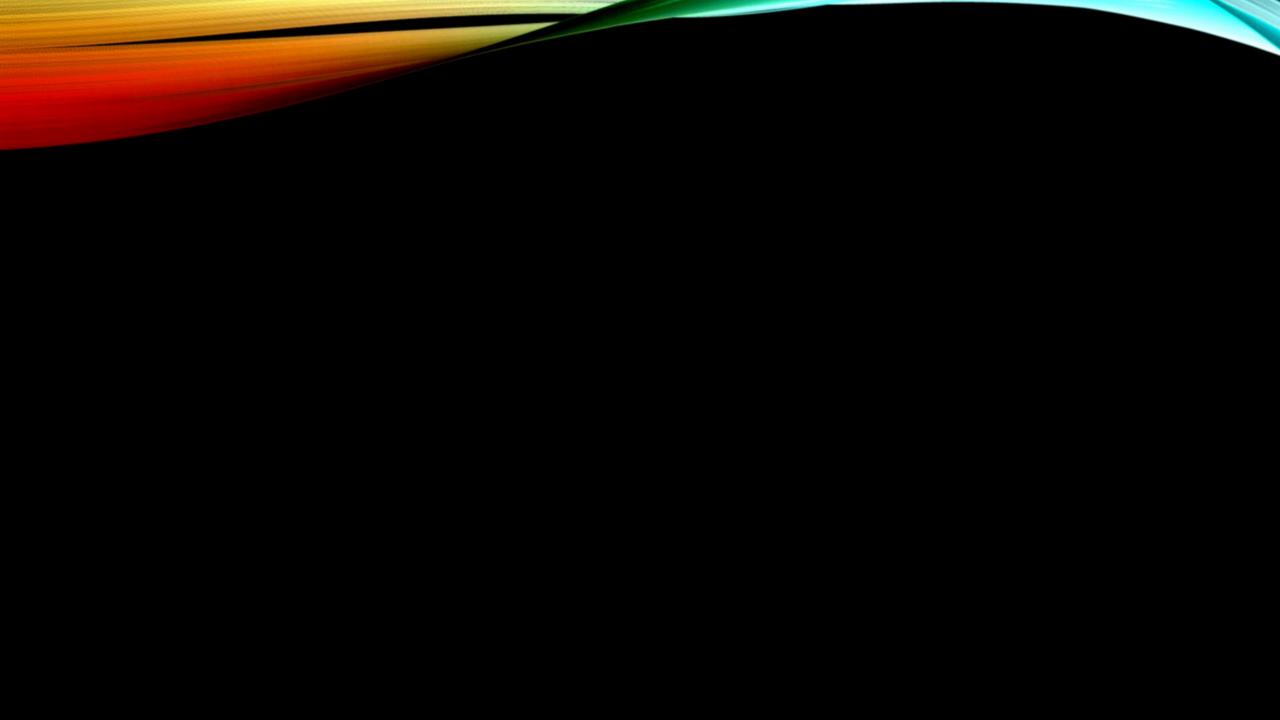
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# TODAY'S QUOTE

"Smile in the mirror. Do that every morning and you'll start to see a big difference in your life." —





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Spurt(Verb): तेजी से निकल जाना

Meaning: A sudden and short period of increased

activity, effort, or speed

Synonyms: Squirt, Flow

**Antonyms: Trickle** 

Sentence: There was a sudden spurt of activity in the

housing market.



Spike(Noun): नोकदार चीज़

Meaning: A piece of metal, wood, etc. that has a sharp

point at one end

Synonyms: Nail, Pin

Sentence: The top of the wall was lined with broken

glass and steel spikes to keep people from climbing

over.



Mortuaries(Noun): शवगृह

Meaning: A place in which dead bodies are kept until

burial.

**Synonyms: Morgue, Crematory** 

**Sentence: She was laid out in the mortuary** 



Containment(Noun): नियंत्रण

Meaning: The act, process, or means of keeping

something within limits.

