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TOPICS TO BE COVERED

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





Geriatric (noun) Meaning : an old person who is receiving special care Synonyms : elder, senior, senior citizen Antonyms: youngster, youth

Sentence : Who's going to elect a geriatric President?



Ravage (verb) Meaning: to bring destruction to (something) through violent action Synonyms: destroy, devastate, ruin Antonyms: fix, repair, redeem **Sentence : The forest was** ravaged by fire.



Gabby (adj.) Meaning: excessively or annoyingly talkative. Synonyms : talkative, chatty, loquacious Antonyms: laconic, silent, reticent Sentence : Jack became gabby on his favorite topic.



Cognate (adj.) Meaning: having qualities in common Synonyms: alike, analogous, comparable Antonyms : different, dissimilar, unlike

Sentence : German and Dutch are cognate languages.



Puny (adj.) Meaning: small and weak. Synonyms : diminutive, dinky, dwarfish Antonyms : large, massive, big Sentence: What a puny little creature!



Hanker (verb) Meaning : feel a strong desire for or to do something. Synonyms: yearn, crave, desire Antonyms: abhor, abominate, despise

Sentence: What did you hanker after most when you were in prison?



Burnish (verb)

Meaning : polish (something, especially metal) by rubbing Synonyms: polish (up), shine, brighten Antonyms: rough (up), roughen, ruffle

Sentence : She wished her to dust the furniture, burnish the coal scuttle, and clean the windows.

Allusion (noun)

Meaning : an expression designed to call something to mind without mentioning it explicitly; an indirect or passing reference. Synneynes: Treferennnittee mention of licenon entire former

President in its report.



Moribund (adj.) Meaning: (of a person) at the point of death. Synonyms: (of a person) at the point of death. Antonyms: dying, near death, near the end

Sentence : The patient was moribund by the time the doctor arrived.

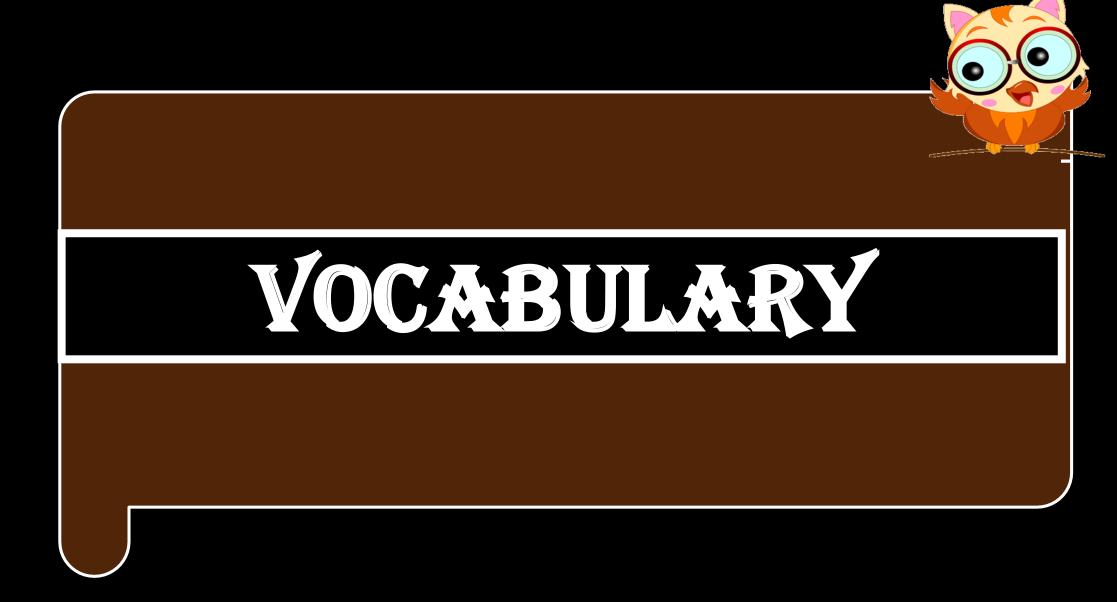




Food flux: On food costs and the October tidings Amid the cooler headline inflation, food price pressures pose a risk Life over death: On death penalty abolition and parliamentary panel report Abolition of the death penalty should form the core of any reform in the justice system









Flux - a state of continuous change Edibles - food items are suitable for eating **Swayed** - moved back and forth or side to side Tidings - news or information about recent events **Dissipate -** to cause something to disappear or scatter **Ebb** - the movement of the tide out to sea **Discretionary** - available for the use at the discretion or choice of the user **Resilience** - the ability to recover quickly from difficulties **Cramped** - uncomfortable small or restricted







An institution for the care of people who are mentally ill



- 1. Asylum
- 2. Cemetery
- 3. Arena
- 4. Cache
- Solution : Option 1



A large group of people



Posse
Horde
Herd
Shoal



A person who abandons his religion

- 1. Cartographer
- 2. Omnipotent
- 3. Apostate
- 4. Narcissist





Indefinite period of time



- 1. Aeon
- 2. Bonsai
- 3. Blizzard
- 4. Aesthetics

Beginning to exist and evolve

- 1. Veer
- 2. Nascent
- 3. Satire
- 4. Savour





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