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Part - A

## Building the floor (The Hindu Editorial): 20/11/23

1. Summit (noun) - Conference, meeting, congregation, assembly, gathering शिखर सम्मेलन
2. Stabilise (verb) - Steady, secure, solidify, anchor, firm स्थिर करना
3. Rocky (adjective) - Unsteady, shaky, wobbly, unstable, flimsy अस्थिर
4. Resolve (verb) - Settle, solve, address, clarify, determine सुलझाना
5. Differences (noun) - Disagreement, argument, dispute, variance मतभेद
6. Plague (verb) - Afflict, torment, trouble, beset, harass परेशान करना
7. Respite (noun) - Break, pause, interval, relief, hiatus राहत
8. Free fall (noun) - a rapid decline that cannot be stopped. गिरावट
9. On the sidelines (phrase) - not actively involved; observing rather than taking part के मौके पर
10. Yield (verb) - Produce, generate, bear, provide, furnish पैदा करना
11. Takeaway (noun) - Conclusion, lesson, message, implication, inference निष्कर्ष
12. Concrete (adjective) - Tangible, solid, real, actual, specific ठोस
13. Artificial intelligence (noun) - AI refers to the simulation of human intelligence
in machines that are programmed to think and act like humans.
14. Consensus (noun) - Agreement, concord, unanimity, accord, harmony सहमति
15. Optimism (noun) - Hopefulness, positivity, confidence, sanguinity, assurance आशावाद
16. Stabilisation (noun) - Definition: The process of making something stable or steady स्थिरीकरण
17. Ground (noun) - Basis, foundation, footing, bedrock, substratum आधार
18. Last (verb) - Endure, persist, continue, survive, remain चलना
19. Potentially (adverb) - Possibly, conceivably, maybe, feasibly, plausibly संभावित रूप से
20. Disruptive (adjective) - Disturbing, unsettling, interrupting, disorderly, chaotic विघटनकारी
21. Loom (verb) - Appear, emerge, approach, hover, impend मंडराना
22. On the horizon (phrase) Approaching, forthcoming, upcoming, in the offing, imminent निकट आ रहा है
23. Ratchet up (phrasal verb) - Increase, escalate, intensify, amplify, heighten बढ़ाना
24. Strait (noun) - a narrow passage of water connecting two seas or two other large areas of water.
25. Reiterate (verb) - Repeat, restate, reemphasize, reaffirm, echo दोहराना
26. Status quo (noun) - Existing state, current condition, present circumstances, established order, prevailing situation वर्तमान स्थिति
27. Meanwhile (adverb) - Simultaneously, concurrently, at the same time, in the meantime, during this period इस बीच
28. Inevitably (adverb) - Unavoidably, necessarily, surely, without fail, certainly अनिवार्य रूप से
29. Rhetoric (adjective) - a way of speaking or writing that is intended to impress or influence people but is not always sincere लफ्फाजी, बयानबाजी
30. Underline (verb) - Emphasize, highlight, stress, underscore, accentuate जोर देना
31. Adversary (noun) - Opponent, enemy, rival, antagonist, foe विरोधी
32. Lead (to) (verb) - Result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, culminate in वजह बनना
33. Refrain (from) (verb) - Abstain, desist, hold back, avoid, eschew से बचना
34. Flip-flop (verb) - Vacillate, waver, oscillate, alternate, change frequently बार-बार बदलना
35. Apparent (adjective) - Obvious, clear, evident, manifest, noticeable स्पष्ट
36. In and of itself (phrase) - by itself; without considering anything else. अपने आप में
37. Concession (noun) - Compromise, allowance, adjustment, accommodation, yielding समझौता/ रियायत
38. Ties (noun) - Bonds, connections, relationships, links, affiliations संबंध

