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Part - A

The Hindu Editorial: Altering status quo (4 SEP 2023)

- Alter (verb) Change, modify, adjust, vary, amend, revise बदलना
- 2. **Status quo** (noun) Existing state, current situation, present circumstances, prevailing condition, present state यथास्थित
- Statehood (noun) Condition of being a state, political status, status as a state राज्य का दर्जा
- Restore (verb) Reinstate, bring back, reestablish, return, rejuvenate पुनः स्थापित करना
- 5. **Ought to** (modal verb) Should, must, is expected to होना चाहिए
- Stand (noun) Stance, viewpoint, position, perspective, attitude বৃষ্টিकोण/ হল্
- Commit (verb) Pledge, promise, bind, obligate प्रतिबद्ध करना
- 8. **Restoration** (noun) Revival, return, renewal, reestablishment बहाली
- Disappointing (adjective) Discouraging, disheartening, unsatisfactory, displeasing निराशाजनक
- 10. **Downgrade** (verb) Demote, devalue, depreciate, lower in rank अवनित करना
- Query (verb) Question, inquire, interrogate, ask पूळताळ करना
- 12. **Bench** (noun) Panel of judges, tribunal, group of magistrates न्यायिक पीठ
- Hear (verb) Listen to, give attention to, consider सुनवाई करना
- 14. **Abrogation** (noun) Annulment, nullification, invalidation, repeal निरस्तीकरण

- Solicitor-General (noun) A senior law officer representing the government in a country or state
- 16. **Decade** (noun) Period of ten-year period বংগক
- 17. **Cite** (verb) Refer to, mention, quote, allude to हवाला देना
- Inoperative (adjective) Non-functioning, not working, ineffective निष्क्रिय
- 19. **Application** (noun) Use, employment, utilization, implementation प्रयोग
- 20. Poll (noun) Vote, election, ballot मतदान
- 21. **Take a call** (phrase) Make a decision, decide, come to a conclusion निर्णय लेना
- 22. **Electoral roll** (noun) Voter list, registry of voters, voting list मतदाता सूची
- 23. **Given** (preposition) Considering, taking into account, keeping in mind देखते हुए
- 24. **Claim** (noun) Assertion, declaration, proclamation বাবা
- 25. **Infiltration** (noun) Invasion, incursion, permeation घुसपैठ.
- 26. **Substantially** (adverb) Significantly, considerably, greatly, markedly, notably কাफी
- 27. **Come down** (phrasal verb) Decrease, decline, reduce, diminish, drop घटना; गिरना
- 28. **Account for** (phrasal verb) Constitute, represent, comprise, make up, form के लिये उत्तरवयी होना
- 29. **Normality** (noun) Regularity, usualness, ordinariness, normalcy सामान्यता

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- 30. **Portray** (verb) Depict, describe, represent, picture चित्रित करना
- 31. **Unlikely** (adjective) Improbable, doubtful, implausible, not likely असम्भव
- 32. **Influence** (verb) Affect, sway, shape, direct प्रभावित करना
- 33. **Adjudication** (noun) Judgment, decision, ruling, verdict निर्णय
- 34. **Proceedings** (noun) Activities, actions, operations, events कार्यवाही
- 35. **Undertake** (verb) Begin, start, embark on, take up प्रारंभ करना
- 36. **Pointer** (noun) Indication, sign, signal, hint संकेत
- 37. **Demonstrate** (verb) Show, exhibit, display, illustrate; prove, validate, establish, determine दिखाना; साबित करना

- 38. **Correctness** (noun) Accuracy, rightness, exactness, truthfulness सटीकता
- 39. **To be fair** (phrase) To be honest, in all fairness, justly सच कहुँ तो
- 40. **Go on** (phrasal verb) Continue, proceed, carry on जारी रहना
- 41. **So far** (phrase) Until now, up to this point, hitherto अब तक
- 42. **Rigorous** (adjective) Strict, stern, severe, stringent कठोर/ सख्त
- 43. **Ultimately** (adverb) Finally, in the end, eventually अंततः
- 44. **Validity** (noun) Legality, authority, legitimacy, authenticity, lawfulness वैधता

The Hindu Editorial: Onward, sunward (5 SEP 2023)

