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Part - A

The Hindu Editorial: American retreat (07 APR 2025)

1. **Retreat** (noun) – withdrawal, pullback, fallback, exit, recession **वापसी**
2. **Protectionism** (noun) – trade barriers, tariff policy, import restrictions, economic nationalism, market shielding **संरक्षणवाद**
3. **Cede** (verb) – surrender, relinquish, give up, yield, hand over **त्यागना**
4. **Powerhouse** (noun) – a person or thing of great energy, strength, or power. **शक्ति केंद्र**
5. **Mirror** (verb) – reflect, resemble, imitate, replicate, echo **प्रकट करना**
6. **Set a precedent** (phrase) – establish example, initiate tradition, create benchmark, lay groundwork, pioneer **उदाहरण स्थापित करना**
7. **Disruptive** (adjective) – unsettling, disturbing, radical, game-changing, chaotic **विघटनकारी**
8. **Stun** (verb) – shock, astonish, daze, amaze, dumbfound **चौंका देना**
9. **Suspension** (noun) – halt, pause, stoppage, interruption, break **निलंबन**
10. **Dismantle** (verb) – break down, remove, abolish, disassemble, undo **तोड़ना**
11. **Framework** (noun) – structure, system, setup, model, arrangement **ढांचा**
12. **Work out** (phrasal verb) – resolve, develop, formulate, figure out, sort out **समाधान करना**
13. **Unilaterally** (adverb) – independently, one-sidedly, alone, singly, solo **एकतरफा रूप से**
14. **Lead** (to) (verb) – result in, cause, trigger, give rise to, bring about **उत्पन्न करना**
15. **Setting up** (noun) – establishment, creation, formation, launching, initiation **स्थापना**
16. **Anchor** (verb) – stabilize, secure, root, fix, support **आधार बनाना**
17. **Stability** (noun) – steadiness, firmness, constancy, balance, security **स्थिरता**
18. **Avenue** (noun) – route, path, channel, option, opportunity **मार्ग**
19. **Address** (verb) – deal with, handle, tackle, resolve, confront **समाधान करना**
20. **Finance** (verb) – fund, support, sponsor, underwrite, back **वित्त देना**
21. **Colonial** (adjective) – imperial, pre-independence, dominion-related, foreign-ruled, empire-related **औपनिवेशिक**
22. **Upend** (verb) – overturn, disrupt, unsettle, invert, destabilize **उलट देना**
23. **Reckon** (verb) – think, believe, estimate, suppose, consider **मानना**
24. **Era** (noun) – period, age, epoch, phase, time **युग**
25. **Market volatility** (noun) – fluctuation, instability, swings, unpredictability, turbulence **बाजार में अस्थिरता**

26. **Reciprocal tariff** (noun) – a tax or trade restriction that one country places on another in response to similar actions taken by that country. **प्रतिशोधात्मक शुल्क**
27. **Usher in** (phrasal verb) – introduce, start, initiate, launch, bring in **शुरुआत करना**
28. **Extent** (noun) – range, level, scope, degree, magnitude **सीमा**
29. **Alter** (verb) – change, modify, adjust, revise, transform **बदलना**
30. **Disrupt** (verb) – interfere, disturb, damage, interrupt, destabilize **बाधित करना**
31. **Account for** (phrasal verb) – make up, represent, constitute, comprise, **बनाना**
32. **Reroute** (verb) – redirect, divert, shift, rechannel, change path **रास्ता बदलना**
33. **Ripple effect** (noun) – the effect or influence of a situation, action, event, etc. that does not stop but is experienced on a series of things one after the other **श्रृंखलाबद्ध प्रभाव**
34. **Slowdown** (noun) – decline, deceleration, slump, dip, recession **मंदी**
35. **Scramble** (verb) – rush, hustle, scurry, compete, struggle **संघर्ष करना**
36. **Economies** (noun) – Countries in terms of GDP **अर्थव्यवस्थाएं**
37. **Diminished** (adjective) – reduced, lessened, weakened, declined, shrunken **कम हुआ**
38. **Dominant** (adjective) – leading, powerful, prevailing, controlling, ruling **प्रमुख**
39. **Supremacy** (noun) – dominance, superiority, preeminence, authority, control **प्रभुत्व**
40. **Overwhelming** (adjective) – massive, immense, powerful, intense, great **भारी / अत्यधिक**
41. **Gravity** (noun) – seriousness, importance, weight, magnitude, significance **महत्व**
42. **Hasten** (verb) – accelerate, quicken, rush, speed up, expedite **तेजी लाना**
43. **Hegemonic** (adjective) – dominant, controlling, ruling, powerful, imperialistic **प्रभुत्वशाली**

