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WORDS WITH PICTURE



1. BRAZEN(Adj.)

Meaning: Bold and without shame; shamelessly or impudently daring.

Synonyms: Audacious , Brash

Antonyms: Timid, Meek, Modest

Sentence: His brazen disregard for authority got him into trouble with the law.



Total breakdown of law and order in Manipur: INDIA team

The MPs request the Governor to apprise the Union government of the situation; silence of the Prime Minister shows his brazen indifference to the violence in the State; shocked and sad to hear stories of people affected by the violence, they say



2. SCAVENGING(Noun)

Meaning: The act of searching for or collecting discarded or leftover items, especially food or materials, in order to survive or utilize them.

Synonyms: Foraging, Rummaging

Antonyms: Wasting, Discarding

Sentence: Some animals are skilled at scavenging for edible plants and insects in their environment.





Ministry doubts app's
numbers on cases of
manual scavenging



3. RAMS(Noun)

Meaning: A heavy object used to break down doors or walls in ancient warfare.

Sentence: The ancient city's gates were reinforced with iron to withstand attacks from enemy rams.



Truck rams car, kills policeman in Punjabi Bagh; driver on run



The driver left the truck at the spot and fled, DCP (West) Ghanshyam Bansal said. SHIV KUMAR PUSHPAKAR



4. ERRANT(Adj.)



Meaning: Behaving badly in some way, especially by disobeying your parents or leaving home; not behaving in an acceptable way

Synonyms: Wandering, Wayward, Stray

Antonyms: Obedient, Directed, Focused

Sentence: The errant golf ball flew off course and landed in the neighboring fairway.



Traffic police teams double down on 48 hotspots to curb accidents after dark

Control

Samridhi Tewari

NEW DELHI

To tackle the rising number of road mishaps at night, Delhi Traffic Police is running a comprehensive checking drive to enhance safety by deploying specific teams to prosecute errant motorists.

According to official data, the drive, which began on July 22, has till July 27 seen 978 prosecutions.

These include 370 pro-

Night-time traffic crackdown

Major violations found in traffic police's five-day drive

Carrying high/long loads	370
Driving without helmet	159
Dangerous driving	58
Carrying dust/garbage uncovered	46
Driving with no/expired transport vehicle permit	41
Driving with headlights on high beam	40

Source: Delhi Traffic Police





5. WAFTS(Noun, verb)



Meaning: To float or be carried gently through the air, often with a pleasant smell or sound.

Synonyms: Gust, Draft, Sweep

Antonyms: Stillness, Calm

Sentence: As they walked through the garden, they could feel the cool wafts of the evening breeze.



The stigma of Delhi's meat sellers

Those involved in the profession say there's no respect in it, vigilante groups make it difficult to operate, and their children want out; earlier this year, two meat suppliers were allegedly thrashed in the city by seven people, including three policemen

Samridhi Tewari
NEW DELHI

At a butcher's shop in Mayur Vihar, Deepak Dutta, 30, originally from Kolkata, is enveloped in jasmine incense, so it wafts outward, concealing the smell of meat. The glass frontage is covered in black film and there's a curtain drawn too.



As meat sellers, we face discrimination. It's as if you're doing

quit this job for something better. He shells out ₹2,000-3,000 every day for bribes to the police so they will pass the consignment without deeming it beef, even though no cow is killed at the market, say traders. "Who will even listen if I raise my voice? They hurl casteist and religious remarks at me," Mr. Javed says.

Earlier this year a viral video showed several meat shops across Vinod Nagar in Delhi's Mandawali area, being forced to close during Navratri. In the same month, two meat suppliers – Mohammad Shoaib, 19 and his cousin, Nawab, 21 – on their way back from the Ghazipur Murga Mandi were allegedly thrashed, abused for their religion, and



6. NABBED (Verb)



Meaning: To catch or seize someone or something suddenly or quickly, typically in the context of capturing a criminal or getting hold of an object.

Synonyms: Apprehend, Seize, Arrest

Antonyms: Release, Free, Let Go.

Sentence: The police officer nabbed the thief as he was trying to escape with a bag full of stolen goods.



