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Part - A

### The Hindu Editorial: Weakest first (05 AUG 2024)

- Sub-categorisation (noun) the act of categorizing something or the state of being categorized at a lower or secondary level उप-वर्गीकरण
- Deepen (verb) Intensify, strengthen, enhance, escalate, augment गहरा करना, बढना
- 3. **Jurisprudence** (noun) Legal theory, philosophy of law, legal system, body of law, legal science न्यायशास्त्र
- 4. Affirmative action (noun) it means positive steps taken to increase the representation of (women and) minorities in areas of employment, education, and culture from which they have been historically excluded. नीति सकारात्मक कार्रवाई
- 5. **Evolve** (verb) Develop, progress, transform, change, advance विकसित करना
- 6. **Notion** (noun) Concept, idea, belief, perception, understanding धारणा
- 7. **Root** (in) (verb) Base, establish, anchor, embed, ground आधारित होना
- 8. **Substantive** (adjective) Essential, significant, meaningful, fundamental, important सार्थक
- 9. **Embrace** (verb) Accept, adopt, welcome, include, integrate अपनाना
- 10. **Diversity** (noun) Variety, difference, heterogeneity, range, multiplicity विविधता
- 11. **Accommodation** (noun) Adaptation, adjustment, modification, arrangement, compromise समायोजन

- 12. **Preferential** (adjective) Favorable, advantageous, privileged, selective, special प्राथमिकता देने वाला
- 13. **In line with** (phrase) Consistent with, in accordance with, in agreement with, aligned with, conforming to के अनुरूप
- 14. **Progression** (noun) Advancement, development, evolution, growth, improvement प्रगति
- 15. **Constitute** (verb) Form, compose, make up, establish, create बनाना
- 16. **Homogeneous** (adjective) Uniform, consistent, similar, alike, unvarying समरूप
- 17. **Violate** (verb) Breach, infringe, contravene, break, disobey उल्लंघन करना
- 18. **Verdict** (noun) Judgment, decision, ruling, decree, conclusion निर्णय
- 19. **Dislodge** (verb) Remove, oust, eject, displace, extricate हटाना
- 20. **Strike down** (phrasal verb) Nullify, invalidate, abolish, annul, void रह करना
- 21. **Unconstitutional** (adjective) Illegal, unlawful, invalid, illegitimate, unauthorized असंवैधानिक
- 22. **Rule** (verb) Decide, adjudicate, decree, pronounce, determine फैसला करना
- 23. **Bar (from)** (verb) Prohibit, ban, forbid, exclude, prevent रोकना
- 24. **Tinkering** (noun) Meddling, interfering, adjusting, modifying, altering छेडछाड

- 25. **Cite** (verb) Refer to, mention, quote, allude to, invoke हवाला देना
- 26. **Quash** (verb) Overturn, annul, nullify, invalidate, rescind रह करना
- 27. **Apex court** (noun) Supreme Court, सर्वोच्च न्यायालय
- 28. **Bench** (noun) Judiciary, panel, tribunal, court, judges न्यायपीठ
- 29. **Recognition** (noun) Acknowledgment, identification, realization, appreciation, acceptance पहचान
- 30. **Extent** (noun) Degree, level, scope, range, magnitude सीमा
- 31. **Backwardness** (noun) Underdevelopment, regression, delay, lag, primitiveness पिछड़ापन
- 32. **Untouchability** (noun) Social exclusion, caste discrimination, ostracism, social marginalization, casteism अस्प्रथता
- 33. **Indeed** (adverb) Truly, certainly, actually, really, undoubtedly वास्तव में
- 34. **Empirical** (adjective) based on, concerned with, or verifiable by observation or