The Hindu Editorial: The missing middle (08 APR 2025)

1. **Legislation** (noun) – law, statute, act, bill, regulation कानून / विधेयक
2. **Bipartisan** (adjective) – supported by or involving two political parties द्विदलीय
3. **Notable** (adjective) – significant, remarkable, important, noteworthy, outstanding उल्लेखनीय
4. **Stretch** (verb) – extend, prolong, lengthen, continue, expand बढ़ना / लंबा होना
5. **Reflect** (verb) – show, reveal, indicate, demonstrate, display दर्शाना
6. **Divergence** (noun) – difference, variation, disagreement, deviation, contrast भिन्नता
7. **Convivial** (adjective) – friendly, cheerful, pleasant, sociable, warm मिलनसार
8. **Chair** (noun) – presiding officer, moderator, head, speaker, leader सभापति / अध्यक्ष
9. **Elated** (adjective) – overjoyed, thrilled, delighted, ecstatic, joyful प्रसन्न / बहुत खुश
10. **Preside** (over) (verb) – oversee, manage, conduct, supervise, govern अध्यक्षता करना
11. **Productive** (adjective) – efficient, fruitful, effective, constructive, result-oriented उपयोगी
12. **Ruling** (adjective) – governing, in power, controlling, dominant, incumbent सत्तारूढ़
13. **Content** (adjective) – satisfied, pleased, happy, fulfilled, at ease संतुष्ट
14. **Ally** (noun) – supporter, partner, associate, collaborator, confederate सहयोगी
15. **Following** (preposition) – after, subsequent to, in the wake of, ensuing, in the aftermath of के बाद
16. **Buoyant** (adjective) – upbeat, positive, optimistic, cheerful, confident उत्साही / आत्मविश्वासी
17. **Have one's say** (phrase) – express oneself, voice opinion, speak up, share thoughts, be heard अपनी बात रखना
18. **Constituent** (noun) – member, component, part, voter, element घटक / सदस्य
19. **Fence-sitter** (noun) – someone who supports both sides in a disagreement because they cannot make a decision or do not want to annoy or offend either side अनिर्णीत व्यक्ति
20. **Manage** (to) (verb) – succeed in, accomplish, carry out, pull off, be able to सफल होना
21. **Steer** (verb) – guide, direct, control, navigate, lead संचालन करना
22. **Agenda** (noun) – plan, schedule, program, list of items, outline कार्यसूची
23. **Play to the gallery** (phrase) – to behave in a way intended to make people admire or support you लोक-प्रभाव के लिए प्रदर्शन करना
24. **Please** (verb) – satisfy, delight, gratify, appease, make happy प्रसन्न करना

25. **Off the floor** (phrase) – outside formal proceedings, behind the scenes, in informal settings, away from the main stage
26. **Sharp** (adjective) – intense, severe, harsh, heated, strong तीव्र / तेज
27. **Instance** (noun) – example, case, occurrence, illustration, occasion उदाहरण / घटना
28. **Walk out** (phrasal verb) – leave, exit, withdraw, protest, abandon बाहर निकलना
29. **Stand-off** (noun) – deadlock, impasse, conflict, standoff, disagreement गतिरोध
30. **Unresolved** (adjective) – unsettled, pending, undecided, open, ongoing अनसुलझा
31. **Difference** (noun) – disagreement, divergence, variation, contrast, conflict मतभेद
32. **Prospective** (noun) – potential, likely, expected, possible, probable संभावित
33. **Whip** (noun) – party directive, voting instruction, command, order, mandate पार्टी आदेश
34. **Rile** (verb) – irritate, anger, annoy, provoke, upset नाराज़ करना
35. **Considering** (preposition) – given, in view of, taking into account, in light of, due to ध्यान में रखते हुए
36. **Patriarch** (noun) – elder, founder, senior leader, father figure, head पुरुष प्रमुख / कुलपति
37. **Stance** (noun) – position, viewpoint, opinion, approach, attitude रुख
38. **Underscore** (verb) – emphasize, highlight, stress, point out, reinforce ज़ोर देना
39. **Reservation** (noun) – doubt, hesitation, objection, concern, misgiving आपत्ति / संकोच
40. **Eagerness** (noun) – enthusiasm, willingness, readiness, zeal, excitement उत्सुकता
41. **Keep a distance from** (phrase) – avoid, stay away, steer clear, detach, disassociate दूरी बनाए रखना
42. **End up** (phrasal verb) – result in, conclude, wind up, land in, reach अंततः होना
43. **Embrace** (noun) – acceptance, adoption, support, approval, inclusion अपनाना
44. **Merit** (noun) – value, worth, quality, strength, advantage योग्यता
45. **Debatable** (adjective) – arguable, questionable, disputable, controversial, uncertain विवादास्पद
46. **Refusal** (noun) – denial, rejection, non-acceptance, turndown, dismissal अस्वीकार
47. **Majoritarianism** (noun) – majority rule, dominance of majority, majority control, populism, tyranny of the majority बहुसंख्यकवाद

