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Part - A

The Indian Express Editorial: Bengaluru's looming water crisis (18 mar 2024)

1. **Looming** (adjective) – Imminent, impending, approaching, forthcoming, near मंडराता
2. **Drought** (noun) – Dry spell, water shortage, aridity, dryness, lack of rain सूखा
3. **Decade** (noun) – a Period of Ten years दशक
4. **Take a toll on** (phrase) – Have a negative impact, cause damage, harm, affect adversely प्रभावित करना
5. **Reel under** (phrasal verb) – Struggle with, suffer from, be overwhelmed by, be burdened by से जूझना
6. **Barely** (adverb) – Hardly, scarcely, just, only just, almost not मुश्किल से
7. **Dry up** (phrasal verb) – Dehydrate, desiccate, evaporate, become dry सूखना
8. **Reportedly** (adverb) – According to reports, supposedly, allegedly, purportedly कथित तौर पर
9. **Impose** (verb) – Enforce, apply, introduce, establish, put in place थोपना
10. **Curb** (noun) – Restriction, constraint, limitation, control, check रोक
11. **Potable** (adjective) – Drinkable, safe to drink, fit for consumption, clean पीने योग्य
12. **Worsen** (verb) – Deteriorate, decline, degenerate, get worse, exacerbate बिगड़ना
13. **Meet** (verb) – Satisfy, fulfill, answer, match, comply with पूरा करना
14. **Unlike** (adjective) – Different from, dissimilar to, not like, unlike के विपरीत
15. **Expand** (verb) – Enlarge, grow, increase, extend, spread out विस्तार करना
16. **Repository** (noun) – Storehouse, depository, depot, warehouse, archive भंडार
17. **Catchment** (noun) – Drainage basin, watershed, drainage area, water catchment area जलग्रहण क्षेत्र
18. **Dumping yard** (noun) – Landfill, garbage dump, waste disposal site, rubbish dump कचरा डंपिंग यार्ड
19. **Debris** (noun) – Rubble, wreckage, remains, ruins, litter मलबा
20. **Concretisation** (noun) – The process of making something concrete or solid
21. **Successive** (adjective) – Consecutive, sequential, subsequent, following, succeeding निरंतर
22. **Heed** (verb) – Pay attention to, take notice of, listen to, take into account, consider ध्यान देना
23. **Alarm bells** (noun) – Warning signals, alerts, red flags, danger signals चेतावनी संकेत
24. **Keep pace with** (phrasal verb) – Match, keep up with, stay abreast of, stay in line with के साथ कदम मिलाकर चलना
25. **Pace** (noun) – Speed, rate, tempo, velocity, rhythm गति

26. **Urbanisation** (noun) – The process of making an area more urban, city development, metro-politanisation
शहरीकरण
27. **Think tank** (noun) – Research institute, research group, study group, advisory body
विशेषज्ञ दल
28. **Forecast** (verb) – Predict, project, estimate, foresee, anticipate भविष्यवाणी करना
29. **Run out of** (phrasal verb) – Deplete, exhaust, use up, consume, finish समाप्त होना
30. **Mitigation** (noun) – Alleviation, reduction, diminution, lessening, easing कमी
31. **Gross domestic product** (GDP) (noun) – The total value of goods and services produced within a country सकल घरेलू उत्पाद
32. **Point out** (phrasal verb) – Indicate, show, highlight, draw attention to, underline इंगित करना
33. **Aquifer** (noun) – Water-bearing stratum, water table, groundwater reservoir, water source जलभृत
34. **Deficit** (noun) – Shortage, shortfall, deficiency, lack, inadequacy अभाव
35. **Wake-up call** (noun) – Alert, warning, signal, reminder, wake-up alarm चेतावनी

The Hindu Editorial: On the ballot (19 MAR 2024)