- experience rather than theory or pure logic. प्रयोगसिद्ध
- 35. **Empower** (verb) Authorize, enable, permit, allow, equip संशक्त बनाना
- 36. **Give effect to** (phrase) Implement, enforce, apply, carry out, execute लागू करना
- 37. **Elbow out** (phrasal verb) Oust, displace, push aside, supplant, remove बाहर निकालना
- 38. **Hitherto** (adverb) Until now, previously, formerly, so far, up to this point अब तक
- 39. **Confine** (to) (verb) Restrict, limit, restrain, enclose, contain सीमित करना
- 40. **Better-off** (noun) Wealthier, more prosperous, richer, more affluent, well-to-do समृद्ध
- 41. **Non-binding** (adjective) Non-mandatory, optional, voluntary, not obligatory, unenforceable गैर-बाध्यकारी
- 42. **The marginalised** (noun) The disadvantaged, oppressed, excluded, neglected, underprivileged वंचित लोग

### The Hindu Editorial: medieval-minded (06 AUG 2024)

- Worsen (verb) Deteriorate, aggravate, exacerbate, decline, degrade बिगडना
  - 2. **Unconstitutional** (adjective) Illegal, unlawful, invalid. illicit. unauthorized असंवैधानिक
  - 3. **Regressive** (adjective) Backward, retrogressive, reactionary, conservative, negative प्रतिगामी
  - 4. **Stringent** (adjective) Strict, severe, rigid, harsh, inflexible कठोर
  - 5. **Enact** (verb) Pass, legislate, establish, approve, implement लागू करना
  - 6. **Lead** (to) (verb) Result in, cause, bring about, induce, trigger कारण बनना
  - 7. **Seek** (verb) Attempt, try, aim, strive, pursue प्रयास करना
  - 8. **Coercion** (noun) Force, compulsion, pressure, intimidation, duress ज़बरदस्ती
  - 9. **Entail** (verb) Involve, require, necessitate, include, demand आवश्यक करना
  - 10. **Imprisonment** (noun) Incarceration, confinement, detention, captivity, jail कारावास
  - 11. **Prescribe** (verb) Stipulate, dictate, specify, ordain, establish निर्धारित करना
  - 12. **Stiff** (adjective) Severe, harsh, strict, tough, stern संख्त
  - 13. **Concerning** (adjective) Worrying, alarming, disturbing, troubling, unsettling चिंताजनक
  - 14. **Grant** (noun) Allowance, permission, concession, approval, endowment देना
  - 15. **Purported** (adjective) Alleged, supposed, claimed, professed, ostensible कथित

- 16. **Gravity** (noun) Seriousness, importance, weight, significance, magnitude गंभीरता
- 17. **Amended** (adjective) Revised, modified, altered, changed, adjusted संशोधित
- 18. **Accuse** (verb) Charge, allege, indict, blame, prosecute आरोप लगाना
- 19. **Prosecutor** (noun) Attorney, lawyer, legal representative, counsel, solicitor अभियोक्ता
- 20. **Guilty** (noun) Offender, culprit, wrongdoer, criminal, lawbreaker दोषी
- 21. **Unlikely** (adjective) Improbable, doubtful, uncertain, implausible, dubious असंभाव्य
- 22. **Bail-denying** (adjective) Bail-rejecting, bail-refusing, bail-blocking, bail-preventing जमानत से इनकार करना
- 23. **Provision** (noun) Clause, stipulation, term, requirement, condition प्रावधान
- 24. **Supposedly** (adverb) Allegedly, ostensibly, apparently, purportedly, presumably कथित रूप से
- 25. **Forcible** (adjective) Coercive, violent, aggressive, compelling, assertive ज़बरदस्ती
- 26. **Reprehensible** (adjective) Deplorable, blameworthy, condemnable, disgraceful, objectionable निंदनीय
- 27. **Communal** (adjective) Sectarian, factional, religious, collective, group-based सांप्रदायिक
- 28. **Sundry** (adjective) Various, diverse, miscellaneous, assorted, different विविध
- 29. **Busybody** (noun) Meddler, interferer, snoop, intruder, gossip दखल देने वाला