48. **Barring** (preposition) – except, excluding, apart from, save for, other than **को छोड़कर**

49. **Highlight** (verb) – emphasize, underline, stress, spotlight, bring attention to **जोर देना**

50. **Alliance** (noun) – coalition, partnership, union, bloc, affiliation **गठबंधन**

51. **Veneer** (noun) – facade, appearance, superficial layer, disguise, outer cover **ऊपर की चमक / बाहरी दिखावा**

52. **Polarisation** (noun) – division, separation, splitting, partisanship, divergence **ध्रुवीकरण**

53. **Expand** (verb) – increase, broaden, extend, grow, enlarge **विस्तृत करना**

54. **On that count** (phrase) – in that regard, in that aspect, for that reason, considering that, in that respect **उस दृष्टिकोण से / उस मामले में**

The Hindu Editorial: Inconclusive chapter (09 APR 2025)

1. **Inconclusive** (adjective) – unresolved, unsettled, indecisive, unconfirmed, indefinite अनिर्णीत
2. **Withhold** (verb) – refuse, hold back, deny, suppress, retain रोकना
3. **Assent** (noun) – approval, consent, agreement, endorsement, sanction स्वीकृति
4. **Brace** (for) (verb) – prepare, gear up, ready, fortify, steel oneself तैयार होना
5. **Convene** (verb) – assemble, gather, summon, call together, meet बैठक बुलाना
6. **Strategise** (verb) – plan, devise, scheme, chart out, formulate रणनीति बनाना
7. **Approaching** (adjective) – upcoming, nearing, impending, forthcoming, imminent आने वाला
8. **Development** (noun) – event, progress, occurrence, change, advancement घटनाक्रम
9. **Bound** (to) (adjective) – certain, sure, destined, inevitable, likely निश्चित
10. **Anxious** (adjective) – worried, nervous, concerned, apprehensive, uneasy चिंतित
11. **Exemption** (noun) – exclusion, waiver, relief, release, immunity छूट
12. **Discourse** (noun) – discussion, debate, dialogue, conversation, deliberation विमर्श
13. **Legislate** (verb) – enact, make laws, formulate, authorize, mandate कानून बनाना
14. **Mandate** (noun) – directive, order, decree, instruction, command आदेश
15. **Protracted** (adjective) – prolonged, extended, lengthy, dragged out, drawn-out लंबा खिंचा हुआ
16. **Unpredictable** (adjective) – uncertain, variable, erratic, unreliable, unstable अप्रत्याशित
17. **Fate** (noun) – outcome, destiny, result, consequence, end भाग्य / परिणाम
18. **Ruling** (adjective) – governing, dominant, leading, in power, controlling सत्तारूढ़
19. **Unanimously** (adverb) – collectively, with one voice, without dissent, in agreement, jointly सर्वसम्मति से
20. **Attain** (verb) – achieve, reach, accomplish, gain, realize प्राप्त करना
21. **Concerning** (adjective) – worrying, troubling, alarming, distressing, disturbing चिंताजनक
22. **Perpetual** (adjective) – continuous, unending, constant, everlasting, relentless लगातार
23. **Firm** (adjective) – Definite, certain, resolved, determined, resolute, दृढ़
24. **Endanger** (verb) – risk, threaten, imperil, jeopardize, expose खतरे में डालना