## Constitutional tyranny (The Hindu Editorial): 21/11/23

1. Tyranny (noun) - Oppression, autocracy, dictatorship, despotism, authoritarianism अत्याचार
2. Veto (noun) - Rejection, denial, prohibition, refusal, disapproval निषेधाधिकार
3. Cause (noun) - Reason, basis, motive, justification, grounds कारण
4. Undermine (verb) - Weaken, subvert, sabotage, erode, undercut कमजोर करना
5. Withhold (verb) - Retain, reserve, hold back, keep, refrain रोकना
6. Assent (noun) - Approval, agreement, consent, concurrence, endorsement अनुमति
7. Concerning (preposition) - Regarding, about, relating to, with respect to, pertaining to संबंधित
8. Gross (adjective) - very unpleasant; repulsive, disgusting, abhorrent, घोर
9. Abuse (noun) - Misuse, mistreatment, exploitation, maltreatment, violation दुरुपयोग
10. Legislature (noun) - Parliament, assembly, congress, council, lawmaking body विधायिका
11. Titular (adjective) - holding or constituting a purely formal position or title without any real authority. नाममात्र
12. Exercise (verb) - Use, employ, apply, implement, execute प्रयोग करना
13. Unreasonably (adverb) - Irrationally, unjustifiably, excessively, illogically, unfairly अनुचित रूप से
14. Incumbent (noun) - Holder, occupant, officeholder, bearer, current holder पदाधिकारी
15. Ought to (modal verb) - Should, must, need to, is expected to, is required to चाहिए
16. Flagrant (adjective) - Glaring, blatant, obvious, egregious, scandalous घोर
17. Instance (noun) - Example, case, occurrence, illustration, sample उदाहरण
18. At stake (phrase) - In jeopardy, at risk, in danger, on the line, at issue जोखिम में
19. Seek (verb) - Search for, try to find, look for, pursue, quest प्रयास करना
20. Vest (verb) - Entrust, endow, bestow, confer, grant प्रदान करना
21. Confer (on) (verb) - Bestow, grant, give, award, endow प्रदान करना
22. Cantankerous (adjective) - Irritable, argumentative, contentious, quarrelsome, grumpy झगड़ालू
23. Remark (noun) - Comment, statement, observation, note, declaration टिप्पणी का

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24. Convene (verb) - Assemble, gather, meet, summon, call together बुलाना
25. Statute (noun) - Law, regulation, enactment, decree, ordinance कानून
26. Remedy (noun) - Cure, solution, antidote, relief, redress उपचार
27. Aggrieved (verb) - Distress, grieve, afflict, upset, pain सताना
28. Proviso (noun) - Clause, condition, stipulation, qualification, caveat प्रावधान
29. Venture (verb) - Dare, risk, attempt, undertake, embark साहस करना
30. Yield (verb) - produce or generate उत्पन्न करना
31. Highlight (verb) - Emphasize, underline, spotlight, accentuate, feature प्रमुखता से दिखाना
32. Anti-federal (adjective) - opposed to a federal system of government (= one in
which power is divided between a central government and several local ones) संघविरोधी
33. Proceedings (noun) - Actions, litigation, process, legal action, steps कार्यवाही
34. Examine (verb) - Inspect, analyze, scrutinize, investigate, study जांचना
35. Authoritative (adjective) - Commanding, official, masterful, assertive, dominant आधिकारिक
36. Pronouncement (noun) - Declaration, statement, announcement, proclamation, verdict घोषणा
37. Partisan (adjective) - Biased, one-sided, prejudiced, partial, sectarian पक्षपाती
38. Mischief (noun) - Misbehavior, troublemaking, naughtiness, prank, shenanigan शरारत

## End of a dream run (The Hindu Editorial): 22/11/23

1. Come up short (phrase) - Fall short, be insufficient, not succeed, fail to reach, lack अपर्याप्त होना
2. Decade (noun) - Period of ten years दशक
3. Climax (noun) - Apex, peak, culmination, zenith, high point चरम बिंदु
4. Overwhelming (adjective) Unstoppable, powerful, irresistible, formidable, dominant भारी, बहुत बड़ा
5. Summit clash (noun) - Final match
6. Indomitable (adjective) Unconquerable, invincible, unbeatable, unstoppable, unyielding अदम्य
7. Anguished (adjective) - Distressed, tormented, pained, aggrieved, sorrowful दुखी
8. The Men in Blue (noun) - Indian cricket team भारतीय क्रिकेट टीम
9. Aura (noun) - Ambiance, atmosphere, halo, presence, essence आभा
10. Invincibility (noun) - Unbeatability, impregnability, invulnerability, indestructibility, immortality अपराजेयता
11. On the trot (phrase) - Consecutively, successively, continuously, in a row, one after another लगातार
12. Vanquish (verb) - Defeat, conquer, overcome, subdue, triumph over पराजित होना
13. Reflect (verb) - Indicate, show, demonstrate, manifest, signify दर्शाना
14. Throw up (phrasal verb) - Produce, generate, yield, create, bring about उत्पन्न करना
15. Down Under (noun) - Australia ऑस्ट्रेलिया
16. Skipper (noun) - Captain, leader, commander, chief, head कप्तान
17. Stature (noun) - Status, standing, prestige, reputation, prominence प्रतिष्ठा
18. Sluggish (adjective) - Slow, lethargic, inactive, listless, torpid सुस्त
19. Go awry (phrase) - Go wrong, fail, misfire, backfire, not go as planned गलत हो जाना
20. Kick in (phrasal verb) - Start, begin, initiate, activate, come into effect प्रभाव में आना
21. Window of opportunity (phrase) Chance, opening, possibility, moment, opportunity सुनहरा अवसर
22. Tons (noun) - Century in cricket