- 1. Aditya-L1 (noun) a satellite dedicated to the comprehensive study of the Sun. It has 7 distinct payloads developed, all developed indigenously. Five by ISRO and two by Indian academic institutes in collaboration with ISRO. Aditya in Sanskrit means the Sun. L1 here refers to Lagrange Point 1 of the Sun-Earth system.
- Push the boundary (phrase) a situation in which someone is attempting to do something difficult or unprecedented अपनी सीमा से ज्यादा कोशिश करना
- 3. **Dedicated** (to) (adjective) Committed, devoted, assigned, bind, समर्पित
- Barely (adverb) Hardly, scarcely, just, only, narrowly मुश्किल से
- Park (verb) Station, position, set, place, post; leave (something) in a convenient place until required स्थानित करना; छोड़ना
- 6. Lunar night (noun) The duration of darkness on the moon when the sun is below the horizon; on the moon, one night lasts about two weeks. चंद्रमा पर अंधेरे की अवधि
- Vignette (noun) Sketch, brief description, illustration, portrayal, depiction छोटी कहानी या चित्रण
- 8. **Illustrate** (verb) Demonstrate, show, depict, represent, elucidate चित्रित करना
- Maturity (noun) Ripeness, adulthood, fullness, development, growth परिपक्वता
- 10. **On the part of** (phrase) by or from (someone). की ओर से

- 11. **Go strength to strength** (phrase) To improve or become more successful continuously. निरंतर सफलता की दिशा में बढ़ते जाना
- 12. **Indistinguishable** (adjective) appearing to be the same एक जैसे लगने वाले, जिनमें भेद करना कठिन है;
- 13. **Exploration** (noun) Investigation, examination, study, inquiry, probe अन्वेषण/ खोज
- Carry forward (phrase) To continue or progress with something. आगे बढ़ाना
- 15. **Exemplify** (verb) Epitomize, embody, illustrate, represent, demonstrate उदाहरण देंना
- 16. **Suite** (noun) Set, collection, series, arrangement, group समूह
- 17. **In situ** (phrase) in the appropriate position. अपने स्थान पर
- 18. **Panoply** (noun) Array, range, collection; an extensive or impressive collection. संग्रह
- Telescope (noun) An optical instrument that makes distant objects appear magnified. द्रबीन
- 20. **Given** (preposition) Considering, taking into account, bearing in mind देखते हुए
- Brutality (noun) Savagery, cruelty, barbarity, inhumanity, harshness क्रूरता
- 22. **Influence** (noun) Impact, effect, sway, control, hold স্থান
- 23. **Surroundings** (noun) Environment, setting, milieu, background, ambience परिवेश
- 24. **Particular** (noun) Specific detail or piece of information. विशेष जानकारी

- 25. **Considering** (preposition) Given that, taking into account, bearing in mind ध्यान में रखते हुए
- 26. **Findings** (noun) Conclusions, results, determinations, outcomes নিष्कर्ष
- 27. **Archetypal** (adjective) having all the qualities that make somebody/something a typical example of a particular kind of person or thing प्रतिनिधिक, प्रतिरूपी
- 28. **Coronal** (adjective) Pertaining to the sun's outer atmosphere. सूर्य के बाहरी वायुमंडल संबंधित
- 29. Lagrange point (noun) A point in space where the gravitational forces of a two-body system, like Earth and the Moon or Earth and the Sun, produce enhanced regions of attraction and repulsion.
- 30. **Unobstructed** (adjective) Clear, open, unblocked, free, unhindered अवरोधित/ अबाधित
- 31. **Halo orbit** (noun) A periodic three-dimensional orbit near the L1, L2 or L3 Lagrange points in the three-body problem of orbital mechanics.
- 32. **Deepen** (verb) Intensify, enhance, amplify, heighten, strengthen गहरा करना
- 33. **Relevance** (noun) Pertinence, applicability, significance, importance, relevancy प्रासंगिकता
- 34. **Transmit** (verb) Send, transfer, communicate, broadcast, भेजना

- 35. **The Data downlink** (noun) The method or process of transmitting data from a satellite or spacecraft to the ground station.
- 36. **Analysis pipeline** (noun) A sequence or series of data processing steps, especially used in bioinformatics and related fields
- 37. **Haste** (noun) Speed, urgency, quickness, rapidity, swiftness शीघ्रता
- 38. Piece together (phrase) to understand a story, situation, etc. by taking all the facts and details about it and putting them together
- 39. **Concurrent** (adjective) Simultaneous, coexisting, coinciding, parallel समानान्तर
- 40. **Demonstrate** (verb) Show, exhibit, display, illustrate, prove प्रदर्शित करना
- 41. **Navigational** (adjective) Relating to navigation, guiding, steering नेविगेशन संबंधित
- 42. Interplanetary (adjective) Between planets; relating to travel or communication between planets. ग्रहों के बीच का
- 43. **Attendant** (adjective) Associated, linked, related, connected, consequent, resultant संबंधित
- 44. **Bring to bear on** (phrase) Apply, utilize, employ, exert पर लागू करना
- 45. **Taken together** (phrase) Collectively, as a whole, in combination सम्मिलित रूप से