25. **Sovereignty** (noun) – independence, autonomy, self-rule, dominion, authority
संप्रभुता
26. **Integrity** (noun) – unity, wholeness, cohesiveness, soundness, undividedness
अखंडता
27. **Affirmatively** (adverb) – positively, supportively, approvingly, agreeably, yesward
सकारात्मक रूप से
28. **Framer** (noun) – drafter, author, designer, creator, originator
संविधान निर्माता / प्रारूपकर्ता
29. **Incorporate** (verb) – include, integrate, embed, embody, assimilate
सम्मिलित करना
30. **Empower** (verb) – authorize, enable, permit, entitle, equip
सशक्त बनाना
31. **Grant** (verb) – give, allow, bestow, confer, approve
देना / प्रदान करना
32. **Repugnant** (adjective) – conflicting, contradictory, opposed, inconsistent, objectionable
विरोधी / असंगत
33. **Uphold** (verb) – maintain, support, validate, confirm, sustain
समर्थन करना
34. **Obligation** (noun) – duty, responsibility, requirement, compulsion, commitment
दायित्व
35. **Reflect** (verb) – show, express, display, indicate, reveal
प्रकट करना
36. **Will** (noun) – desire, intention, wish, determination, volition
इच्छा
37. **Foolproof** (noun) – reliable, error-free, infallible, secure, guaranteed
अचूक
38. **Competency** (noun) – ability, skill, proficiency, qualification, capability
योग्यता
39. **Settle** (verb) – resolve, decide, conclude, determine, finalize
निपटाना / तय करना
40. **In the interim** (phrase) – meanwhile, in the meantime, for now, temporarily, for the short term
इस बीच

The Hindu Editorial: A regional revival: On the BIMSTEC summit (10 APR 2025)

1. **Revival** (noun) – renewal, resurgence, comeback, restoration, rebirth **पुनरुत्थान**
2. **Summit** (noun) – conference, meeting, gathering, assembly, convention **शिखर सम्मेलन**
3. **Bilateral** (adjective) – two-sided, mutual, reciprocal, involving both sides, joint **द्विपक्षीय**
4. **Turbulence** (noun) – instability, unrest, turmoil, disturbance, chaos **अशांति**
5. **Reignite** (verb) – restart, renew, revive, rekindle, resume **फिर से आरंभ करना**
6. **Stasis** (noun) – stagnation, standstill, inactivity, pause, inertia **स्थिरता / जड़ता**
7. **Cast** (verb) – portray, represent, depict, describe, designate **प्रस्तुत करना**
8. **Mechanism** (noun) – system, process, method, structure, arrangement **प्रणाली**
9. **Languish** (verb) – weaken, deteriorate, wither, decline, fade **कमजोर पड़ना / ठप पड़ना**
10. **Underpinning** (noun) – foundation, basis, support, grounding, rationale **आधार**
11. **Collapse** (verb) – break down, fall apart, disintegrate, fail, crumble **टूट जाना**
12. **Ties** (noun) – connections, relations, bonds, links, associations **संबंध**
13. **Run aground** (phrase) – fail, come to a halt, get stuck, collapse, falter **विफल होना**
14. **Derail** (verb) – disrupt, hinder, obstruct, throw off track, prevent **बाधित करना**
15. **In spite of** (phrase) – despite, although, regardless of, even though, though **इसके बावजूद**
16. **Derailment** (noun) – failure, disruption, breakdown, obstruction, collapse **बाधा**
17. **Given** (preposition) – considering, taking into account, in view of, based on, due to **ध्यान में रखते हुए**
18. **Prone** (to) (adjective) – susceptible, vulnerable, inclined, exposed, liable **प्रवृत्त / संवेदनशील**
19. **Negotiate** (verb) – discuss, bargain, settle, mediate, arrange **बातचीत करना**
20. **Free trade agreement** (noun) – a pact between two or more countries to reduce or eliminate trade barriers, like tariffs, quotas, and other restrictions, to facilitate the free flow of goods and services across borders **मुक्त व्यापार समझौता**
21. **Outline** (verb) – summarize, describe, present, explain, sketch **संक्षेप में बताना**
22. **Multilateral** (adjective) – involving many parties, collective, shared, joint, cooperative **बहुपक्षीय**
23. **Put aside** (phrasal verb) – set aside, disregard, ignore, forget, overlook **अनदेखा करना**
24. **Acrimony** (noun) – bitterness, hostility, resentment, animosity, ill will **कटुता**
25. **Air** (verb) – express, voice, declare, communicate, share **व्यक्त करना**
26. **Grievance** (noun) – complaint, objection, dissatisfaction, resentment, protest **शिकायत**
27. **Rhetoric** (noun) – speech, language, oratory, discourse, expression **बयानबाज़ी**
28. **Refusal** (noun) – rejection, denial, declination, non-acceptance, dismissal **अस्वीकृति**