**Synonyms: Confinement, Isolation** 

**Antonyms: Indiscipline, Unrestraint** 

Sentence: The government needs to adopt a

containment strategy.



Swathe(Verb): लपेटना

Meaning: To bind, wrap, or swaddle with or as if with

a bandage

**Synonyms:** Enfold, Drape

**Antonyms: Untie, Unbind** 

Sentence: The nurse swathed the wounded soldier's

leg in bandages.



Reverberate(Verb): (ध्विन का) गूँजना

Meaning: (of sound) to continue to be heard; to echo

repeatedly

Synonyms: Resonate, Vibrate

Sentence: The loud music reverberated off the walls.



Inevitable(Adj.): अनिवार्य

Meaning: Certain to happen and unable to be avoided

or prevented

Synonyms: Inescapable, Inexorable

Antonyms: Avoidable, uncertain

Sentence: The accident was the inevitable

consequence/result/outcome of carelessness.



Efficacious(Adj.): प्रभावशाली

Meaning: Capable of having the desired result or

**effect** 

**Synonyms: Effective, Productive** 

Antonyms: Impotent, Incapable

Sentence: They resort to any and every agent which

has been proved efficacious, whether it be vegetable or

mineral.



Curbs(Verb): नियंत्रण रखना

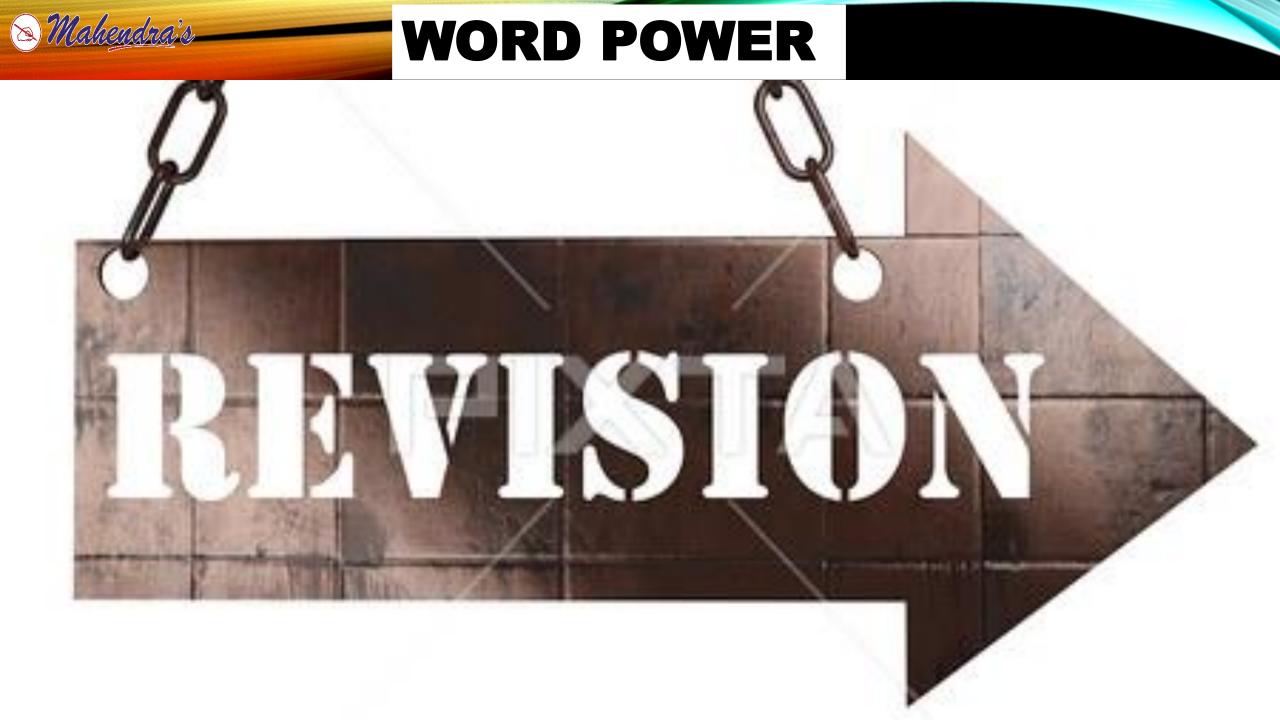
**Meaning:** To limit or control something, especially

