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1. Impasse (Noun): गतिरोध

Meaning: A situation where progress is blocked, and no viable solution or compromise can be reached; a deadlock.

Synonyms: Deadlock, Standstill, Stalemate, Gridlock, Dead-end

Antonyms: Resolution, Breakthrough, Agreement, Solution

Sentence: The dispute between the two countries has resulted in an impasse, with no resolution in sight.





2. Delinquency (Noun): अपराध

Meaning: minor crime, especially that committed by young people or violating rules or norms.

Synonyms: Misconduct, Offense, Transgression, Crime, Wrongdoing

Antonyms: Compliance, Goodness, Morality

Sentence: The delinquency rate among teenagers has been steadily rising in recent years.





3. Stash (Verb): छुपा कर रखना

Meaning: **store (something) safely in a hidden or secret place**

Synonyms: **Stockpile, Store, Collection**

Antonyms: **Reveal, Expose, Uncover**

Sentence: **Lindsey uses an old shoe box to stash all of her photos.**





4. Empathy (Noun) : सहानुभूति

Meaning: **the ability to understand and share the feelings of another**

Synonyms: **sympathy, sensitivity, compassion**

Antonyms: **ruthlessness, mercilessness, apathy**

Sentence: **Doctors should develop empathy between themselves and patients.**





5. Caveat (Noun) : चेतावनी

Meaning: A warning or cautionary statement about a particular situation or course of action.

Synonyms: warning, caution, admonition

Caveat
careful

Sentence: The professor issued a caveat to the students, warning them about the challenging nature of the upcoming exam.



 6. Euphoria (Noun) : उत्साह, खुशी

Meaning: **extreme happiness, sometimes more than is reasonable in a particular situation**

Synonyms: **ecstasy, elation, joy, exhilaration, happiness**, *merry, cheerful, happy,*

Antonyms: **depression, sadness, misery, unhappiness**

Sentence: **Winning the championship filled the team with euphoria and celebration.**





7. Prerogative (Noun) : विशेष अधिकार

Meaning: An exclusive right or privilege held by a person or group.

Synonyms: Privilege, Right, Entitlement, Authority, Discretion

Antonyms: Prohibition, Ban, Restriction

Sentence: As a citizen, it is your prerogative to vote and participate in the democratic process.





8. Cinch (Noun): आसान काम

Meaning: something that is very easy and is therefore certain to be a success
sure

Synonyms: breeze, snap, piece of cake, easy task, uncomplicated → *direct ease*

Antonyms: tough, complicated, difficult, burdensome

Sentence: The quiz was a cinch for the bright student.





9. To Have Full Hands (Idiom)

Meaning: **to be very busy or to have a lot of work to do.**

Synonyms: **Busy, occupied, engrossed, swamped, burdened, inundated, overloaded**

free time

Antonym: **Free, unoccupied, idle, leisurely**

Sentence: **I can't talk right now, I have full hands with this project deadline approaching.**





10. Open Pandora's Box (Idiom)

Meaning: **something that creates a lot of new problems that you did not expect**

Synonyms: **Unleash a can of worms**

Antonym: **Keep the lid on**

Sentence: **The investigation into the company's financials opened Pandora's box of fraud and corruption.**





TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

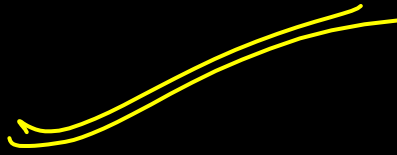


Find the correct one?



Antonym of **CAPTIVITY**

1. Agree
2. Luscious
3. Freedom
4. Bitterness



Meaning: captivity is the condition of being imprisoned or confined so freedom is its antonym.

Solution: 3. Freedom

Find the correct one?



Antonym of **COLOSSAL**

1. Easy
2. Tiny
3. Graceful
4. Roof



Meaning: colossal means incredibly large, therefore tiny is the opposite

Solution: 2. Tiny

Find the correct one?



Antonym of **GERMANE**

1. Irrelevant
2. Indifferent
3. Impartial
4. Improvident

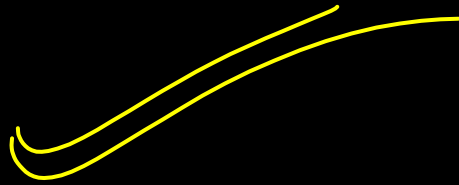
Meaning: germane means to be appropriate or relevant, therefore irrelevant is the opposite

Solution: 1. Irrelevant

Find the correct one?

Antonym of **ENIGMATIC**

1. Healthy
2. Watchful
3. Disastrous
4. Obvious



Meaning: enigmatic means mysterious or obscure, therefore obvious is the opposite

Solution: 4. Obvious



Find the correct one?



Synonym of **ULTERIOR**

1. Sluggishness
2. Reflect
3. Concealed
4. Charitable

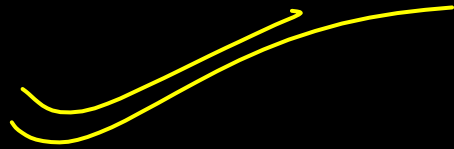
Meaning: ulterior is a secret purpose or reason for doing something so concealed is its synonym.

Solution: 3. Concealed

Find the correct one?

Synonym of **DIFFIDENT**

1. Apathetic
2. Shy
3. Arrogant
4. Quarrelsome



Meaning: diffident means shy or lacking in confidence

Solution: 2. Shy

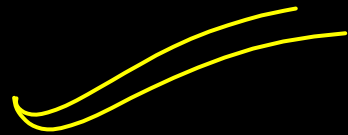


Find the correct one?



Antonym of **MENDACIOUS**

1. Bashful
2. Capacious
3. Veracious
4. Quiet



Voracious

Meaning: mendacious means dishonest;
veracious means truthful or honest

Solution: 3. Veracious

Find the correct one?



Synonym of **BIGOTED**

1. Apathetic
2. Biased
3. Cunning
4. Thorough


Clever
Detailed

Meaning: having strong, unreasonable beliefs and disliking so biased is its antonym

Solution: 2. Biased



When the inspector entered the class some of the students **shook in their shoes.**

1. Trembled with fear
 2. Showed signs of anger
 3. Stood up to salute
 4. Stamped the ground with their shoes
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- A yellow hand-drawn arrow pointing from the right side of the list towards the first option, 'Trembled with fear'.

Solution: **1. Trembled with fear**



A Red Letter Day

1. An important or joyful occasion in one's life
2. A sorrowful day in one's life
3. Both a dangerous and sorrowful day in one's life
4. A dangerous day in one's life

Solution: 1. An important or joyful occasion in one's life



1. FUDGE
2. ALLEY





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