

1. Taciturn:- reserved and uncommunicative

Mnemonics:- taxi turn karte time driver taciturn ho jata hai

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Synonyms:- Laconic, Aloof, Reticent

Antonyms:- Fluent, Communicative, Wordy

Eg:- My shy brother is taciturn and rarely speaks in public.

2.Camaraderie:- Good friendship and trust among members of a group

Mnemonics:- dono commanders me camaraderie thi



Synonyms:- Companionship, Friendship, Togetherness

Antonyms:- Gloom, Hatred, Dislike

Eg:- Because of the camaraderie they shared, the soldiers trusted each other with their lives.

3.Criticize:- to find fault with something

Mnemonics:- cricket me kari cheating isliye hue criticize

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Synonyms:- Castigate, Censure, Chide

Antonyms:- Approve, Commend, Exonerate

Eg:- He was criticized for cheating in the match

4.Raze:- to demolish

Mnemonics:- rage me aake raze / Ret ka dher bna dena

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Synonyms:- Bulldoze, Demolish, Erase

Antonyms:- Build, Construct, Create

Eg:- As part of his campaign promise, the CM candidate pledged to raze all the illegal properties.



5.Preys:- Something or someone that is vulnerable to attack

Mnemonics:- pray karo ki lion tumhe apna prey na bna le

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Synonyms:- Quarry, Raven, Victim

Antonyms:- Good luck, Wonder, Miracle

Eg:- The lion jumped upon its prey with great speed and power.

6.Ostentatious:- intended to attract notice and impress others in an extreme and unnecessary way

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Mnemonics:- mc stan ki jewellery ostentatious hai



Synonyms:- Flashy, Showy, Gaudy

Antonyms:- Calm, Moderate, Plain

Eg:- I tried to tell him that his jewellery was a bit too ostentatious to be worn at a funeral.

7.Linger:- To stay in a situation or place

Mnemonics:- langra ke mat chal linger mat kar

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Synonyms:- Stick, Plod, Trail

Antonyms:- Forge, Advance, Hurry

Eg:- After school some students always linger around the building to talk to their friends.

8.Rely:- To depend upon

Mnemonics:- jinse ache relation hon unhi pe rely kar sakte hain

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Synonyms:- Faith, Trust, Hope

Antonyms:- Disregard, Ignore, Distrust

Eg:- You can rely on him as he has been with us for the last 20 years.

9.Appal:- Struck with surprise or horror

Mnemonics:- apple khate hi sabko marte dekh wo appal reh gya

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Synonyms:- Anxious, Agog, Amazed

Antonyms:- Unsurprised, Bold, Brave

Eg:- When that stranger disappeared in thin air we were appalled.

10.Avert:- to stop an incident from occurring

Mnemonics:- stay alert to avert accident

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Synonyms:- Avoid, Deter, Foil

Antonyms:- Aid, Allow, Assist

Eg:- If you had been alert , this accident could have been averted.

11.Fluke:- A coincidence usually positive

Mnemonics:- full + luck

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Synonyms:- Blessing, Quirk, Fortune

Antonyms:- Misfortune, Certainty, Design

Eg:- Since I didn't study or attend class on a regular basis, it was simply a fluke that I passed the exam.

12.Ransack:- Damage while searching something to steal

Mnemonics:- thieves ne saare racks ko ransack kar dia

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Synonyms:- Plunder, Loot, Rob

Antonyms:- Offer, Protect, Organize

Eg:- The thieves continued to ransack the house until they came across the shoebox stuffed with money.

13.Inscrutable:- incapable of being understood or investigated

Mnemonics:- in screws ko table me kaise lgau



Synonyms:- Incomprehensible, Unintelligible, Hidden

Antonyms:- Clear, Comprehensible, Obvious

Eg:- The instructions to assemble the table were inscrutable.

14.Ascent:- climb or move in upward direction

Mnemonics:- ascent car ramp pe ascent kar rhi hai

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Synonyms:- Rise, Acclivity, Ramp

Antonyms:- Descent, Decline, Lowering

Eg:- Our car completed the ascent to the mountain very easily.