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- 30. **Aggrieved** (adjective) Distressed, upset, troubled, offended, wronged पीडित
- 31. **Amend** (verb) Change, modify, revise, alter, adjust संशोधित करना
- 32. **Teeth** (noun) Power, strength, force, authority, impact तीकत
- 33. **Root** (in) (verb) Base, establish, embed, ground, anchor आधारित होना
- 34. **Spike** (noun) Increase, surge, rise, peak, upsurge वृद्धि
- 35. **Widespread** (adjective) Extensive, prevalent, pervasive, common, rampant व्यापक
- 36. **Inasmuch as** (phrase) Because, since, given that, due to, in view of क्योंकि
- 37. **Criminalise** (verb) Illegalize, ban, outlaw, prohibit, forbid अपराधीकरण करना
- 38. **Null and void** (phrase) Invalid, void, inoperative, unenforceable, nullified निरस्त

- 39. **Mandate** (verb) Order, decree, command, require, authorize अनिवार्य करना
- 40. **Intimation** (noun) Notification, announcement, indication, communication, declaration सूचना
- 41. **Violation** (noun) Infringement, breach, transgression, contravention, offense उৎপাঘন
- 42. **Betray** (verb) Reveal, disclose, expose, uncover, divulge प्रकट কংনা
- 43. **Medieval-mindedness** (noun) Antiquated thinking, backward mentality, outdated mindset, old-fashioned views मध्यकालीन मानसिकता
- 44. **Unbecoming** (adjective) Inappropriate, unsuitable, unseemly, improper, unfitting अनुचित
- 45. **Forward-looking** (adjective) Progressive, visionary, modern, innovative, future-oriented प्रगतिशील

# The Hindu Editorial: On the edge (07 AUG 2024)

- 1. **On the edge** (phrase) On the brink, at the point, close to, near, on the verge of के কगार पर
- 2. **The West** (noun) Referring to Western countries, typically those in Europe and North America पश्चिमी देश
- 3. **Rein in** (phrasal verb) Control, restrain, curb, check, hold back नियंत्रित करना
- 4. **To the brink of** (phrase) On the verge of, on the edge of, close to, near, almost at के कगार पर
- 5. **Claim** (verb) Assert, declare, state, profess, maintain दावा करना
- 6. **Strike** (noun) Attack, hit, assault, blow, offensive हमला
- 7. **Assassination** (noun) Killing, murder, execution, elimination, slaying हत्या
- 8. **Tense** (adjective) Strained, uneasy, nervous, apprehensive, agitated तनावपूर्ण
- 9. **Break out** (phrasal verb) Erupt, commence, start, begin, flare up शुरू होना
- 10. **Exchange fire** (phrase) Shoot at each other, engage in gunfire, trade shots, fire upon one another, engage in combat गोलीबारी करना
- 11. **Breach** (verb) Violate, break, infringe, defy, disobey तोड़ना
- 12. **Heighten** (verb) Intensify, increase, escalate, amplify, raise बढ़ाना
- 13. **Retaliation** (noun) Revenge, reprisal, counterattack, retribution, vengeance प्रतिशोध

- 14. **Bomb** (verb) Attack, explode, detonate, strike, blast बम गिराना
- 15. **Embassy** (noun) Diplomatic mission, consulate, diplomatic office, legation, representation द्वतावास
- 16. **Shoot down** (phrasal verb) Destroy, bring down, take down, eliminate, intercept मार गिराना
- 17. **Coalition** (noun) Alliance, union, partnership, federation, bloc **ग**ठबंधन
- 18. **Carry out** (phrasal verb) Execute, implement, perform, conduct, accomplish अंजाम देना
- 19. **Unlikely** (adjective) Improbable, doubtful, uncertain, implausible, unconvincing असंभाव्य
- 20. **Ally** (noun) Partner, associate, friend, confederate, comrade सहयोगी
- 21. Inauguration (noun) Initiation, commencement, opening, launch, induction उद्घाटन
- 22. **Demonstrate** (verb) Show, exhibit, display, illustrate, prove प्रदर्शित करना
- 23. **Pull off** (phrasal verb) Achieve, accomplish, succeed, execute, manage सफल होना
- 24. **Sophisticated** (adjective) Advanced, complex, refined, intricate, high-tech जटिल
- 25. **Hostile** (adjective) Unfriendly, antagonistic, aggressive, confrontational, adversarial शत्रुतापूर्ण

