



 ***Mahendra's***

THE HINDU

Editorial Analysis

Grammar

Reading Skills

Vocab

Spoken English

BANK / SSC / UPSC / STATE EXAMS

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Good Morning

Life cannot be
changed in a minute
but

Decision taken in a minute
changes everything in life
Always stay calm
before you Decide

GOOD MORNING





TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- i. GRAMMAR SKILLS**
- ii. THE HINDU VOCABULARY**
- iii. CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**
- iv. ARTICLE ANALYSIS**
- v. LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES**



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GRAMMAR SKILLS

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GRAMMAR SKILL - 1

Analyse The Difference Between

Award

VS

Reward



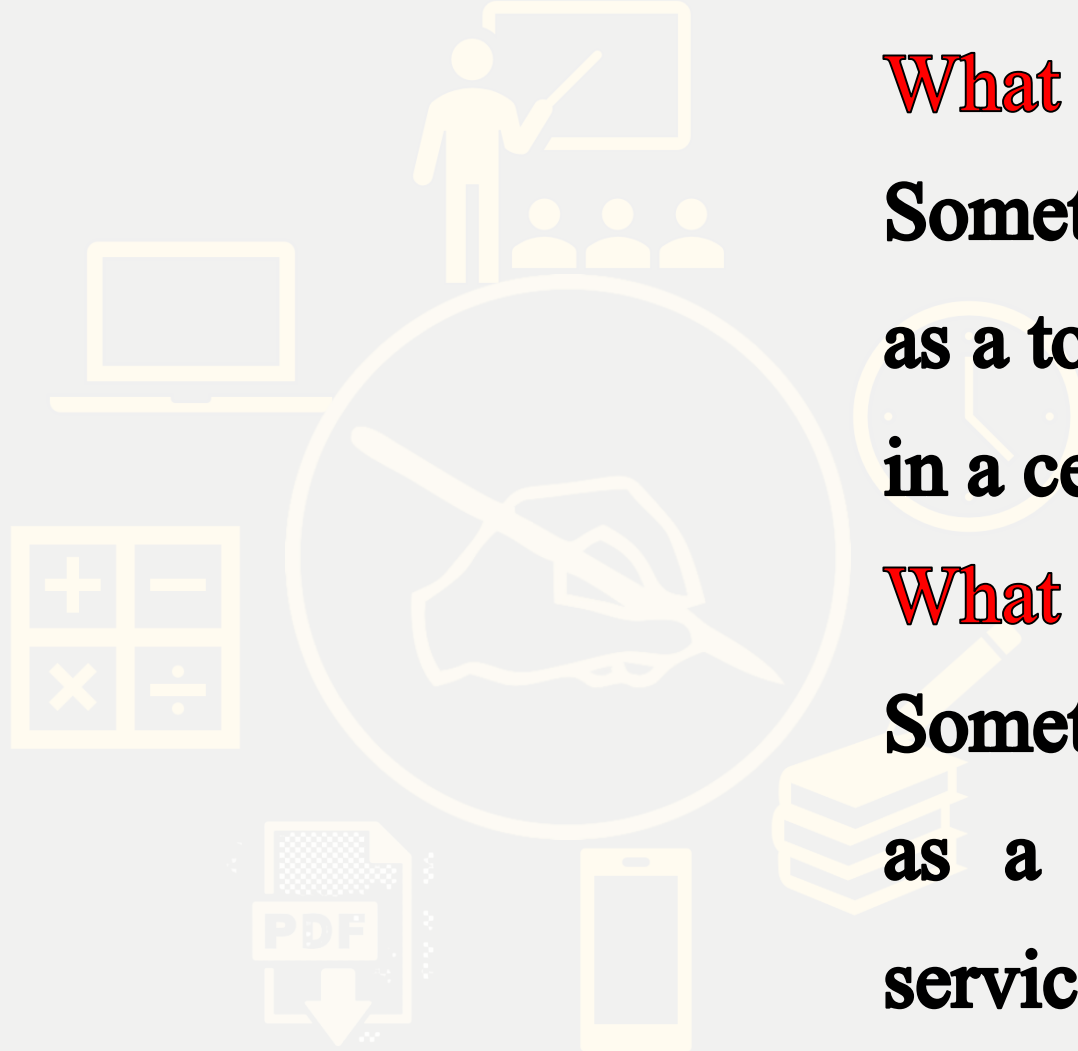


What is an Award?

Something that is given to a recipient as a token of recognition for excellence in a certain field is called an award.

What is the Reward?

Something that is given to a recipient as a token of recognition for their service, effort or achievement.





GRAMMAR SKILL - 2

‘Differ with’ and ‘Differ from’

When you differ with someone, you disagree with that person’s opinion or idea.

When you differ from someone, it means that you are unlike that person.



(a) The Science teacher differed from the English teacher on the boy's abilities.

(b) Mr Chan differed with his manager in terms of management style.





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THE HINDU VOCABULARY



The Hindu Vocabulary

IMPAIR

(VERB): (क्षीण करना): damage

Synonyms: harm, diminish

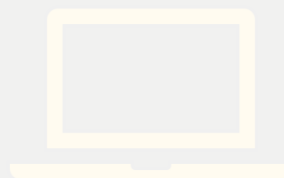
Antonyms: improve





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The Hindu Vocabulary

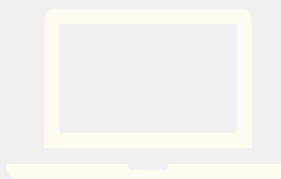
PROVOCATIVE

(ADJECTIVE): (उत्तेजक): annoying

Synonyms: irritating, exasperating

Antonyms: soothing







The Hindu Vocabulary

AMENABLE

(ADJECTIVE):(आज्ञाकारी): compliant

Synonyms: acquiescent, biddable

Antonyms: uncooperative





You got a job for me or what?