15.Clench:- To compress tightly together

Mnemonics:- clutch

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Synonyms:- Grasp, Clutch, Constrict

Antonyms:- Expand, Unfasten, Loosen

Eg:- My jaw started to hurt after I angrily decided to clench my teeth shut strongly and jointly.

16.Redundant:- something that is unnecessary

Mnemonics:- re ye daant redundant hai inko nikalne me koi dikkat nhi hai Aman Sir English



Synonyms:- Superfluous, Unnecessary, Excessive

Antonyms:- Necessary, Needed, Essential

Eg:- My professor's redundant speech consisted of him saying the same thing over and over again.

17.Occupied:- Busy doing something

Mnemonics:- task ne occupy kar lia



Synonyms:- Engaged, Engrossed, Working

Antonyms:- idle, Free, Vacant

Eg:- Those pending files kept her occupied the whole day.

18.Paranoid:- having a mental illness to be suspicious

Mnemonics:- Paranormal activity dekhne ke baad wo paranoid ho gyi Aman Sir English



Synonyms:- Distrustful, Suspicious, Unreasonably

Antonyms:- Sensible, Careful, Wise

Eg:- She has become paranoid and thinks that everyone wants to kill her.

19. Succulent:- soft and full of juice

Mnemonics:- Isse suck kiya ja sakta hai ye succulent hai

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Synonyms:- Luscious, Moist, Pulpy

Antonyms:- Dry, Unjuicy, Unappetizing

Eg:- The fruit was very succulent please give me another one.

20. Relay:- to pass on something that has been received

Mnemonics:- relay race

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Synonyms:- Transmit, Communicate, Spread

Antonyms:- Hold, Receive, Withhold

Eg:- Because their communication system was down, the lieutenant had no way to relay information to his officers.

21.Exonerate:- to prove that someone is not guilty of a crime or responsible for a problem

Mnemonics:- ex(purana) + honour waps dena (baa ijat bari kiya jana)



Synonyms:- Absolve, Acquit, Discharge

Antonyms:- Blame, Convict, Punish

Eg:- After 20 proceedings he was exonerated and sent home.

22. Obscure:- not known or understood by a lot of people

Mnemonics:- aids + cure

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Synonyms:- Murky, Blurred, Clouded

Antonyms:- Distinct, Clear, Explicit

Eg.:- The side effects of these medicines are relatively obscure.

23. Constrict:- to narrow or reduce

Mnemonics:- restrict

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Synonyms:- Compress, Cramp, Choke

Antonyms:- Enlarge, Lengthen

Eg:- I am afraid of small spaces, so all elevators feel as though they constrict me.

24.Taut:- stressed or nervous

Mnemonics:- teacher ka taught kiya hua exam me yaad na aaye to dimag taut ho jata hai

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Synonyms:- Tense, Stressed, Strained

Antonyms:- Droopy, Flabby, Slack

Eg:- As I waited for the results of my lab tests, I was taut with anxiety.

25.Trendy:- In fashion

Mnemonics:- jo trend me ho

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Synonyms:- Contemporary, Fashionable, Modern

Antonyms:- Unfashionable, Unpopular, Ancient

Eg:- The Sarojni market in Delhi is widely known for its trendy and cheap collections.

26. Altercation:- a loud and heated disagreement

Mnemonics:- dobara alter karne ki baat pe hui altercation

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Synonyms:- Quarrel, Tiff, Dispute

Antonyms:- Agreement, Harmony, Peace

Eg:- The altercation between the two men started when he asked for free alteration.



27. Spacious:- with a lot of space

Mnemonics:- jisme bhut space ho



Synonyms:- Roomy, Vast, Broad

Antonyms:- Narrow, Cramped, Crowded

Eg: Since Frank and Janet have five kids, they need a spacious house.

28. Admirable:- worthy of respect and admiration

Mnemonics:- admire



Synonyms:- Attractive, Commendable, Laudable

Antonyms:- Imperfect, Inferior, Repulsive

Eg:- APJ kalam was an admirable man who made India proud in the field of science.

