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# VOCABULARY



## RECKONING(NOUN)

Meaning: The action or process of calculating or estimating something.

Synonyms: Calculation, computation, tally, accounting, enumeration, assessment.

Antonyms: Disregard, neglect, ignorance, indifference.

Example Sentence: After a careful reckoning of the expenses, they realized they had exceeded their budget.

*adj.* *noun*



## RECKONING(VERB)

**Meaning: Meaning: To calculate or estimate; to settle accounts.**

**Synonyms: Calculate, compute, tally, figure, assess, evaluate.**

**Antonyms: Disregard, ignore, neglect.**

**Example Sentence: The accountant spent hours reckoning the company's financial statements to ensure accuracy.**



## WRANGLING(NOUN)

**Meaning:** A noisy or angry dispute or argument; the act of engaging in argumentative or contentious discussions.

**Synonyms:** Quarreling, arguing, dispute, squabble, contention, disagreement.

**Antonyms:** Agreement, concord, harmony, cooperation.

**Example Sentence:** The political wrangling over the proposed legislation lasted for weeks without a resolution.



## WRANGLING(VERB)

**Meaning:** Engaging in argumentative or contentious discussions; herding or controlling animals, especially horses or cattle.

**Synonyms:** Argue, quarrel, dispute, brawl, contend, grapple.

**Antonyms:** Agree, reconcile, harmonize, cooperate.

**Example Sentence:** The team spent the entire afternoon wrangling over the best approach to solve the project's challenges.





## UNABATED (ADJ.)

**Meaning:** Without any reduction in intensity or strength;  
continuing at full force.

**Synonyms:** Unchecked, undiminished, unrelenting,  
unabridged, relentless, unceasing.

**Antonyms:** Diminished, reduced, abated, weakened,  
subdued.

**Example Sentence:** Despite the storm's fury, the musician  
played on with unabated enthusiasm, captivating the  
audience.



## ARTICULATE (ADJ.)

**Meaning:** Expressing oneself clearly and effectively;  
having the ability to speak fluently and coherently.

**Synonyms:** Fluent, eloquent, expressive, lucid, coherent,  
well-spoken.

**Antonyms:** Inarticulate, incoherent, unclear, mumbled,  
unintelligible.

**Example Sentence:** The professor was known for his  
articulate explanations, making complex concepts easily  
understandable to his students.



## ARTICULATE (VERB)

**Meaning:** To express thoughts, ideas, or feelings clearly and coherently; to pronounce words distinctly.

**Synonyms:** Express, communicate, convey, vocalize, enunciate, verbalize.

**Antonyms:** Mumble, slur, garble, stammer, muddle.

**Example Sentence:** She could articulate her thoughts in a way that persuaded others, making her an effective spokesperson for the team.



## REITERATED(VERB)

**Meaning: Repeated or said again, usually for emphasis or clarity.**

**Synonyms: Repeat, restate, echo, emphasize, reaffirm, recapitulate.**

**Antonyms: Disregard, ignore, neglect, abandon, forget.**

**Example Sentence: The teacher reiterated the importance of studying regularly to ensure success in the upcoming exams.**



## TOPPLED (VERB)

**Meaning: Overturned or caused to fall; to tumble or fall over, especially as a result of instability.**

**Synonyms: Overturn, collapse, tumble, fall, overthrow, upend.**

**Antonyms: Upright, stabilize, erect, build, establish.**

**Example Sentence: The strong winds toppled several trees in the neighborhood, blocking roads and causing power outages.**



## PERCEIVED(VERB)

**Meaning: Became aware of, noticed, or recognized through the senses or intellect.**

**Synonyms: Recognized, discerned, observed, detected, understood, grasped.**

**Antonyms: Overlooked, ignored, missed, neglected, misunderstood.**

**Example Sentence: She perceived a subtle change in his tone and realized that something was bothering him.**



# PHRASAL VERBS



## ~~PERCEIVED (VERB)~~

**RUN-UP TO**: the period of time just before a particular event or occurrence.

**ABSTAINED FROM**: indicates a deliberate decision to refrain or hold back from doing something, especially from a particular action, behavior, or habit

**PHASED DOWN**: a deliberate, systematic reduction or decrease in something over a period of time.

**GEARED TO**: adjusted or designed for a specific purpose, audience, or situation.





# ARTICLE ANALYSIS

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

1. **Technical**
2. **Neutral**
3. **Skeptical**
4. **Neutral**





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