1. **Ballot** (noun) – Voting paper, vote, slip, ticket, poll मतपरची
2. **Mark** (verb) – Indicate, signify, denote, represent, characterize सूचित करना
3. **Campaigning** (noun) – Political activities, electioneering, canvassing, politicking, advocacy प्रचार-अभियान
4. **Perennial** (adjective) – Everlasting, perpetual, constant, continual, unending सदाबहार/ बहुवर्षी
5. **Vindicate** (verb) – Justify, warrant, substantiate, validate, uphold सिद्ध करना
6. **Ruling** (adjective) – Governing, dominant, controlling, in power, reigning सत्तारूढ़
7. **Argue** (verb) – Contend, assert, claim, maintain, state तर्क करना
8. **Electioneering** (noun) – Campaigning, political campaigning, canvassing, politicking चुनाव प्रचार
9. **Contentious** (adjective) – Controversial, disputable, debatable, disputed, contentious विवादास्पद
10. **Backdrop** (noun) – Background, context, setting, framework, situation पृष्ठभूमि
11. **Long-drawn** (adjective) – Prolonged, extended, protracted, lengthy, long-lasting लंबा खिंचा हुआ
12. **Vibrant** (adjective) – Lively, energetic, dynamic, vigorous, spirited जीवंत
13. **Exhilarating** (adjective) – Thrilling, exciting, stimulating, invigorating, refreshing रोमांचक
14. **Introspection** (noun) – Self-examination, reflection, contemplation, self-analysis, self-observation आत्म-विश्लेषण
15. **Sobering** (adjective) – Serious, grave, solemn, somber, thoughtful गंभीर
16. **Witness** (verb) – Observe, see, behold, watch, देखना
17. **Era** (noun) – Period, epoch, age, time, stage युग
18. **Prosperity** (noun) – Wealth, affluence, richness, opulence, well-being समृद्धि
19. **Propaganda** (noun) – information and ideas that may be false or exaggerated, which are used to gain support for a political leader, party, etc. मतप्रचार
20. **Blaring** (adjective) – Loud, noisy, deafening, booming, roaring तेज़
21. **Critique** (verb) – Evaluate, assess, analyze, review, examine आलोचना करना
22. **Feeble** (adjective) – Weak, frail, fragile, faint, powerless कमजोर
23. **Uneven** (adjective) – Irregular, unequal, unbalanced, unequal, inconsistent असमान
24. **Playing field** (phrase) – Level playing field, fair competition, equal opportunity, fair ground समान अवसर

25. **Actor** (noun) – Participant, player, agent, character, figure कारक
26. **Inherent** (adjective) – Intrinsic, innate, natural, built-in, essential निहित
27. **Alleged** (adjective) – Supposed, claimed, asserted, accused, purported कथित
28. **Lapse** (noun) – Error, mistake, oversight, slip, fault चूक
29. **Tilt the scale** (phrase) – Influence the outcome, bias, sway, tip the balance, unbalance पक्ष में झुकाव करना
30. **Revelation** (noun) – Disclosure, uncovering, exposure, revelation, revelation प्रकटीकरण
31. **So far** (phrase) – Until now, up to now, up to this point, thus far, to date अब तक
32. **Unconstitutional** (adjective) – Illegal, unlawful, illegitimate, against the constitution असंवैधानिक
33. **Paint** (verb) – Depict, portray, represent, describe, illustrate चित्रित करना
34. **Shrinking** (adjective) – Decreasing, diminishing, reducing, contracting, declining घटता हुआ
35. **Given** (preposition) – Considering, taking into account, in light of, with regard to, given देखते हुए
36. **Abrupt** (adjective) – Sudden, unexpected, unforeseen, surprising, abrupt अचानक
37. **Executive** (noun) – Government, administration, leadership, authority, management कार्यकारी
38. **Prolonged** (adjective) – Extended, lengthy, protracted, long, drawn-out लंबा
39. **Pull out all the stops** (phrase) – Do everything possible, go all out, spare no effort, give one's all, go to extremes सभी प्रयास करना
40. **Stagger** (verb) – Spread out, schedule at intervals, phase, arrange, space out चरणबद्ध करना
41. **Defence** (noun) – Protection, safeguard, shield, security, guard रक्षा
42. **Equivocation** (noun) – Ambiguity, vagueness, uncertainty, indecision, evasiveness अस्पष्टता
43. **Unwarranted** (adjective) – Unjustified, unnecessary, undue, excessive, unreasonable अनावश्यक
44. **Settle the question** (phrase) – Resolve the issue, decide the matter, determine the outcome, conclude the debate प्रश्न का निपटारा करना
45. **All eyes are on something** (phrase) – Everyone is watching, attention is focused, scrutiny is intense, interest is high सबकी नजरें किसी चीज पर होना
46. **Assess** (verb) – Evaluate, judge, gauge, rate, estimate आकलन करना

The Indian Express Editorial: Attack on foreign students in Gujarat (20 MAR 2024)