29.Obdurate:- stubborn / not changing one's opinion

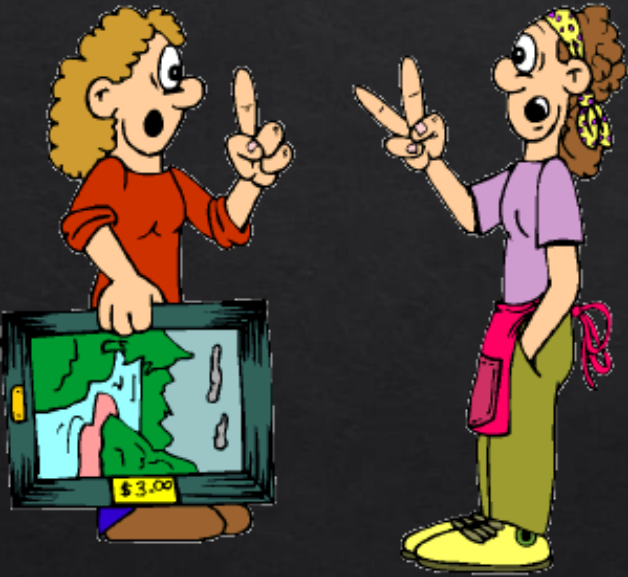
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Mnemonics:- Ab double rate dena padega

Synonyms:- Adamant, Bullhead, Callous

Antonyms:- Submissive, Yielding, Gentle

Eg:- The shopkeeper **was** obdurate and did not lower the price at all.



30. Brittle:- Easy to break

Mnemonics:- break with little impact

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Synonyms:- Breakable, Fragile, Frail

Antonyms:- Durable, Flexible, Moveable

Eg:- These products are brittle please handle them with care.

31.Lacuna:- a gap or missing part

Mnemonics:- Lack hai na

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Synonyms:- Cavity, Hiatus, Interim

Antonyms:- Closure, Continuation

Eg:- The story's plot was missing, creating a lacuna in the middle of the text.

32.Proclaim:- to announce or declare

Mnemonics:- claim karne karte hain proclaim

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Synonyms:- Affirm, Declare, Indicate

Antonyms:- Conceal, Deny, Hide

Eg:- Amit shah proclaimed that whole Kashmir is an integral part of India.



33.Refined:- elegant and cultured in appearance and behavior

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Mnemonics:- jaise tel ko filter karke refine kiya jata hai waise hi person jisme filtered achi quality ho



Synonyms:- Classy, Cultured, Civilized

Antonyms:- Harsh, Corrupt, Imprecise

Eg:- The refined man was appreciated by all at the party.

34. Astound:- to amaze or surprise

Mnemonics:- jab male singer ne female sound nikali to sab astound ho gye

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Synonyms:- Astonish, Bewilder, Stagger

Antonyms:- Calm, Clarify, Enlighten

Eg:- When he started singing in female voice everybody was astound.

35. Industrious:- hard working

Mnemonics:- industry me kaam karne wale workers industrious hote hain Aman Sir English



Synonyms:- Diligent, Assiduous, Zealous

Antonyms:- Inactive, Lethargic, Sluggish

Eg:- The industrious young man finished his four-year degree in two years.

36. Sagacious:- showing good judgement

Mnemonics:- sage (sadhu)

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Synonyms:- Acute, Apt, Astute