- 26. **Vulnerability** (noun) Weakness, susceptibility, fragility, exposure, sensitivity कमजोरी
- 27. **Unchecked** (adjective) Unrestrained, uncontrolled, rampant, unregulated, uncurbed अनियंत्रित
- 28. **Militarism** (noun) Aggression, belligerence, combativeness, warlike behavior, martialism सैन्यवाद
- 29. **Turn out** (phrasal verb) Prove to be, become, end up, result in, develop into साबित होना
- 30. **Counterproductive** (adjective) Harmful, detrimental, adverse, self-defeating, obstructive प्रतिकूल
- 31. In the long run (phrase) Eventually, over time, ultimately, in the end, in the long term अंततः
- 32. **Apparent** (adjective) Obvious, evident, clear, noticeable, visible स्पष्ट
- 33. Hostage-ceasefire deal (noun) An agreement between conflicting parties to temporarily halt hostilities and release hostages, often as part of broader peace negotiations or conflict resolution efforts. बंधक युद्धविराम समझौता
- 34. **Exile** (noun) Banishment, expulsion, expatriation, displacement, deportation निर्वासन
- 35. **Ceasefire** (noun) Truce, armistice, suspension of hostilities, peace agreement, halt to fighting युद्धविराम

- 36. **Flagrant** (adjective) Blatant, obvious, glaring, egregious, brazen स्पष्ट
- 37. **Violation** (noun) Breach, infringement, transgression, contravention, non-compliance উল্টেখন
- 38. **Sovereignty** (noun) Autonomy, independence, self-rule, self-governance, freedom संप्रभुता
- 39. **Retaliate** (verb) Avenge, revenge, strike back, fight back, respond प्रतिशोध लेना
- 40. **Drag into** (phrasal verb) Involve, pull in, entangle, embroil, bring into खींचना
- 41. **Disastrous** (adjective) Catastrophic, devastating, calamitous, ruinous, dire विनाशकारी
- 42. **Outcome** (noun) Result, consequence, effect, conclusion, end result परिणाम
- 43. **Provocative** (adjective) Incendiary, inflammatory, inciting, challenging, stimulating उत्तेजक
- 44. **Brace** (for) (verb) Prepare for, get ready for, steel oneself for, fortify against, anticipate तैयारी करना
- 45. **Ally** (noun) Partner, associate, friend, confederate, comrade सहयोगी
- 46. **Minimal** (adjective) Least, smallest, tiniest, lowest, negligible न्यूनतम
- 47. **Put in place** (phrase) Implement, establish, set up, arrange, organize लागू करना
- 48. **Threaten** (verb) Intimidate, menace, endanger, jeopardize, warn खतरा होना

## The Hindu Editorial: From hope to despair (08 AUG 2024)

- Despair (noun) Hopelessness, despondency, depression, desperation, gloom निराशा
- 2. **Authoritarian** (adjective) Autocratic, dictatorial, tyrannical, oppressive, despotic सत्तावादी
- 3. **Streak** (noun) Trait, characteristic, aspect, side, element, quality प्रवृत्ति
- 4. **Dramatic** (adjective) Impressive, striking, vivid, exciting, theatrical नाटकीय
- 5. **Escape** (noun) Breakout, flight, getaway, evasion, exit भाग निकलना
- 6. **Mob** (noun) Crowd, throng, swarm, horde, mass भੀਫ
- 7. **Arson** (noun) Fire-raising, incendiary attack, torching, pyromania, burning आगजनी
- 8. **Vandalism** (noun) Destruction, defacement, damage, mischief, havoc तोड़फोड़
- 9. **Ousted** (adjective) Expelled, removed, overthrown, ejected, deposed निष्कासित
- 10. **Lead** (to) (verb) Result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, produce বৈসह बनना
- 11. **Outcome** (noun) Result, consequence, effect, end, upshot परिणाम
- 12. **Breathe life** (phrase) Revitalize, rejuvenate, enliven, invigorate, animate जान ভালনা
- 13. **Eventually** (adverb) Ultimately, finally, in the end, at last, sooner or later अंततः
- 14. **Adversary** (noun) Opponent, enemy, rival, antagonist, competitor प्रतिद्वंद्वी