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23. Perhaps (adverb) - Maybe, possibly, potentially, conceivably, perchance शायद
24. Belligerent (adjective) - Aggressive, hostile, combative, warlike, contentious आक्रामक
25. Knock (noun) - an innings, especially of an individual batter.
26. Lean on (phrasal verb) - Rely on, depend on, count on, trust, bank on निर्भर करना
27. Incredible (adjective) - Unbelievable, astonishing, amazing, extraordinary, remarkable अविश्वसनीय
28. Dominance (noun) - Supremacy, control, power, authority, ascendancy प्रभुत्व
29. Reiterate (verb) - Repeat, restate, recapitulate, echo, reaffirm दोहराना
30. Meanwhile (adverb) - In the meantime, simultaneously, concurrently, while, during this time इसी बीच
31. Consolation (noun) - Comfort, solace, relief, reassurance, condolence सांत्वना
32. Run high (phrase) - Be intense, be strong, escalate, be fervent, be passionate उत्तेजित होना
33. Ward (noun) - an area of ground
34. Empathy (noun) - Understanding, compassion, sympathy, sensitivity, insight सहानुभूति
35. Unlikely (adjective) - Improbable, doubtful, not likely, implausible, questionable असंभावित
36. Drought (noun) - Here it refers to scarcity or lack of ICC trophy.

Parochial law (The Hindu Editorial): 23/11/23

1. Parochial (adjective) - Narrow-minded, provincial, insular, limited, local. संकीर्ण हृष्टिकोण वाला
2. Uniformly (adverb) - Consistently, evenly, equally, regularly, homogeneously. समान रूप से
3. Rely on (phrasal verb) - Depend on, trust in, count on, lean on, bank on. निर्भर करना
4. Protectionism (noun) - Economic policy of restricting imports to protect domestic industries.
5. Quash (verb) - Annul, nullify, overturn, repeal, invalidate. रद्द करना
6. Domicile (noun) - Residence, home, abode, habitation, dwelling. निवास
7. State (verb) - Declare, assert, affirm, express, articulate. कहना
8. Purview (noun) - Scope, range, extent, ambit, reach. दायरे
9. Legislate (verb) - Make laws, enact, ordain, decree, regulate. कानून बनाना
10. Employer (noun) - Boss, proprietor, manager, director, executive. मालिक
11. Hold (verb) - to have an opinion, etc. कोई राय आदि रखना
12. Violative (adjective) - Infringing, breaching, contravening, transgressing, violating. उल्लंघन करने वाला
13. Militate against (phrasal verb) - Oppose, hinder, resist, counteract, work against. विरोध करना
14. Lead (to) (verb) - Result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, provoke. वजह बनना
15. Enactment (noun) - Legislation, law, statute, decree, ordinance. कानून का निर्माण
16. In Effect (phrase) - Essentially, effectively, in essence, practically, virtually. व्यावहारिक रूप से
17. Artificial (adjective) - Synthetic, manmade, false, imitation, unnatural. कृत्रिम
18. Throughout (preposition) - All through, during, over, across, in all parts of. सब जगह
19. Unreasonable (adjective) - Irrational, unjustifiable, excessive, illogical, unfair. अनुचित
20. Term (verb) - Call, name, label, designate, refer to. नाम देना/ कहना
21. Stipulate (verb) - Specify, demand, require, set forth, lay down. निर्दिष्ट करना
22. Akin (to) (adjective) - Similar to, like, analogous to, comparable to, akin to. समान
23. Enact (verb) - Implement, legislate, ordain, decree, promulgate कानून बनाना या लागू करना
24. Legislation (noun) - Law, statute, act, bill, ordinance कानून या विधान
25. Merit (noun) - Worth, value, virtue, quality, excellence योग्यता
26. Seek (verb) - Search for, look for, pursue, aim for, strive for खोजना
27. Eke out (phrasal verb) - Manage, scrape by, survive, make do, subsist गुजारा करना
28. Blue collar job (noun) - Manual labor job, skilled trade, working class occupation, industrial job, factory job श्रमिक वर्ग का काम
29. Problematic (adjective) - Troublesome, difficult, complex, challenging, contentious समस्याग्रस्त
30. Unconstitutional (adjective) - Illegal, unlawful, illicit, unauthorized, invalid असंवैधानिक
31. Resentment (noun) - Bitterness, indignation, displeasure, grudge, animosity नाराजगी या विरोध भावना
32. Better-off (adjective) - Wealthier, more prosperous, in a better situation, more affluent, more advantaged धनी या समृद्ध
33. Migrant worker (noun) - Transient worker, seasonal worker, itinerant worker, mobile labor, temporary worker प्रवासी श्रमिक
34. Compel (verb) - Force, oblige, coerce, pressure, necessitate मजबूर करना
35. Knee-jerk (adjective) - Automatic, reflex, impulsive, instinctive, spontaneous सहज या त्वरित प्रतिक्रिया
36. Exploit (verb) - Take advantage of, use, manipulate, abuse, utilize unfairly शोषण करना
37. Tend (to) (verb) - Be inclined, be likely, have a tendency, be prone, lean towards प्रवृत्त होना
38. Segmentation (noun) - Division, partition, sectioning, subdivision, categorization विभाजन या खंडन
39. Bargaining power (noun) - the ability of a person or group to get what they want
40. Establishment (noun) - Institution, organization, enterprise, business, company संस्था या व्यवसाय
41. Thereby (adverb) - As a result, consequently, thus, therefore, by that means इस प्रकार
42. A level playing field (phrase) - Equal opportunities, fairness, impartiality, even chances, neutrality समान अवसर
43. Curb (noun) - Restraint, check, control, limit, constraint - नियंत्रण या रोक
44. Exploitative (adjective) - Oppressive, abusive, unfair, taking advantage, using others शोषक करने वाला