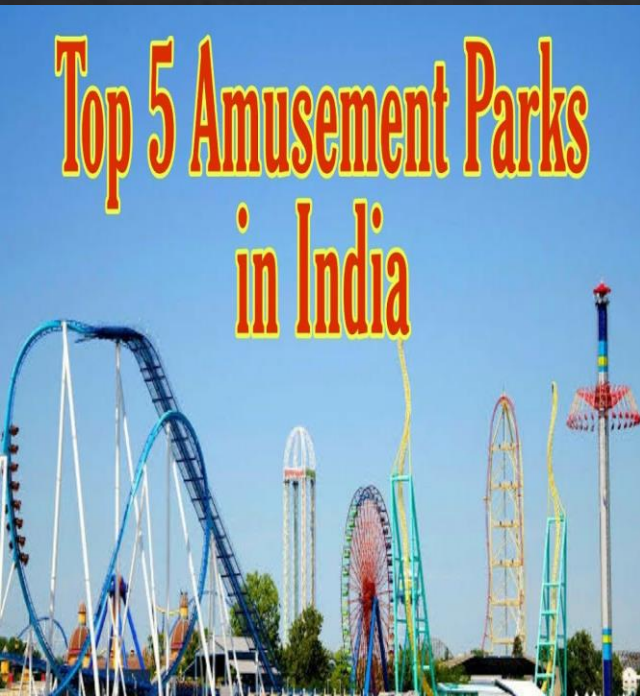
Antonyms:- Careless, Foolish, Stupid

Eg:- Wise and full of insight, the sagacious leader would try to make the world better.

37. Amusement:- fun or entertainment

Root words:- amusement park

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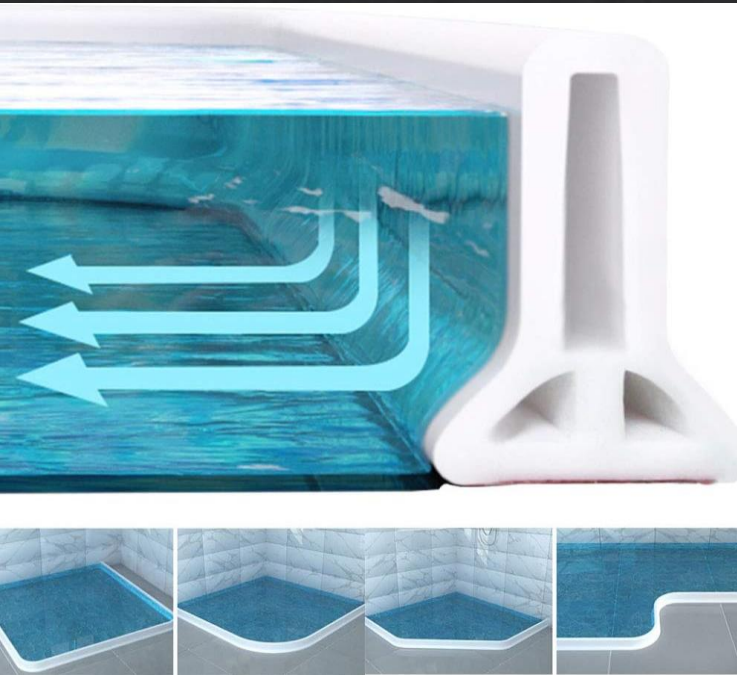
Synonyms:- entertainment, Pleasure, delight

Antonyms:- boredom, depression

Eg:- We went to an amusement park when our exams were over.

38.Threshold:- the amount /limit/ level to which something is applicable

Mnemonics:- jis level tak hold kar paye



Synonyms:- Brink, Verge, Dawn

Antonyms:- Middle, Conclusion, End

Eg:- I knew I had reached my threshold of pain when I had to take a pill for comfort.

39.Amass:- to bring together a large amount

Mnemonics:- collect a lot mass (material) / mass level collection

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Synonyms:- Assemble, Collect, Compile

Antonyms:- Disperse, Divide, Scatter

Eg:- To start a business, one needs to amass a huge sum of ready money.

40.Squawk:- to protest or grumble noisily with passion

Mnemonics:- Quack quack



Synonyms:- Cackle, Hoot, Screech

Antonyms:- Compliment, Praise, Please

Eg:- My rebellious daughter started to squawk when I told her she couldn't attend her friend's sleepover.

41. Arid:- lacking water

Mnemonics:- a dry area



Synonyms:- Barren, Desert, Parched

Antonyms:- Fertile, Productive, Humid

Eg.:- The crops will not grow in the arid ground because the soil is too dry.

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