something bad

**Synonyms: Limitation, Restrain** 

Antonyms: Loosen, Liberate

Sentence: You must curb your extravagant tastes.





Synonyms of Dismay (noun): बेचेनी

Frustration

Gratification

**Encouragement** 

Disappointment



**Meaning:** Consternation and distress, typically caused

by something unexpected

**Solution: Frustration, Dissapointment** 



Antonyms of Debasement (noun): मानमर्दन

Virtue

Righteousness

**Debauchery** 

**Abjection** 



Meaning: The action or process of reducing the quality or value of something

**Solution: Virtue, Righteousness** 



Synonyms of Ruses (noun): चाल

Stratagem

**Tactic** 

**Ploy** 

**Gimmick** 



Meaning: An action intended to deceive someone; a trick

**Solution : All four** 



Synonyms of Moiety (noun) : आधा भाग

**Entire** 

**Part** 

Whole

Full



Meaning: Cach of two parts into which a thing can be divided

**Solution: Part** 



Synonyms of Xenophobes (noun): ज़ेनोफ़ोब्स

**Internationalist** 

**Nativist** 

Antiforeigner

**Comforting** 



Meaning: A person having a dislike of or prejudice against people from other countries.

**Solution:** Antiforeign



Antonyms of Abode (noun): निवास

Home

House

Residence

Office

Meaning: A place of residence; a house or home

Solution: Home, House, Residence





Antonym of Nefarious (adj.) : कुटिल

Wicked

Evil

**Sinful** 

**Decent** 



Meaning: (typically of an action or activity) wicked or criminal.

**Solution: Decent** 



Choose synonyms of Morsel (noun) : निवाला

**Nibble** 

**Mouthful** 

Chunk

Hunk



Meaning: A small piece or amount of food; a mouthful

Solution: Nibble, Mouthful



Synonyms of Usurpation (noun) : हड़प लेना

**Preemption** 

Seizure

**Takeover** 

**Detestable** 

Meaning: The unlawful taking or withholding of something

from the rightful owner under the guise of authority

Solution: Preemption, Seizure, Takeover





Antonyms of Licit (adj.) : जायज

Legitimate

Illicit

**Illegal** 

**Admissible** 

Meaning: Not forbidden; lawful

Solution: Illegal, Illicit





The riot fanned the flames of racial hatred even more.

- (A) to drive or ride around in something
- (B) exert strong pressure on someone.
- (C) to establish a particular mood or character for something
- (D) to make a situation worse

**Solution: Option D** 



Mr. Trump deleted his retweet on Tuesday after about five minutes, but not before the message sent to his 35 million followers <u>racked up</u> a big response.

- (A) avoid succumbing to difficulties, typically debt
- (B) to get a large number or amount of something
- (C) to stop talking and start
- (D) A way of asking what someone is thinking

**Solution: Option B** 



She's not going to make any friends if she walks around with a chip on her shoulder like that.

- (A) attracts the most attention and praise.
- (B) an angry attitude from someone who feels unfairly treated
- (C) to be in command; to have the authority to make decisions
- (D) to win a prize or competition very easily

**Solution: Option B** 



He also denied that he had tired out of playing second fiddle to Lionel Messi at Barcelona.

- (A) to move quietly and cautiously back to someone or something
- (B) A made up story hard to believe
- (C) To play a supporting or minor role in relation to someone else
- (D) withdraw from an undertaking

**Solution : Option C** 



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