- 15. **Admire** (verb) Respect, appreciate, esteem, regard, honor प्रशंसा करना
- 16. **Crackdown** (noun) Suppression, clampdown, repression, enforcement, action कार्यवाही
- 17. **Radicalisation** (noun) Extremism, fundamentalism, fanaticism, militancy, extremity कट्टरपंथी बनाना
- 18. **Revile** (verb) Criticize, condemn, denounce, vilify, malign निंदा करना
- 19. **Tactic** (noun) Strategy, plan, method, approach, maneuver रणनीति
- 20. **The final straw** (phrase) Breaking point, last straw, tipping point, trigger, catalyst आखिरी कड़ी
- 21. Decade (noun) a period of ten years दशक
- 22. **Allegation** (noun) Accusation, charge, claim, assertion, indictment आरोप
- 23. **Vote rigging** (noun) the practice of using illegal methods to obtain a particular result in an election मतदान धांधली
- 24. **Suppression** (noun) Restraint, control, repression, quelling, stifling दमन
- 25. **Activist** (noun) Campaigner, advocate, protester, reformer, agitator कार्यकर्ता
- 26. **Trumped-up** (adjective) Fabricated, false, concocted, fake, bogus मनगढ़ंत
- 27. **Tip** (to) (verb) Predict, forecast, anticipate, suggest, indicate संकेत करना
- 28. **Refusal** (noun) Rejection, denial, decline, nonacceptance, turndown अस्वीकृति

- 29. **Space** (noun) Room, area, gap, interval, expanse, freedom, levity स्वतंत्रता
- 30. **Dissent** (noun) Disagreement, opposition, conflict, protest, nonconformity असहमित
- 31. **Tarnish** (verb) Stain, spoil, damage, taint, blemish धूमिल करना
- 32. **Legacy** (noun) the long-lasting impact of particular events, actions, etc. that took place in the past, or of a person's life. संपदा
- 33. **Hold dear** (phrase) Value, cherish, treasure, appreciate, prize प्रिय रखना
- 34. **Much-beloved** (adjective) Cherished, adored, dearly loved, treasured, highly regarded प्रिय
- 35. **Amidst** (preposition) Among, in the middle of, surrounded by, within, between के बीच में
- 36. **Rubble** (noun) Debris, wreckage, ruins, remains, detritus মলৰা
- 37. **Encouragement** (noun) Support, motivation, inspiration, reassurance, boost प्रोत्साहन
- 38. **Tense** (adjective) Strained, stressful, uneasy, nervous, edgy तनावपूर्ण
- 39. **Ties** (noun) Connections, relations, bonds, links, associations संबंध
- 40. **Underlying** (adjective) Fundamental, basic, primary, essential, core अंतर्निहित
- 41. **Secularism** (noun) Non-religiousness, separation of church and state, nonspirituality, impartiality, neutrality धर्मनिरपेक्षता
- 42. **Usher in** (phrasal verb) Introduce, initiate, start, commence, herald प्रारंभ करना

- 43. **Cause** (noun) Reason, motive, basis, purpose, rationale কার্যা
- 44. **Introspection** (noun) Self-reflection, self-examination, contemplation, meditation, thoughtfulness आत्मिनरीक्षण
- 45. **Complicit** (adjective) Involved, implicated, associated, connected, entangled मिलीभगत
- 46. **Repercussion** (noun) Consequence, effect, impact, outcome, result अप्रत्यक्ष प्रभाव
- 47. **Goodwill** (noun) Friendship, kindness, benevolence, favor, amity सद्भावना; साख
- 48. **Unalloyed** (adjective) Pure, genuine, unadulterated, true, unmodified যুব্ধ
- 49. **Uncritical** (adjective) accepting something too easily, because of being unwilling or unable to criticize हितैषी, नेकदिल
- 50. **Unpopular** (adjective) Disliked, unpopular, unfashionable, frowned upon, not in favor अलोकप्रिय
- 51. **Accord** (verb) Grant, give, provide, bestow, award देना
- 52. **Uphold** (verb) Support, maintain, defend, sustain, endorse समर्थन करना
- 53. **Regime** (noun) Government, administration, system, authority, rule शासन
- 54. **Assist** (verb) Help, aid, support, facilitate, back सहायता करना
- 55. **Transition** (noun) Change, shift, transformation, conversion, alteration परिवर्तन
- 56. **Inclusive** (adjective) Comprehensive, allencompassing, all-embracing, broad, complete समावेशी