1. **Mob** (noun) – Gang, crowd, horde, throng, mass भीड़
2. **Promoter** (noun) – Supporter, advocate, proponent, champion, backer समर्थक
3. **Tolerant** (adjective) – Open-minded, patient, forbearing, indulgent, lenient सहिष्णु
4. **Sustainable** (adjective) – Renewable, maintainable, supportable, viable, eco-friendly टिकाऊ
5. **Reportedly** (adverb) – Allegedly, supposedly, purportedly, rumoured, according to reports कथित तौर पर
6. **Fly in the face of** (phrase) – To go against or oppose a generally accepted idea or principle आमतौर पर स्वीकृत विचार या सिद्धांत के खिलाफ जाना
7. **Commitment** (noun) – Dedication, devotion, allegiance, loyalty, obligation प्रतिबद्धता
8. **Assault** (verb) – Attack, strike, assail, batter, aggress हमला करना
9. **Two-toned** (adjective) – Having two different shades or colors
10. **Deal with** (phrasal verb) – Handle, manage, tackle, address, cope with निपटना
11. **Breach** (noun) – Violation, infringement, infraction, transgression, breach of contract उल्लंघन
12. **Lay blame on** (phrase) – To attribute fault or responsibility to someone or something दोषारोपण करना
13. **Victim** (noun) – Sufferer, casualty, injured party, loser, prey पीड़ित
14. **In the aftermath of** (phrase) – Following an event, especially a negative or significant one किसी घटना के बाद, विशेष रूप से एक नकारात्मक या महत्वपूर्ण घटना
15. **Assure** (verb) – Guarantee, promise, certify, ensure, confirm आश्वासन देना
16. **Introspection** (noun) – Self-examination, reflection, contemplation, soul-searching, self-analysis आत्मनिरीक्षण
17. **Cultural orientation** (noun) – The process of learning and adapting to a new culture सांस्कृतिक दिशानिर्देशन
18. **Onus** (noun) – Responsibility, obligation, duty, burden, liability दायित्व
19. **In terms of** (phrase) – With regard to, regarding, concerning, in relation to के संदर्भ में
20. **Let off** (phrasal verb) – Excuse, pardon, acquit, absolve, exonerate माफ करना

21. **Foster** (verb) – Encourage, promote, nurture, cultivate, develop प्रोत्साहित करना
22. **Liberty** (noun) – Freedom, independence, autonomy, rights, free will स्वतंत्रता
23. **Play host to** (phrase) – To accommodate, entertain, welcome, receive, provide for अतिथियों या आयोजनों को आवास या मनोरंजन प्रदान करना
24. **Bring an end to** (phrase) – Terminate, conclude, finish, cease, halt समाप्त करना
25. **By extension** (phrase) – Consequently, as a result, therefore, thus, hence परिणामस्वरूप ; अतिरिक्त रूप से
26. **Heed** (verb) – Pay attention to, take notice of, listen to, consider, regard ध्यान देना
27. **Scientific temper** (noun) – The attitude of logical and rational thinking वैज्ञानिक मानसिकता
28. **Pluralism** (noun) – Diversity, multiplicity, variety, coexistence, inclusiveness बहुलवाद
29. **Nurture** (verb) – Cultivate, cherish, encourage, foster, develop, विकसित करना
30. **Equity** (noun) – Fairness, justice, impartiality, evenhandedness, equality समानता
31. **Cornerstone** (noun) – Foundation, basis, keystone, bedrock, underpinning आधार

The Indian Express Editorial: Women's Premier League has arrived (21 MAR 2024)

1. **Troop** (verb) – Gather, assemble, come together, converge, flock समूह में जमा होना
2. **Following** (preposition) – After, subsequent to, in the wake of, in the aftermath of, as a result of के बाद
3. **Consistently** (adverb) – Regularly, constantly, continually, invariably, uniformly निरंतर रूप से
4. **Unqualified** (adjective) – Absolute, complete, total, unconditional, unequivocal संपूर्ण
5. **Citadel** (noun) – Fortress, stronghold, fort, castle, bastion गढ़
6. **Commerce** (noun) – Trade, business, trading, buying and selling, merchandising व्यापार
7. **Tick all the right boxes** (phrase) – Satisfy all the necessary requirements or criteria, meet all the standards सभी आवश्यकताओं को पूरा करना
8. **Aussie** (noun) – Australian ऑस्ट्रेलियाई
9. **MVP** (noun) – Most Valuable Player, the player judged to be the most important or valuable in a sports competition सर्वश्रेष्ठ खिलाड़ी
10. **Stand out** (phrasal verb) – Be noticeable, be conspicuous, be prominent, be noticeable, be obvious अलग दिखना
11. **Sparkling** (adjective) – Shining, glittering, shimmering, gleaming, radiant शानदार
12. **Spell** (noun) – The period of time during which a bowler bowls every alternate over
13. **Stands** (noun) – the place where someone typically stands or sits. बैठने की जगह
14. **Strike** (verb) – Hit, smack, thump, bang, knock मारना
15. **Omen** (noun) – Sign, indication, portent, warning, forewarning शकुन
16. **Marshal** (verb) – Organize, arrange, assemble, gather, mobilize संगठित करना
17. **Land** (verb) – succeed in obtaining or achieving (something desirable), especially in the face of competition. हासिल करना
18. **Potential** (noun) – Capability, ability, capacity, power, potentiality क्षमता
19. **Remarkable** (adjective) – Extraordinary, outstanding, notable, exceptional, amazing असाधारण
20. **Of course** (phrase) – Certainly, definitely, naturally, surely, indeed बेशक
21. **Steely nerves** (phrase) – Exceptional courage or calmness, especially in a difficult situation दृढ़ साहस
22. **Debut** (noun) – First appearance, introduction, launch, premiere, inaugural पहली बार प्रस्तुति
23. **Franchise** (noun) – a professional sports team