29. **Exchange** (noun) – interaction, dialogue, communication, discussion, conversation
आदान-प्रदान
30. **Lead** (to) (verb) – result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, produce वजह बनना
31. **Resolution** (noun) – solution, settlement, conclusion, decision, agreement समाधान
32. **Gesture** (noun) – act, sign, signal, move, expression संकेत / इशारा
33. **Counsel** (noun) – advice, guidance, recommendation, suggestion, input सलाह
34. **Restore** (verb) – reinstate, reestablish, bring back, recover, renew पुनर्स्थापित करना
35. **Heed** (verb) – pay attention, listen to, consider, follow, obey ध्यान देना
36. **Productive** (adjective) – fruitful, successful, effective, efficient, beneficial उपयोगी / फलदायी
37. **Replica** (noun) – copy, imitation, duplicate, reproduction, clone प्रतिकृति
38. **Cohesion** (noun) – unity, togetherness, solidarity, harmony, bond एकता / सामंजस्य
39. **Sustainability** (noun) – viability, endurance, durability, maintainability, long-term stability स्थिरता
40. **Atrophy** (verb) – decline, weaken, waste away, deteriorate, decay धीरे-धीरे समाप्त होना

The Pioneer Editorial: The fragile line between healer and healed (11 APR 2025)

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| <p>1. Fragile (adjective) – delicate, weak, breakable, vulnerable, flimsy नाजुक</p> <p>2. Fanfare (noun) – publicity, display, show, celebration, flourish धूमधाम</p> <p>3. Hold someone accountable for (phrase) – blame, make responsible, charge, accuse, call to account ज़िम्मेदार ठहराना</p> <p>4. Unbearable (adjective) – intolerable, insufferable, painful, overwhelming, unendurable असहनीय</p> <p>5. Fury (noun) – rage, anger, wrath, outrage, indignation क्रोध</p> <p>6. Lash out (phrasal verb) – attack, strike out, explode, retaliate, criticize angrily हमला करना / झल्लाना</p> <p>7. Savage (noun) – brute, wild person, barbarian, attacker, assailant असभ्य</p> <p>8. Linger (verb) – remain, stay, persist, loiter, dwell ठहरना / बना रहना</p> <p>9. Echo (noun) – reflection, reverberation, repetition, resound, trace गूँज</p> <p>10. Entirely (adverb) – completely, totally, wholly, absolutely, fully पूरी तरह से</p> <p>11. Seasoned (adjective) – experienced, skilled, veteran, knowledgeable, trained अनुभवी</p> <p>12. Poignant (adjective) – touching, moving, emotional, affecting, heart-wrenching मार्मिक</p> <p>13. Ordain (verb) – decree, appoint, destine, prescribe, establish नियत करना</p> | <p>14. Meet (verb) – fulfill, satisfy, reach, achieve, comply पूरा करना</p> <p>15. Relentless (adjective) – unyielding, constant, unceasing, persistent, intense निरंतर</p> <p>16. Insidious (adjective) – subtle, harmful, sneaky, dangerous, deceitful छिपे रूप में हानिकारक</p> <p>17. Distrust (noun) – suspicion, doubt, lack of faith, disbelief, skepticism अविश्वास</p> <p>18. Entitlement (noun) – right, claim, privilege, expectation, belief अधिकार / विशेष दावा</p> <p>19. Crucify (verb) – condemn, punish harshly, blame severely, victimize, persecute कठोर आलोचना करना</p> <p>20. Exhaustion (noun) – fatigue, tiredness, weariness, depletion, burnout थकावट</p> <p>21. Fatigue (noun) – exhaustion, weariness, tiredness, strain, burnout थकान</p> <p>22. Existential (adjective) – philosophical, deep, life-related, concerning existence, fundamental अस्तित्व संबंधी</p> <p>23. Witness (verb) – observe, see, experience, undergo, record देखना</p> <p>24. Overlook (verb) – ignore, miss, disregard, neglect, excuse नज़रअंदाज़ करना</p> <p>25. Callousness (noun) – insensitivity, cruelty, indifference, harshness, heartlessness कठोरता</p> |
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26. **Accountability** (noun) – responsibility, answerability, liability, duty, obligation
जवाबदेही
27. **Beneath** (preposition) – under, below, underneath, beneath the surface के नीचे
28. **Anxious** (adjective) – worried, concerned, uneasy, nervous, apprehensive चिंतित
29. **Gathering** (noun) – meeting, assembly, get-together, reunion, congregation सभा
30. **Idolise** (verb) – admire, adore, worship, revere, idealize आदर्श मानना
31. **Drown** (verb) – sink, overwhelm, submerge, be engulfed, be consumed डूबना
32. **Scapegoat** (noun) – fall guy, blame-taker, victim, accused, target बलि का बकरा
33. **Elevate** (verb) – raise, lift, promote, glorify, exalt ऊँचा उठाना / प्रतिष्ठा बढ़ाना
34. **Pedestal** (noun) – high position, platform, status, place of admiration ऊँचा स्थान
35. **Take a toll** (phrase) – cause damage, affect negatively, have a bad effect, exhaust, wear down असर डालना
36. **Empathy** (noun) – compassion, understanding, sensitivity, fellow feeling, care सहानुभूति
37. **Virtue** (noun) – moral excellence, goodness, righteousness, merit, value सद्गुण
38. **Algorithm** (noun) – formula, process, procedure, set of rules, computation गणनात्मक प्रक्रिया
39. **Diagnose** (verb) – identify, determine, detect, recognize, assess निदान करना
40. **Remedy** (noun) – cure, solution, treatment, relief, resolution उपाय
41. **Replicate** (verb) – reproduce, copy, imitate, duplicate, recreate पुनरावृत्ति करना
42. **Nourishment** (noun) – care, support, sustenance, nutrition, enrichment पोषण / संबल
43. **Malice** (noun) – ill-will, hatred, spite, animosity, meanness दुर्भावना
44. **Indifference** (noun) – apathy, disregard, unconcern, detachment, aloofness उदासीनता
45. **Sorrow** (noun) – grief, sadness, heartache, misery, anguish शोक / दुःख
46. **Ailment** (noun) – illness, disease, sickness, disorder, condition बीमारी
47. **Desperate** (adjective) – hopeless, frantic, anxious, urgent, distressed निराश
48. **Fragility** (noun) – delicacy, vulnerability, weakness, brittleness, sensitivity नाजुकता
49. **Lie** (verb) – rest, exist, be located, be found, be situated स्थित होना

