

Mahendra's



VOCAB MASTER

For All Competitive Exams

WORDS

IDIOMS

PHRASAL VERBS



LIVE

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TOPICS TO BE COVERED

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



WORDS WITH PICTURE



MYSTIQUE

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **an air of mystery, intrigue, or fascination surrounding a person, thing, or concept**

Synonyms : **Aura, allure, charisma**

Antonyms : **plainness, ordinariness**

Sentence : **The old mansion on the hill had a mystique that inspired ghost stories and urban legends among the locals.**



BLITZKRIEG

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **A military strategy or tactic characterized by sudden, intense, and overwhelming attacks**

Synonyms : **Lightning war**

Antonyms : **gradual advance.**

Sentence : **During World War II, the**

German military employed the

blitzkrieg strategy to swiftly advance

through Europe, gaining territory at a

remarkable pace.



CONFIDANT

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

— Meaning : **A confidant is someone in whom you have complete confidence and trust.**

Synonyms : **ally, advisor.**

Antonyms : **betrayed, adversary**

Sentence : **A loyal confidant can be an invaluable source of emotional support during challenging times.**



SMACK

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **a sharp, resounding noise or the sound of something hitting or being struck.**

Synonyms : **Crack, snap, pop, clap.**

Antonyms : **Silence, quiet, hush.**

Sentence : **The smack of the ball hitting the bat echoed across the baseball field.**



IMPUTATION

Meaning : **assigning responsibility or blame for a particular action or outcome.**

exoneration

Synonyms: **ascription, assignment**

Antonyms: **exculpation, denial.**

POS : **Noun**

Sentence : **The imputation of success to hard work and dedication is a common theme in motivational literature.**



UMBRAGE

Meaning : a sense of suspicion or doubt regarding someone's actions or motives.

Synonyms: Offense, resentment

Antonyms: contentment, indifference.

Anger

POS : **Noun**

Sentence : She took umbrage at his comment, considering it a personal attack on her abilities.



INDENTURED

Meaning : **a person who is bound by an indenture or contract**

Synonyms: **Bonded, apprenticed**

Antonyms: **liberated, emancipated**

✓
free

POS : **Adj.**

Sentence : **The indentured servants had to work for several years to fulfill their contract and gain their freedom.**



REPUGNANT

Meaning : ^{Unpleasant} extremely distasteful,
offensive, or repulsive.

Synonyms: Abhorrent, revolting

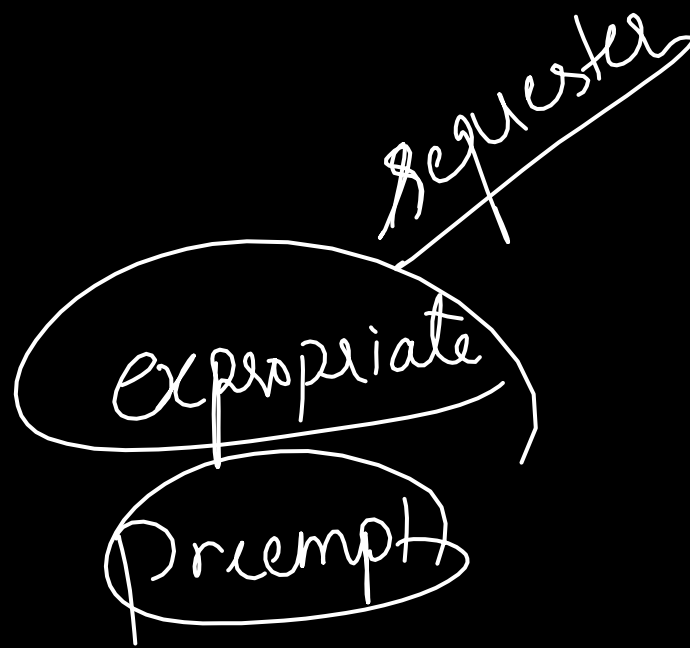
Antonyms: Pleasant, agreeable

POS: Adj.

Sentence : The use of child labor in
that factory was not only illegal but
also morally repugnant to most
people.



CONFISCATE



Meaning : to seize or take possession of someone's property

Synonyms: Seize, impound

Antonyms: Return, give back

POS : Verb

Sentence : It's against the law to confiscate someone's property without a valid reason or legal authority.



Grammar

Reader's

flatfish species

flounder

Muddle

lot of problems

FLOUNDER

Meaning : **a person or organization experiencing confusion or problems.**

Synonyms: **stumble, falter**

Antonyms: **flourish, thrive**

develop well

POS : **Noun , Verb**

Sentence : **She floundered in her new job, unsure of her responsibilities and how to handle them.**

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE





A slap on the wrist

1. A very mild punishment
2. Fair and honest
3. In the order of; on the authority of
4. Rushed and short on time

10 Questions
✓ (+1)
X (-1)





An iron hand

Rigorous / Overbearing control

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1. Acceptable, fine; yes, okay
2. Someone who is cherished above all others
3. Anything that is high up in the sky
4. By force ✓





Don't count your chickens before they hatch



1. Ready made form
2. Continuously, constantly
3. Don't rely on it until you sure of it
4. Something outstanding



Ever and anon

occasionally



1. Now and then
2. Every where
3. Not frequent, unusual, rare
4. Divided into two equal parts



Fuddy- duddy

Conservative / Dull in attitude
appearing



1. Should, ought to, be advisable to
2. To gamble everything you have
3. To become serious about something
4. An old-fashioned and foolish type of person



A person who acts against religion

1. Heretic → evil nature
2. Herd →
3. Iconoclast → Criticizes
4. Horde → troop / gang



One who hates smoking

1. Torrent → fast flow (water)
2. Termagant
3. Secular – not religious
4. Shoal → group of animals / Shallow area in^a sea / lake
river



An unconventional style of living

1. Cacography – bad writing
2. Bohemian
3. Contemporaries
4. Hypochondriac → worries extensively about their health



A person who is extremely knowledgeable about a particular subject

1. Expert ✓

2. Novice ✓

→ inexperienced / New →

3. Specialist

4. Rookie

new recruit)



One who does not express himself freely.

1. Ambivert

2. Extrovert

3. Introvert

4. Vertebrate



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