24. **Pace** (noun) – Speed, rate, tempo, velocity, rhythm गति
25. **Benchmark** (noun) – Standard, criterion, measure, gauge, yardstick मानक
26. **Go to the wire** (phrase) – Last until the very end, be undecided until the final moment, be closely contested till the end अंत तक जाना
27. **Spawn** (verb) – Produce, generate, create, give rise to, bring about उत्पन्न करना
28. **Fandom** (noun) – Fans collectively, fan base, supporters, enthusiasts, admirers प्रशंसक समुदाय
29. **Spill onto the streets** (phrase) – Extend or spread out into public areas, often in a disorderly or uncontrolled manner सड़कों पर फैलना

The Hindu Editorial: Ferocious friends (22 MAR 2024)

1. **Ferocious** (adjective) – Savage, fierce, vicious, violent, aggressive भयंकर/ क्रूर
2. **Unbridled** (adjective) – Uncontrolled, unrestrained, unchecked, unregulated, wild अनियंत्रित/ निरंकुश
3. **Vexing** (adjective) – Annoying, irritating, bothersome, troubling, perplexing कष्टप्रद
4. **Dilemma** (noun) – Predicament, quandary, conundrum, problem, tough choice दुविधा
5. **Roving** (adjective) – Wandering, roaming, nomadic, itinerant, peripatetic घूमने वाला
6. **Canine** (noun) – Dog, hound, pooch, doggie, pup कुत्ता
7. **Spur** (verb) – Motivate, stimulate, encourage, prompt, incite प्रेरित करना
8. **Enforce** (verb) – Implement, apply, execute, administer, impose लागू करना
9. **Existing** (adjective) – Current, present, ongoing, extant, existing मौजूदा
10. **Contain** (verb) – Control, restrain, hold back, check, curb नियंत्रण में रखना
11. **Manage** (to) (verb) – Succeed in, accomplish, achieve, handle, carry out सफल होना
12. **Merit** (verb) – Deserve, warrant, justify, earn, be worthy of योग्य होना
13. **Deliberate** (on) (verb) – Consider, ponder, reflect on, contemplate, think about विचार करना
14. **Inherently** (adverb) – Naturally, essentially, intrinsically, fundamentally, by nature स्वाभाविक रूप से
15. **Constitute** (verb) – Form, make up, compose, establish, set up गठन करना
16. **Prohibit** (verb) – Ban, forbid, disallow, prevent, restrict निषेध करना
17. **Fatal** (adjective) – Deadly, lethal, mortal, life-threatening, fatal घातक
18. **Prompt** (verb) – Induce, cause, trigger, provoke, instigate प्रेरित करना
19. **Petition** (noun) – Appeal, request, plea, application, entreaty याचिका
20. **Sterilise** (verb) – deprive (a person or animal) of the ability to produce offspring, typically by removing or blocking the sex organs. नसबंदी कराना
21. **Stay** (verb) – Halt, suspend, pause, delay, stop रोकना
22. **Petitioner** (noun) – Applicant, claimant, supplicant, complainant, plaintiff याचिकाकर्ता
23. **Object** (verb) – Oppose, protest, disapprove, disagree, challenge आपत्ति करना
24. **Unilateral** (adjective) – One-sided, single, solo, unilateral, independent एकतरफा
25. **Encompass** (verb) – Include, cover, embrace, comprise, incorporate शामिल करना