On ICC ban on transwomen (The Indian Express Editorial): 24/11/23

1. Commitment (noun) - Dedication, devotion, allegiance, loyalty, fidelity प्रतिबद्धता
2. Align (with) (verb) - Coordinate, conform, harmonize, integrate, synchronize सामंजस्य बिठाना
3. Integrity (noun) - Honesty, uprightness, probity, rectitude, virtue अखंडता
4. Throw up (phrasal verb) - Evoke, elicit, produce, generate, induce उत्पन्न करना
5. Transition (verb) - Change, shift, conversion, transformation, evolution परिवर्तन करना
6. Puberty (noun) - the time in life when a boy or girl becomes sexually mature सयानपन
7. Regardless of (phrase) - Despite, irrespective of, notwithstanding, uninfluenced by, irrespective निम्न पर ध्यान दिए बगैर
8. Gender reassignment surgery (noun) it refers to all surgical procedures that a patient wishes to undergo in an effort to become similar to the opposite gender
9. Undergo (verb) - Endure, experience, undertake, go through, submit to से गुज़रना
10. Trans (adjective) - Transgender, across, beyond, crossing, transverse ट्रांसजेंडर
11. Perceived (adjective) - Observed, noticed, discerned, recognized, detected माना जाता
12. Pre (prefix) - Before, prior to, earlier, preceding, antecedent पूर्व
13. Post (prefix) - After, subsequent, following, later, postdating पश्चात
14. Transition (noun) - Changeover, passage, shift, conversion, transformation परिवर्तन
15. Notably (adverb) - Particularly, especially, markedly, significantly, outstandingly विशेष रूप से
16. Resolution (noun) - Solution, settlement, answer, conclusion, decision समाधान
17. Nuanced (adjective) - Subtle, refined, delicate, detailed, sophisticated सूक्ष्म
18. Underline (verb) - Emphasize, highlight, underscore, stress, accentuate जोर देना
19. Dilemma (noun) - Quandary, predicament, difficulty, problem, conundrum दुविधा
20. Grapple with (phrasal verb) - Wrestle with, struggle with, contend with, deal with, cope with से जूझना

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21. Landmark (adjective) - Historic, significant, monumental, important, notable महत्वपूर्ण
22. Ruling (noun) - Decision, verdict, judgment, decree, pronouncement फैसला
23. Binary (noun) - Duality, dichotomy, two-part, dualism, bipartite द्विआधारी
24. Marker (noun) - Indicator, sign, symbol, signal, beacon सूचक
25. Vaunted (adjective) - Boasted, bragged, touted, praised, acclaimed अत्यधिक प्रशंसित
26. Attribute (noun) - Quality, feature, characteristics, trait, element विशेषता
27. Exist (verb) - Live, survive, subsist, be, persist होना
28. Heartbreaking (adjective) - Saddening, distressing, agonizing, painful, harrowing दिल तोड़ने वाला
29. Affirm (verb) - Confirm, assert, declare, state, avow पुष्टि करना
30. Pursue (verb) - Follow, chase, seek, strive for, go after पीछा करना

