



## THE HINDU

## EDITORIAL ANALYSIS

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## TOPICS TO BE COVERED

- **EXAM-BASED WORDS**
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## Time for action: On COP-28 climate meeting in



### Dubai

COP-28 must compel its signatories to take definitive action

A non-starter: On the suggestion for an All-

#### India Judicial Service

All-India service for judges may not ensure higher diversity





## VOCABULARY

### COMPEL(VERB)

Meaning: To force or drive someone to do something; to bring about through pressure or necessity.

Synonyms: Coerce, mandate, oblige

Antonyms: (Allow) Enable Sway, entice

Sentence: The teacher's enthusiasm for the subject compelled the students to engage in the lesson.



## INDIGENOUS (adj.)

Meaning: Native to a particular region, country, or environment; originating or produced in a specific place.

Synonyms: Inborn, Innate, Aboriginal

Antonyms: Exotic, Imposed External

Sentence: Many plants and animals in the area are indigenous to the rainforest and can't be found anywhere else.



## CONVERGE (verb)

Meaning: To come together from different directions or sources; to meet at a common point; to tend toward a common result or conclusion.

Synonyms: Concentrate, Collide, Coalesce

Antonyms: Scatter, Disperse, Divert

Sentence: Over the years, fashion trends tend to converge as designers draw inspiration from similar sources.

### STRIVE (verb)

Meaning: To make great efforts, work hard, or

struggle toward a goal.

Synonyms: Labor, Push, Slog

Antonyms: Abandon, Surrender, Give up

Sentence: Individuals who strive for continuous improvement are more likely to succeed in their endeavors.

## BOLSTER (verb boost

Meaning: a feeling of melancholy or yearning, often accompanied by a sense of longing or nostalgia for something that may not be attainable..

Synonyms: Reinforce, Strengthen, Sustain

Antonyms: Diminish, Deteriorate, Hinder

Sentence: He used statistics to bolster his argument during the debate.



### ONEROUS (adj.)

Meaning: Involving a burdensome or difficult task;

requiring a lot of effort; causing hardship or difficulty.

Synonyms: Weighty, Arduous, Cumbersome

Antonyms: Undemanding, Facile, Breezy

Sentence: The extensive paperwork made the application process for the grant onerous for the nonprofit organization.

#### CAVEATS (noun)

Meaning: A warning or cautionary note to prevent misunderstanding or to qualify a statement.

Synonyms: Warning Admonition Caution

Antonyms: Sanction, Recommendation, Support

Sentence: The investment advisor provided several caveats about the potential risks associated with the new venture.



# IDIOMS & PHRASES PHRASES PHRASES



### **INCH AHEAD ON**

Meaning: progress slowly or by a small amount in

achieving something

## MAKE GOOD ON

Meaning: fulfill or deliver on a promise or commitment

ACT ON

Meaning: to take action based on something



#### MAKE FOR

Meaning: to contribute to a result or situation

AGREE TO

Meaning:(acceptance)

Sit for

Meaning: to take an examination or test

## PREMISED ON

Meaning: Based or founded on a particular idea or

concept





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



- Enthusiastic
- Indifferent
- **Optimistic**
- **Informative**

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