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TOPICS TO BE COVERED

EXAM-BASED WORDS
ANTONYMS – SYNONYMS
EDITORIAL ANALYSIS



Parochial law: On Haryana's 75% quota to

locals in private sector

States need to implement labour rights

uniformly and not rely on protectionism

Alarming countdown: On net zero carbon

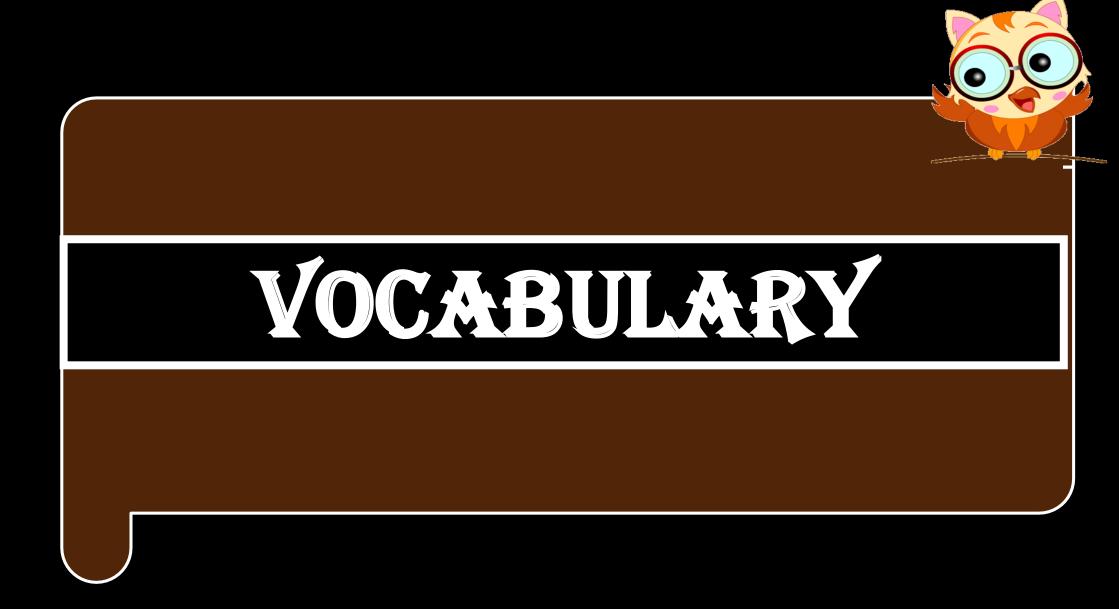
emission target

emissions

All nations must strive for net zero carbon







PAROCHIAL (ADJ.)

Meaning : Having a limited or narrow outlook, often restricted to local concerns and lacking awareness of broader issues. Synonyms: Insular, Restricted Antonyms: Global, Cosmopolitan

Sentence : She realized that her parochial attitudes were hindering her ability to appreciate different cultures.

PURVIEW(NOUN)

Meaning : The scope, range, or extent of something, especially the range of operation, authority, control, or influence. Synonyms: Ambit, Domain Antonyms: Constraint Restriction

Sentence : The issue is beyond the purview of this committee and requires specialized expertise.

PUN(NOUN)

Meaning: To make a joke exploiting the different possible meanings of a word or the fact that there are words that sound alike but have different meanings. Synonyms: (jest, quip) Antonyms: Be serious, speak plainly. Sentence: It's challenging to pun effectively in another language due to linguistic nuances.



INFRUCTUOUS(ADJ.)

Meaning : Unsuccessful; unproductive; not yielding the desired results or outcomes.

Synonyms: Vain, Futile

Antonyms: Effective, Fruitful

Sentence : Despite their best efforts, the negotiations proved to be infructuous, and

no agreement was reached.



GOBBLING(VERB)

Meaning : The act of eating or consuming food quickly and noisily, often with greed or enthusiasm. Synonyms: Devouring, Gulping

Antonyms: Savoring, Nibbling

Sentence : <u>He couldn't help but smile as he</u>

watched the puppies gobbling up their food

with enthusiasm.

PROTECTIONISM(NOUN)

Meaning: The economic policy or practice of

shielding a country's domestic industries from

foreign competition by taxing imports, imposing

quotas, or implementing other measures that

restrict international trade.

Synonyms: Isolationism

Antonyms: Liberalization, Globalization

Sentence : <u>Some countries employ protectionism</u>

to shield their farmers from competition with

lower-cost agricultural imports.



QUASH(VERB)

Meaning : To reject or nullify a decision or argument. Synonyms: Invalidate , Abolish Antonyms: Approve Validate

Sentence : Efforts to quash the rebellion

were met with strong resistance from the

opposition.



AKIN(ADJ.)

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Meaning : Having a similar or related nature. Synonyms: Allied , Kindred Antonyms: Dissimilar , Unlike

Sentence : Although they come from different cultures, their values are surprisingly akin.

9m? KNEE-JERK(ADJ.)

Meaning: <u>Reacting quickly and</u>

automatically without careful thought,

often in response to a situation or stimulus.

Synonyms: Automatic, Hasty

Antonyms: Considered, Thoughtful

Sentence: It's important to avoid knee-

jerk reactions and take the time to assess the

situation before making decisions.



LEGALESE(NOUN)

Meaning : technical language used in law

Synonyms: Legislative speak, Legislang

Antonyms: everyday language, Simplicity

Sentence : It's essential for legal

professionals to be able to communicate

effectively without relying solely on legalese

when explaining legal matters to clients.







Believed in

Verb + preposition

Meaning : had faith in something



Meaning : something is narrowly avoided or reduced

Get back to

Meaning : To resume an activity or task To return to a place





What is the tone used in the passage by the author?

- 1. Reflective
- 2. Critical
- 3. Dismissive
- 4. Praiseworthy



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