The Indian Express Editorial: Thinner the customer, fatter the discount (12 APR 2025)

1. **The thinner the customer, the fatter the discount** (phrase) – a situation where a restaurant or business offers a discount that is based on a customer's physical size, with thinner individuals receiving a larger discount पतले ग्राहक को ज्यादा छूट
2. **Blissfully** (adverb) – happily, joyfully, unknowingly, ignorantly, cheerfully आनंदपूर्वक / अनजान रहकर
3. **Blinkered** (adjective) – Narrow-minded, fixed, restricted, rigid, inflexible संकीर्ण सोच वाला
4. **Waistline** (noun) – body circumference, stomach area, middle, abdominal measurement, torso size कमर की माप
5. **Allege** (verb) – claim, assert, accuse, charge, state without proof आरोप लगाना
6. **Benevolent** (adjective) – kind, charitable, well-meaning, humane, generous परोपकारी
7. **Gesture** (noun) – act, expression, sign, signal, move इशारा
8. **Eat out** (phrasal verb) – dine at a restaurant, go out for food, eat at café, have a meal outside बाहर खाना खाना
9. **Consciousness** (noun) – awareness, mindfulness, realization, attentiveness, concern जागरूकता
10. **Pander** (to) (verb) – cater to, indulge, appease, satisfy, gratify तुष्ट करना / खुश करना
11. **Obsession** (noun) – fixation, mania, compulsion, craze, addiction जुनून / लत
12. **With a view to** (phrase) – with the aim of, intending to, for the purpose of, aiming at, in order to की मंशा से
13. **Deference** (noun) – respect, regard, esteem, submission, compliance आदर / सम्मान
14. **Tactic** (noun) – strategy, method, plan, maneuver, approach रणनीति
15. **Equivalent** (noun) – counterpart, parallel, match, equal, comparison समकक्ष / तुल्य
16. **Acknowledgment** (noun) – recognition, acceptance, admission, awareness, appreciation स्वीकारोक्ति
17. **Anxiety** (noun) – worry, concern, unease, nervousness, apprehension चिंता
18. **Wash off** (phrasal verb) – remove, cleanse, erase, get rid of, disassociate धो डालना / हटाना
19. **Taint** (noun) – stain, blemish, corruption, disgrace, contamination दाग / कलंक
20. **Infamous** (adjective) – notorious, disreputable, scandalous, ill-famed, dishonorable कुख्यात
21. **Quip** (noun) – witty remark, joke, comment, wisecrack, pun चुटकुला