## End the Secrecy (The Hindu Editorial): 25/11/2023

1. Allegation (noun) - Accusation, Charge, Claim, Assertion, Imputation आरोप
2. Restore (verb) - Reestablish, Revive, Reconstitute, Reinstate, Reinstigate पुनस्स्थापित करना
3. Ties (noun) - Relations, Bonds, Connections, Links, Associations संबंध
4. Snap (verb) - Break, Sever, Fracture, Split, Tear तोड़ना
5. Diplomatic (adjective) - Tactful, Political, Strategic, Statesmanlike, Negotiatory कूटनीतिक
6. Stand-off (noun) - Deadlock, Stalemate, Impasse, Standstill, Dead end गतिरोध
7. Following (preposition) - After, Subsequent to, In the wake of, Post, Pursuing के बाद
8. Mastermind (verb) - Plan, Engineer, Orchestrate, Devise, Scheme योजना बनाना
9. Assassination (noun) - Murder, Killing, Homicide, Execution, Slaying हत्या
10. Suspension (noun) - Interruption, Stoppage, Halt, Pause, Discontinuance निलंबन
11. Diplomat (noun) - Ambassador, Envoy, Emissary, Delegate, Representative राजनयिक
12. Restoration (noun) - Reinstatement, Reestablishment, Reconstruction, Revival, Renewal पुनस्स्थापना
13. Necessarily (adverb) - Inevitably, Invariably, Unavoidably, Indubitably, Without fail अनिवार्य रूप से
14. Cut down (phrasal verb) - Reduce, Decrease, Lessen, Diminish, Curtail कम करना
15. Parity (noun) - the state of being equal, especially in relation to pay and position समानता
16. Diplomat (noun) - Ambassador, Envoy, Emissary, Delegate, Representative राजनयिक
17. Curtail (verb) - Reduce, Trim, Lessen, Shorten, Cut back कम करना
18. Suspend (verb) - Halt, Stop, Discontinue, Interrupt, Postpone लटकाना
19. Free Trade Agreement (noun) - treaties between two or more countries designed to reduce or eliminate certain barriers to trade and investment, and to facilitate stronger trade and commercial ties between participating countries. व्यापार संधि

[^0]21. Shut down (phrasal verb) - Close, Discontinue, Cease, Stop, Terminate बंद करना
22. In addition (phrase) - Furthermore, Moreover, Also, Additionally, Besides इसके अतिरिक्त
23. Spark (verb) - Ignite, Trigger, Provoke, Stir up, Incite भड़काना
24. Plot (verb) - Scheme, Plan, Conspire, Devise, Hatch षड्यंत्र रचना
25. Incite (verb) - Provoke, Stir up, Urge, Encourage, Instigate उकसाना
26. Menacing (adjective) - Threatening, Intimidating, Frightening, Alarming, Ominous धमकी भरा
27. Hark back to (phrase) - Recall, Remember, Revert to, Reflect on, Think back to याद करना
28. On board (phrase) - Aboard, In or on a ship, plane, or other vehicle में सवार
29. Separatist (noun) - Secessionist, Divisionist, Disunionist, Splittist, Autonomist अलगाववादी
30. Die down (phrasal verb) - Decrease, Diminish, Lessen, Subside, Abate कम होना
31. In contrast to (phrase) - As opposed to, In comparison with, Unlike, Contrary to के विपरीत
32. Absurd (adjective) - Ridiculous, Preposterous, Ludicrous, Foolish, Irrational बेतुका
33. Accommodate (verb) - Adjust, Adapt, Fit, Suit, Conform अनुकूल बनाना
34. Examine (verb) - Inspect, Scrutinize, Analyze, Study, Investigate जांच करना
35. Input (noun) - Contribution, Feedback, Information, Data, Advice
36. Follow-up action (noun) - Subsequent measure, Next step, Further procedure, Continuation, Progression अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई
37. Shed (verb) - Discard, Cast off, Drop, Jettison, Get rid of त्यागना
38. Craft (verb) - Create, Construct, Design, Fabricate, Forge तैयार करना
39. Coherently (adverb) - Logically, Consistently, Systematically, Rationally, Clearly सुसंगत रूप से


[^0]:    20. Virtually (adverb) - Practically, Essentially, Effectively, Almost, Nearly लगभग
