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WORDS

IDIOMS

PHRASAL VERBS

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&

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TOPICS TO BE COVERED

- **EXAM-BASED WORDS WITH PICTURE**
- **ANTONYMS – SYNONYMS**
- **ONE –WORD-SUBSTITUTION**
- **IDIOM AND PHRASES**



WORDS WITH PICTURE



USURP

Parts of Speech : **Verb**

Meaning : To seize or take control of a position, power, or authority illegally or without the right to do so.

Synonyms : **Encroach** , **Wrest**

Antonyms : Relinquish , Abandon

Sentence : The ambitious executive was fired for trying to usurp her boss's position by spreading false rumors.



TWEAK

Parts of Speech : **Verb / Noun**

Meaning : **A small adjustment or modification made to something, often to improve it or make it work better.**

Synonyms : **Revision , Modification**

Antonyms : **Damage , Ruin**

Sentence : **The software update included several important tweaks to address user feedback and fix bugs.**



EXOGENOUS

Parts of Speech : **Adj.**

Meaning : **Originating or coming from outside or external to a particular system, organism, or entity. It refers to something that is introduced or derived from an external source.**

Synonyms : **Extrinsic, Imported**

Antonyms : **Intrinsic, Endogenous**

Sentence : **The doctor attributed the patient's illness to an exogenous virus that they likely contracted while traveling.**



PERMEATION

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **The act or process of permeating, which means to spread throughout or penetrate something, often with a substance or influence.**

leakage

Synonyms : **Seepage , Infusion**

Antonyms : **Insulation , Seclusion**

Sentence : **The gradual permeation of technology in everyday life has transformed the way we communicate and work.**



PROMULGATED

Meaning : **To make known or to announce something officially and publicly.**

Synonyms: **Proclaimed , Released**

Antonyms: **Muted , Hidden**

POS : **Adj.**

Sentence : **The religious leader promulgated the teachings of peace and unity to his followers.**



VOYEURISM

Meaning : the act of spying or secretly observing people engaged in private activities.

Synonyms: Peeping , spying

Antonyms: Discretion

POS : Noun

Sentence : The invasion of privacy and voyeurism is a serious breach of trust and legality, leading to criminal charges in some cases.



SWINDLING

Meaning : **deceiving or cheating someone, typically to obtain money, goods, or services dishonestly.**

Synonyms: **Duping , Deceit**

Antonyms: **Legitimacy , Integrity**

POS: **Noun**

Sentence : **The detective was determined to catch the swindler who had been preying on vulnerable seniors in the community.**



✓ SCOURGE

Meaning : **defensive walls or embankments that are built around a city, fort, or castle to provide protection against attacks.**

Synonyms: **Flagellate , Whip**

Antonyms: **Console , Praise**

POS: **Noun**

Sentence : **The locust swarm was a scourge to the farmers, devastating their crops and livelihoods.**

Person or thing
Causes a lot of
trouble/difficulty



SUFFRAGE ^{Voting}

Right to vote in elections

Meaning : **a formal expression of an individual's or group's consent or approval, often through voting.**

Synonyms: **Ballot , Polling**

Antonyms: **Oppression , Silence**

POS : **Noun**

Sentence : **The suffrage of the people was expressed through a democratic election in which the citizens chose their leaders.**



EPISTEMIC

knowledge and
the degree of its
validation

Meaning : knowledge, belief, or the study of knowledge

Synonyms: Cognitive , Rational

Antonyms: Emotional , Irrational

POS : Adj.

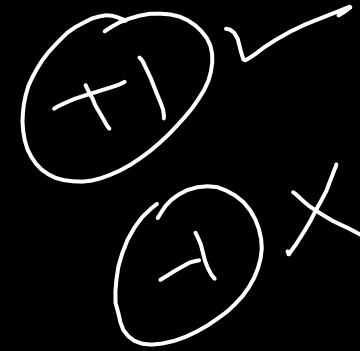
Sentence : The scientific method relies on empirical evidence and epistemic principles to validate hypotheses and theories.

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE





A picture paints a thousand words



1. A visual presentation is far more descriptive than words
2. Ready to, just going to
3. Without making any distinction
4. Considering everything



Bated breath ✓



1. A very mild punishment ✗
2. In anxiety, expectancy ✓
3. Having to start all over again ✗
4. In a backward and forward motion ✗



Cats and bull story

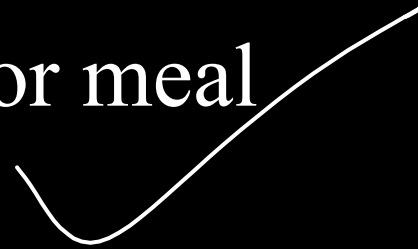


1. Untrue story
2. Verbally scold someone
3. Clearly stated, definite, apparent
4. Heavy rain



Fire and brimstone

1. Not frequent, unusual, rare
2. Highest priority
3. Fearful penalties
4. A very tasty food or meal





Foam at the mouth

1. To be enraged and show it *very angry*
2. Natural and simple
3. Get fired from the job
4. To be ready



Fear of death

1. Thanatophobia
2. Ophidiophobia
3. Ochlophobia
4. heliophobia





One who hates smoking

1. Misocapnist
2. Misanthrope
3. Effeminate
4. Misogynist





Irresistible craving for alcoholic drinks

1. Egomania
2. Dipsomania
3. Poriomania
4. Callomania



Murder of parents either father or mother or both



1. Patricide
2. Regicide
3. Mariticide
4. Parricide



Loss of the sense of smell



1. Anosmia

2. Alalia

3. Apyrous

4. Apyrous



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