### The Hindu Editorial: Under overlords (09 AUG 2024)

- Overlord (noun) Dominant ruler, master, supreme authority, sovereign, dictator अधिपति
- 2. **Ruling** (noun) Decision, judgment, verdict, decree, pronouncement निर्णय
- 3. Aldermen (noun) an elected member of a city council. नगरसेवक
- 4. **Vulnerability** (noun) Susceptibility, weakness, defenselessness, exposure, sensitivity कमजोरी
- 5. **Dominance** (noun) Control, supremacy, authority, command, power प्रभुत्व
- 6. **Verdict** (noun) Judgment, decision, ruling, conclusion, finding फैसला
- 7. **Hold** (verb) Maintain, assert, state, declare, affirm मानना
- 8. **Exercise** (verb) Use, employ, apply, implement, practice प्रयोग करना
- 9. **Underscore** (verb) Emphasize, highlight, stress, underline, accentuate जोर देना
- 10. **Utter** (adjective) Complete, total, absolute, sheer, thorough ਪ੍ਰਾਰੀ
- 11. **Overlordship** (noun) Supreme authority, dominance, control, rule, sovereignty प्रभुत्व
- 12. **Rely** (on) (verb) Depend on, trust in, count on, lean on, be dependent निर्भर होना
- 13. **Seek** (to) (verb) Attempt to, try to, aim to, strive to, pursue कोशिश करना
- 14. **Strike a balance** (phrase) Find a middle ground, compromise, balance, reconcile, harmonize संतुलन बनाना

- 15. **Regime** (noun) Government, administration, system, authority, rule शासन
- 16. **Outcome** (noun) Result, consequence, effect, end result, conclusion परिणाम
- 17. **Litigation** (noun) Legal action, lawsuit, legal proceedings, court case, judicial process मुकदमा
- 18. **Given** (preposition) Considering, taking into account, in light of, in view of, due to देखते हुए
- 19. **Relevance** (noun) Importance, significance, pertinence, applicability, relation प्रासंगिकता
- 20. **Statutory** (adjective) Legal, legislated, regulated, prescribed by law, lawful वैधानिक
- 21. **Constitutional** (adjective) Relating to the constitution, charter-based, fundamental, legal, lawful संवैधानिक
- 22. **Provision** (noun) Clause, stipulation, condition, requirement, term प्रावधान
- 23. **Bound** (adjective) Obliged, constrained, restricted, compelled, tied बाध्य
- 24. **The aid and advice** (noun) The support and recommendations provided, particularly by a council or advisory body, which in the context of governance, often refers to the guidance given by the Council of Ministers to the head of state or government.

- 25. **Concurrent list** (noun) A list of subjects on which both the central and state governments can legislate. समवर्ती सूची
- 26. **Enact** (verb) Pass, legislate, decree, make law, establish लागू करना
- 27. **Empower** (verb) Authorize, enable, permit, entitle, give power सशक्त बनाना
- 28. **Constitution Bench** (noun) A bench of the Supreme Court of India dealing with fundamental constitutional issues. संवैधानिक पीठ
- 29. **Lay down** (phrasal verb) Establish, set, prescribe, dictate, state स्थापित करना
- 30. **Framework** (noun) Structure, system, plan, scheme, outline ढांचा
- 31. **Escalation** (noun) Increase, intensification, rise, growth, expansion वृद्धि
- 32. **Differences** (noun) Disagreements, disputes, conflicts, divergences, variations ਸਰਮੇਫ
- 33. **Acrimony** (noun) Bitterness, hostility, animosity, rancor, resentment कटुता
- 34. **Tussle** (noun) Struggle, conflict, fight, skirmish, scuffle संघर्ष
- 35. **The final say** (noun) Ultimate decision, last word, final authority, conclusive opinion अंतिम निर्णय
- 36. **In respect of** (phrase) Regarding, concerning, in relation to, with reference to, pertaining to के संबंध में

