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WORDS

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# TOPICS TO BE COVERED

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



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# EXAM BASED WORDS



## DESIST

Parts of Speech : **Verb**

Meaning : **to stop or cease from doing something, particularly when it refers to discontinuing an action or behavior.**

Synonyms : **Abstain , refrain**

Antonyms : **Proceed , Persist**

Sentence : **The company had to desist from using unethical business practices to maintain their reputation.**



# MINNOWS

Minnow

Mini

Parts of Speech : **Noun**

Meaning : **Small, freshwater fish that are typically used as bait or found in streams and ponds.**

Synonyms : **Baitfish , Smelts**

Antonyms : **Giants**

Sentence : **Despite being considered minnows in the industry, the local businesses formed a strong network to support each other.**



# BEQUEATHED

Parts of Speech : Verb

Meaning : to leave or give something, typically property, assets, or a personal possession, to someone through a will or legal document after one's death.

Synonyms : Entrusted , Bestowed

Antonyms : Confiscated , Deprived

Sentence : In his will, the wealthy philanthropist bequeathed a substantial portion of his fortune to various charities.



# RAMSHACKLE

Parts of Speech : **Adj.**

Meaning : **a state of disrepair, dilapidation, or severe disorder.**

Synonyms : **Derelict , Decrepit**

Antonyms : **Sturdy , Robust** (strong)

Sentence : **The neighborhood playground had become ramshackle over the years, with rusty swings and broken slides.**





# BRISTLE

POS : **Verb , Noun**

Sentence : **The shaving brush had long, thick bristles that helped create a rich lather.**

**The cat bristled at the sight of the unfamiliar dog, arching its back and hissing.**

Meaning : **to react with anger, irritation, or strong emotion**  
**a short, stiff hair, similar to a bristle on a brush, or the stiff hairs on the back of certain animals that can stand on end when they are agitated or alarmed.**

Synonyms: **Recoil , Quill**

Antonyms: **Unclench , Softness**



## Foist (verb)

Meaning : to offer (something fake, useless, or inferior) as genuine, useful, or valuable

Synonyms: impose, inflict, fake

Sentence : Shopkeepers who foist shoddy souvenirs on unsuspecting tourists



## Parlous (adj.)

*Precautions*  
*uncertain*

Meaning : **involving potential loss or injury**

Synonyms: **risky, serious, dangerous**

Antonyms: **beneficial, harmless, safe**

Sentence : **Window washing can indeed be a parlous occupation on a skyscraper**



## Slumbered (verb)

Meaning : **to be in a state of sleep**

Synonyms: **napped, snoozed, slept,**

Antonyms: **rose, waked, aroused**

Sentence : **she slumbered for hours while  
the train rolled on**



## Trammel (noun)

Meaning : something that makes  
movement or progress difficult

Synonyms: obstacle, obstruction, hurdle

Antonyms: incentive, spur, stimulus

*Encourage*

Sentence : Students and parents who want  
to throw off the trammels of outdated school  
policies



## ✓ Append (verb)

Meaning : **to join (something) to a mass, quantity, or number so as to bring about an overall increase**

Synonyms: add, introduce, attach

Antonyms: **subtract, deduct, separate**

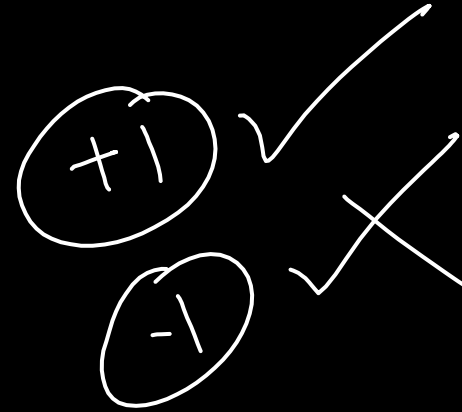
Sentence : I have append a list of those  
guests.

# TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE





## take the cake



1. especially good or outstanding
2. don't believe it is completely accurate
3. talk a lot
4. a situation involving fame or success





## the lion's share

1. stupid or foolish
2. a small part of a bigger problem
3. the majority
4. the third time is usually successful

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2pm Zero to hero  
Mixed Question





## to fancy someone

1. not making a fair statement
2. actual character or personality.
3. under my control.
4. to think someone is very attractive



## water off a duck's back



1. a past problem that ~~no longer~~ affects the present
2. a harmful remark that does not ~~affect~~ someone
3. show emotions openly
4. useless possession



The manager asked me to wear the pants while he was on leave.



1. Change clothes
2. Wear a pair of pants
3. Be in charge
4. Work hard



## Fear of Dogs

1. Gynophobia *women*
2. Cynophobic
3. Logophobia *words*
4. Thanatophobia *death*



An ability to copy the behaviour of a person



1. Mimicry
2. Annotate
3. Nutt
4. Knack



The use of irony to mock or convey contempt

1. Oxymoron X

2. Sarcasm

3. Acronym

4. Cliche

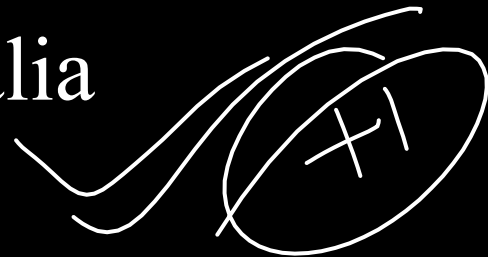




## Emblem of Royalty



1. Gregarious
2. Utopia
3. Plagiarism
4. Regalia







A person who loves dream

1. Anuptaphile
2. Chromatophilic
3. Oneirophile
4. Bonfire

love





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