Atiq Ahmad's lawyer arrested in Umesh Pal murder case

Police on Sunday arrested slain gangster-politician Atiq Ahmad's lawyer Vijay Mishra from Lucknow in connection with the Umesh Pal murder case, officers said on Sunday. Several cases, including those under the Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, Explosives Act and the Indian Penal Code, are pending against Mr. Mishra, they said. Deputy Commissioner of Police (City) Deepak Bhukar said Mr. Mishra was arrested by officers from the Dhoomanganj police station. He was nabbed outside a hotel and legal action is under way. Mr. Mishra was accused of sharing Pal's location from a Prayagraj court before the latter along with two policemen were shot dead on February 24. PTI



7. SPATE(Noun)

Meaning: A large number or quantity of things happening in a short period.

Synonyms: Surge, Flood, Deluge, Torrent

Antonyms: Drought, Scarcity, Dearth

Sentence: After days of heavy rain, the river swelled, causing a spate of floods in the region.



death
↓
Shortage

Police join rescue effort as Godavari in spate in A.P.

+ The Hindu Bureau
VIJAYAWADA/HYDERABAD

With the floods in the Godavari reaching an alarming level in a few districts in Andhra Pradesh, instructions have been given to the police to help the affected people move to safer places, Director-General of Police K.V. Rajendranath Reddy has said.



8. HEIST (Noun, Verb)



Meaning: A robbery or theft, especially one involving a significant amount of money, valuable items, or a large-scale operation.

Synonyms: robbery, burglary, plunder, burglarize

Antonyms: Restitution, Reimbursement.

Sentence: The daring heist at the jewelry store shocked the entire city, as the thieves made off with millions in diamonds and gold.



Tomato-laden truck from Kolar goes missing

The Hindu Bureau
BENGALURU

Panic gripped traders of the Kolar Agricultural Produce Market Committee (APMC) in Karnataka on Sunday, when a truck laden with tomatoes, worth ₹21 lakh, went missing en route to Jaipur, Rajasthan.

This is at least the third suspected tomato heist reported from Karnataka, after the price of tomatoes skyrocketed to over ₹150 a kg. Traders who lost their goods said that they have not been able to contact the truck driver, and that the last shown location in the truck GPS was Nasik, Maharashtra.

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE





Q1. Select the **INCORRECTLY** spelt word.

1. Ordinance
2. Throttle
3. Pursuit
4. Bleak

Pursuit

Answer: 3



Q2. Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the word

BLEAKER

used about a place
Cold

1. Hopeful
2. **Warm**
3. Cozy
4. Sheltered

Answer: 2



Q3. Select the most appropriate SYNONYM of the word.

GNARLY

1. Ordinary
2. Extraordinary
3. Normal
4. Barren

Answer: 2





Q4. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute

The branch of science concerned with the study of Earth and its composition



1. Zoology
2. Metrology
3. Biology
4. Geology

Answer: 4



Q5. In an enthusiastic way

1. Encouragingly
2. Earnestly
3. Unfeelingly
4. Heartily

*One-word
Substitution*



Answer: 1



Q6. Select the **INCORRECTLY** spelt word.



1. Termite
2. Terabyte
3. Terrestrial
4. Terminal

Terrestrial

Answer: 3



Q7. Select the most appropriate **SYNONYM** of the word

PROPEL

force



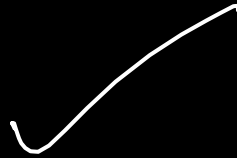
1. Hinder
2. Hold
3. Keep
4. Push

Answer: 4



Q8. Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the word.

REBOUND



1. Bounce
2. Ricochet
3. Work
4. **Boomerang**

Answer: 4





Q9. Select the most appropriate meaning of the idiom.

Get One's Ducks in a Row



1. Have everything properly organized
2. Have nothing properly organized, though ready
3. Have everything messily arranged
4. Have everything improperly disorganized

Answer: 1



Q10. A kick in the teeth

1. Severe toothache
2. Hitting someone hard
3. A grave setback
4. Removing tooth cavities

Answer: 3



HOMEWORK

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Idiom

Pick holes



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