- 37. **Jurisdiction** (noun) Authority, control, power, domain, territory अधिकार क्षेत्र
- 38. **Unlike** (preposition) Different from, in contrast to, dissimilar to, not like, unalike के विपरीत
- 39. **Domain** (noun) Area, field, sphere, realm, territory क्षेत्र
- 40. **Amend** (verb) Modify, alter, revise, change, adjust संशोधित करना
- 41. **Supersede** (verb) Replace, overrule, supplant, displace, take over प्रतिस्थापित करना
- 42. **Legislative power** (noun) The authority granted to legislative bodies (such as parliaments or assemblies) to create, amend, and enact laws. विधायी शक्ति
- 43. Executive power (noun) The authority exercised by the executive branch of government, which includes the implementation and enforcement of laws, management of public policies, and administration of public affairs. कार्यकारी शक्ति
- 44. **Coextensive** (adjective) Overlapping, concurrent, coinciding, matching, coterminous सहिवस्तृत
- 45. **Undermine** (verb) Weaken, sabotage, erode, subvert, destabilize कमजोर करना

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- 1. **Go to extraordinary lengths** (phrase) Make exceptional efforts, go above and beyond, strive tirelessly, go the extra mile, take extreme measures असाधारण प्रयास करना
- 2. **Tale** (noun) Story, narrative, account, chronicle, fable कहानी
- 3. **Sombre** (adjective) Gloomy, serious, melancholy, grave, subdued उदास
- 4. **Red-hot** (adjective) a person or team that is strongly expected to win.
- 5. **Summit clash** (noun) Final match
- 6. **Fizzle out** (phrasal verb) Fade away, peter out, die down, lose momentum, come to nothing फीका पड़ जाना
- Acutely (adverb) Intensely, sharply, severely, profoundly, keenly तीव्रता से
- 8. **Razor-sharp** (adjective) Extremely precise, very sharp, keen, incisive, highly accurate तीव्र
- 9. **Distinguish** (verb) Differentiate, set apart, identify, recognize, mark भिन्न करना
- 10. **Ace** (adjective) Top, best, expert, master, outstanding প্ৰস্ত
- 11. **Stipulated** (adjective) Specified, prescribed, mandated, required, set निर्धारित
- 12. **Weigh-in** (noun) Weight measurement, weighing procedure, check-in, scale session वजन माप

- 13. **Bout** (noun) Match, contest, round, competition, struggle মুকাৰণা
- 14. **Funereal** (adjective) Gloomy, mournful, solemn, dismal, sorrowful शोकपूर्ण
- 15. **Ripple** (verb) Spread, move, flow, undulate, radiate ਪ੍ਰੱਯ ਤਠਜੀ/ फੈलना
- 16. **Expectant** (adjective) Hopeful, anticipating, eager, awaiting, looking forward to अपेक्षी
- 17. **Halo** (noun) Aura, radiance, glow, light, circle of light प्रभामंडल
- 18. **Topple** (verb) Overthrow, overturn, unseat, defeat, bring down हाराना
- 19. **Defending champion** (noun) Titleholder, reigning champion, current winner, reigning titleholder, incumbent champion मौजूदा चैंपियन
- 20. **Eventually** (adverb) Ultimately, finally, in the end, sooner or later, after some time अंततः
- 21. **Get past** (phrase) Overcome, surpass, move beyond, defeat, advance beyond हराना
- 22. **Mixed media zone** (noun) Area where media interactions take place, press zone, interview area, media interaction space मिश्रित मीडिया क्षेत्र
- 23. **Wave** (verb) Gesture, signal, motion, beckon, move हाथ हिलाना
- 24. **Scribe** (noun) Journalist, writer, reporter, author, chronicler लेखक