The Hindu Vocabulary

TENACITY

(NOUN): (दृढ़ता): persistence

Synonyms: determination, perseverance

Antonyms: irresoluteness







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LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

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1. **A place for housing aeroplanes.**

- A. Kennel
- B. Hangar
- C. Reservoir
- D. Fleet

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Answer: B. Hangar



2. Happening in three years.

- A. Quadrennial**
- B. Tercentennial**
- C. Triennial**
- D. Tercentenary**

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Answer: C. Triennial



3. A large quantity of cotton tied in a bundle.

- A. Bale**
- B. Ball**
- C. Anthology**
- D. Block**

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Answer: A. Bale



Time for IDIOMS



4. The party members have advised the President **to take it lying down** for a while.

- A. to be cautious
- B. to be on the defensive
- C. to take rest
- D. to show no reaction

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Answer: Option D



5. He struck several bad patches before he made good.

A. came across bad soil

B. Had a bad time

C. Went through many illness

D. Had many professional difficulties

Answer: Option D

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6. The teacher warned the student once for all that no mischief shall be tolerated in the class.

- A. authoritatively
- B. finally
- C. angrily
- D. coldly

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Answer: Option B



7. Sanjay was the real power behind the throne and all politicians were aware of this.

- A. The person who had the real control and power
- B. The acknowledged leader
- C. The person who controlled the monarch
- D. The person who advised the queen

Answer: Option A

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Time for SYNONYMS





8. **ALERT**

- A. Energetic**
- B. Observant**
- C. Intelligent**
- D. Watchful**

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Answer: Option D



9. **DISTANT**

A. Far

B. Removed

C. Reserved

D. Separate

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Answer: Option A



10. **ADVERSITY**

A. Failure

B. Helplessness

C. Misfortune

D. Crisis

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Answer: Option C



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SO IT'S TIME

Let's start





ARTICLE

Indians get largest share of key U.K. visas

India tops in sponsored study visa category, displacing China from the top spot





ARTICLE

Indian citizens received the largest share of U.K. student, skilled worker and visitor visas for the year ending June 2022, as per official data published by the British government. This data comes as British visa applicants have **faced severe delays** in the **adjudication** of their applications, **owing to** an increase in the number of applicants as travel recovers post pandemic and the **prioritization** of visas for Ukrainians. As per the data, 1,17,965 students received student visas in the year ending June 2022, up 215% from 2019. India has **displaced** China to become the country with the highest number of **sponsored study** visas in the U.K. for the first time since the year ending June 2011. Indian and Chinese nationals get just under half of all sponsored study visas.



ARTICLE

Indians received 1,02,981 work visas in the year ending June 2022, an 80% increase **compared** to the year ending December 2019, just before the pandemic began. Nigeria, the Philippines, Zimbabwe and the United States followed India (in that order) for work visas. Forty-six percent of worker (formerly, 'skilled worker') Indian nationals received 28% of visitor visas in the year ending June 2022, moving ahead of China, which was the largest **recipient** prepandemic. More than 2,58,000 Indians received tourists visas — but this was still down 50% from the 2019 calendar year. The largest fall over the same period was for Chinese nationals (6,12,495 or 95%)

ARTICLE

“India first again. I’m **delighted** that Indian nationals were issued the largest number of U.K. study, work and visitor visas in the year ending June 2022. More strength to the **unique living bridge** that connects our people,” British High Commissioner to India, Alex Ellis, said in a statement. “As this shows, we’re experiencing **unprecedented** demand for visas. I encourage students starting courses soon to apply as early as possible.” Mr. Ellis said. On August 12, he had posted a message on Twitter, apologizing for the delays and acknowledging that they were “causing a lot of problems”. In that message, Mr. Ellis had said Britain was training more people to work on visa applications and keeping open priority visa channels.



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LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES

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Egregious



Definition extremely bad

Usage The senator's misuse of money was an egregious violation of public trust.



Eccentric



Definition a person of unconventional and slightly strange views or behaviour.

Usage Geniuses may often be described as eccentric because they can see the world in a different way.

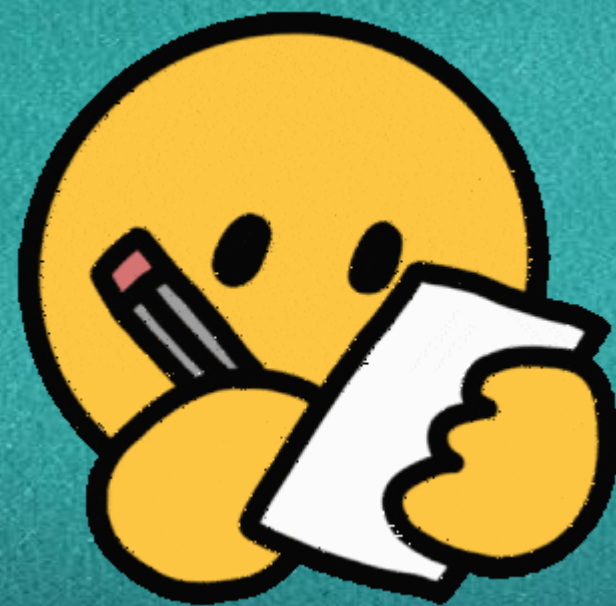


Ameliorate



Definition to make (something, such as a problem) better, less painful, etc.

Homework





Home Work Answer

The university will have to
shelve its plans for expansion
in view of present situation

- A. cancel
- B. discuss
- C. reconsider
- D. **postpone**



Home Work

He visits the doctor **off and on**.

- A. everyday
- B. regularly
- C. never at all
- D. occasionally