26. **Spectrum** (noun) – Range, scope, span, variety, array संपूर्ण शृंखला
27. **Deal with** (phrasal verb) – Handle, manage, tackle, address, cope with निपटना
28. **Be at a disadvantage** (phrase) – To be in a less favorable or less advantageous position compared to others.
29. **Insight** (into) (noun) – Understanding, perception, awareness, realization, comprehension अंतर्दृष्टि
30. **Temperament** (noun) – Disposition, nature, character, personality, temperament स्वभाव
31. **Ferocity** (noun) – Savagery, fierceness, violence, brutality, aggressiveness उग्रता
32. **Aggressiveness** (noun) – Hostility, belligerence, assertiveness, forcefulness, combativeness आक्रामकता
33. **Provoke** (verb) – Incite, trigger, stimulate, arouse, instigate उकसाना
34. **Aggression** (noun) – Hostility, belligerence, combativeness, violence, assault आक्रामकता
35. **Impose** (verb) – Enforce, apply, levy, inflict, introduce थोपना
36. **Stringent** (adjective) – Strict, severe, rigorous, tight, tough कड़े
37. **Permit** (verb) – Allow, authorize, enable, grant, license अनुमति देना
38. **Premise** (on) (verb) – Base on, found on, build on, rest on, depend on आधारित होना
39. **Likely** (adjective) – Probable, possible, plausible, expected, anticipated संभावित
40. **Liabile** (adjective) – Responsible, accountable, answerable, subject, prone उत्तरदायी
41. **By no means** (phrase) – Definitely not, in no way, under no circumstances, not at all किसी भी तरह से नहीं

The Hindu Editorial: New capabilities (23 mar 2024)

1. **Warhead** (noun) – the front part of a bomb or missile that contains explosives
2. **Accomplish** (verb) – Achieve, complete, fulfill, realize, execute पूरा करना
3. **Maiden** (adjective) – First, initial, inaugural, debut, introductory पहला
4. **Undergo** (verb) – Experience, endure, go through, suffer, undergo से गुजरना
5. **Canisterisation** (noun) – The process of enclosing or packaging something, especially a missile or a warhead, in a canister for transportation, storage, and launch.
6. **Indigenous** (adjective) – Native, local, original, domestic, homegrown स्वदेशी
7. **Avionics system** (noun) – The electronic systems used in aviation, including navigation, communication, and flight-control systems.
8. **Parameter** (noun) – Limit, boundary, criterion, factor, variable पैरामीटर
9. **Orbit** (noun) – the curved path through which objects in space move around a planet or star कक्षा
10. **Shoot down** (phrasal verb) – Destroy, down, bring down, blast, demolish मार गिराना
11. **Interceptor** (noun) – a fast aircraft that attacks enemy aircraft
12. **Breakthrough** (noun) – Discovery, innovation, advance, development, progress सफलता
13. **Further** (verb) – Promote, advance, forward, develop, encourage आगे बढ़ाना
14. **Strengthen** (verb) – Fortify, reinforce, bolster, enhance, consolidate मजबूत करना
15. **Given** (preposition) – Considering, taking into account, in view of, on account of देखते हुए
16. **Credible** (adjective) – Believable, plausible, reliable, trustworthy, convincing विश्वसनीय
17. **Deterrence** (noun) – Prevention, discouragement, inhibition, restraint, determent निवारण
18. **Retaliation** (noun) – Revenge, reprisal, retribution, counterattack, backlash प्रतिशोध
19. **Espouse** (verb) – Support, advocate, embrace, adopt, promote समर्थन करना
20. **Nuclear triad** (noun) – The three components of a nuclear defense strategy, typically comprising land-based missiles, submarine-launched missiles, and strategic bombers.
21. **Submarine** (noun) – Underwater vessel पनडुब्बी
22. **Threshold** (noun) – Limit, boundary, brink, verge, edge सीमा
23. **Deploy** (verb) – Position, station, place, locate, arrange तैनात करना
24. **Arsenal** (noun) – Armory, stockpile, cache, storehouse, repository शस्त्रागार

25. **Claim** (noun) – Assertion, declaration, statement, allegation, contention दावा
26. **In this regard** (phrase) – Concerning this, in this respect, on this matter, in relation to this इस संबंध में
27. **Escalation** (noun) – Increase, intensification, rise, surge, upsurge वृद्धि
28. **Dynamics** (noun) – Forces, motion, energy, mechanics, movement गतिशीलता
29. **Accelerate** (verb) – Speed up, hasten, quicken, expedite, fast-track तेज करना
30. **Spiral race** (noun) – Competitive situation in which parties continually
- strive to outdo each other in a cycle of escalation.
31. **One-upmanship** (noun) – Rivalry, competition, contest, striving, jockeying प्रतिद्वंद्विता
32. **Technology-intensive** (adjective) – Requiring a high level of technology, knowledge, and investment in technological resources.
33. **Turn out to be** (phrase) – Prove to be, end up being, emerge as, become, result in होना
34. **Endeavour** (noun) – Effort, attempt, try, enterprise, venture, प्रयत्न