- 25. **Refrain from** (phrasal verb) Avoid, abstain from, hold back from, desist, withhold from से बचना
- 26. **Ring the alarm bells** (phrase) Raise concerns, signal danger, alert, warn, sound a warning चेतावनी देना
- 27. **Contingent** (noun) Group, team, delegation, party, unit বল
- 28. **Conscious** (adjective) Aware, mindful, alert, attentive, cognizant जামক
- 29. **Ensuing** (adjective) Following, resulting, subsequent, ensuing, next आगामी
- 30. **Pursue** (verb) Follow, chase, strive for, seek, engage in करना
- 31. **Crash course** (noun) a brief, intensive course of instruction, as to prepare one quickly for a test.
- 32. **Starvation** (noun) Famine, hunger, deprivation, malnutrition, fasting भुखमरी
- 33. **Frenetic** (adjective) Frantic, hectic, chaotic, frenzied, wildly active प्रचंड
- 34. **Induced** (adjective) Caused, brought on, prompted, triggered, stimulated ਪ੍ਰੇਟਿਰ
- 35. **Nausea** (noun) Sickness, queasiness, vomiting sensation, dizziness, seasickness जी मिचलाना
- 36. **Insomnia** (noun) Sleeplessness, wakefulness, inability to sleep, restlessness, sleep deprivation अनिद्रा

- 37. **Budge** (on) (verb) Move, shift, change position, give way, alter सरकाना/ हिलना
- 38. **Rest** (with) (verb) Depend on, lie with, be the responsibility of, reside with, be up to पर निर्भर करना
- 39. **Pertain** (to) (verb) Relate to, concern, be relevant to, refer to, be associated with संबंधित होना
- 40. **In the larger scheme** (phrase) In the grander context, in the broader picture, in the overall plan, considering everything व्यापक परिप्रेक्ष्य में
- 41. **Charge** (noun) Attack, assault, onslaught, offensive, push हमला
- 42. **Victor** (noun) Winner, champion, conqueror, vanquisher, triumpher विजेता
- 43. **Podium** (noun) Platform, stage, dais, stand, rostrum मंच
- 44. **Culminate** (verb) Conclude, reach the peak, end, finish, climax नतीजा निकलना
- 45. **In despair** (phrase) In hopelessness, in distress, in dejection, in desperation, in anguish निराशा में
- 46. **Metaphor** (noun) Symbol, figure of speech, analogy, representation, emblem रूपक
- 47. **Wage** (verb) Carry on, engage in, undertake, conduct, prosecute संघर्ष करना
- 48. **Former** (adjective) Previous, earlier, past, prior, one-time पूर्व

- 49. **Allegation** (noun) Accusation, claim, charge, assertion, indictment आरोप
- 50. **Harassment** (noun) Persecution, intimidation, bullying, torment, annoyance उत्पीड़न
- 51. **Cleave** (verb) Split, divide, separate, sever, cut apart तोड़ना
- 52. **Lean** (on) (verb) Depend on, rely on, trust in, count on, support झुक जाना
- 53. **Patriarchy** (noun) Male dominance, male authority, male rule, male control, paternalism पितसत्ता
- 54. **Rebuff** (verb) Reject, snub, turn down, dismiss, refuse अस्वीकार करना
- 55. **Belated** (adjective) Late, overdue, delayed, tardy, behind schedule विलंबित
- 56. **Clean-up** (noun) Purge, clearing, rectification, reform, corrective action सफाई

- 57. **Prism** (noun) Perspective, viewpoint, angle, lens, way of looking दृष्टिकोण
- 58. **Overwhelming** (adjective) Intense, overpowering, massive, immense, staggering भारी
- 59. **Angst** (noun) Anxiety, worry, fear, concern, unease चिंता/ आक्रोश
- 60. **Sacrosanct** (adjective) Sacred, inviolable, untouchable, unchallengeable, hallowed पवित्र
- 61. **Find oneself at the wrong end** (phrase)

   Be on the losing side, suffer
  consequences, be disadvantaged, face
  the negative outcome गलत अंत पर होना
- 62. **Await** (verb) Wait for, expect, anticipate, be in store for, look forward to प्रतीक्षा करना
- 63. **Verdict** (noun) Judgment, decision, ruling, finding, conclusion फैसला