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- 1. Tier (noun) one of a number of levels स्तर
- Trial balloon (noun) –something that is done or announced as a test in order to find out how people would react to something similar
- Militate against (verb) Work against, resist, hinder, discourage, oppose, counter के विरुद्ध होना
- 4. **Federalism** (noun) a system of government in which powers have been divided between the centre and its constituent parts such as states or provinces. संघवाद
- Multi-tiered (adjective) Consisting of several levels or layers
- Governance (noun) The act or process of governing; ruling, controlling, leading शासन
- Representative (noun) a person chosen or appointed to act or speak for others प्रतिनिधि
- Perception (noun) Insight, awareness, acuity, discernment, observation अनुभूति
- 9. **Demarcation** (noun) boundary, border, dividing line, separation, distinction सीमा निर्धारण
- Mandate (noun) Instruction, directive, direction, decree, command, order, अधिदेश
- 11. **Varied** (adjective) diverse, various, mixed, miscellaneous, heterogeneous विभिन्न
- 12. **Affiliation** (noun) Association, connection, attachment, alliance, relationship संबंध
- 13. **Ideological** (adjective) Based on or relating to a system of ideas and ideals,

- especially concerning economic or political theory and policy वैचारिक
- 14. **Constituency** (noun) An area whose voters elect a representative to a legislative body. चुनाव क्षेत्र
- Simultaneous (adjective) occurring, operating, or done at the same time एक ही समय में होनेवाला
- 16. Poll (noun) Election चुनाव
- 17. **Coincidence** (noun) chance, concurrence, fluke, happenstance संयोग
- 18. **Coalesce** (verb) –to combine into a single group or thing; merge, unite, combine, amalgamate, join सम्मिलत होना
- 19. **Explore** (verb) investigate, examine, study, probe, search पता लगाना
- 20. **Feasibility** (noun) practicality, viability, possibility, workability, realizability संभाव्यता/ व्यवहार्यता
- 21. **Anti-federalist** (adjective) opposed to federalism, non-federalist, centralist संघवाद विरोधी
- 22. **Terms of reference** (noun) The parameters and limitations that are set for a particular study, project, or report.
- 23. **Examine** (verb) scrutinize, analyze, inspect, investigate, study परीक्षण करना
- 24. **Amendment** (noun) modification, revision, alteration, change संशोधन
- 25. **Ratification** (noun) approval, endorsement, sanction, confirmation, acceptance मंजूरी

- 26. **Proposition** (noun) Proposal, plan, scheme, suggestion, intention प्रस्ताव
- 27. **Stand** (verb) Go through, undergo, withstand, से गुजरना
- 28. **Scrutiny** (noun) examination, inspection, investigation, analysis सुक्ष्म परीक्षण
- 29. **Advance** (verb) promote, further, forward, progress आगे बढ़ाना
- 30. **Curtail** (verb) reduce, diminish, cut back, decrease घटाना
- 31. **Untenable** (adjective) indefensible, unjustifiable, unsustainable असमर्थनीय/ अस्थिर
- 32. **Prospect** (noun) outlook, perspective, expectation, forecast संभावना
- 33. **Ostensibly** (adverb) apparently, seemingly, outwardly, superficially प्रकट रूप से
- 34. **In one go** (phrase) in a single attempt, all at once, without a break, in one attempt एक ही बार में
- 35. **Stem from** (phrasal verb) originate from, arise from, come from, originate from, से उत्पन्न होना
- 36. **Flawed** (adjective) defective, faulty, erroneous সূচিपূর্ण
- 37. **Notion** (noun) idea, belief, concept, thought धारणा
- 38. **Incur** (verb) bring upon oneself, acquire, sustain, (व्यय) करना

- Conduct (noun) management, handling, direction, control संचालन
- 40. **Multiplier effect** (noun) An economic term to describe a phenomenon where an increase in spending produces an increase in national income and consumption greater than the initial amount spent
- 41. Hold someone to account (phrase) make someone explain or justify their actions, hold responsible, call to answer, take to task उत्तरदायी ठहराना
- 42. **Grievance** (noun) complaint, objection, protest, grumble शिकायत
- 43. **Referendum** (noun) a general vote by the electorate on a single political question that has been referred to them for a direct decision. जनमत संग्रह
- 44. **Seek** (verb) Try, aim, strive, endeavour, कोशिश करना
- 45. **Committed** (adjective) Dedicated, devoted, promised, obliged, प्रतिबद्ध
- 46. **Argue** (verb) contend, assert, claim, state तर्क करना
- 47. **Term** (noun) period, duration, span, tenure अवधि
- 48. **Premature** (adjective) early, untimely, ahead of time असमयिक
- 49. **Dissolution** (noun) termination, end, conclusion, cessation भंग
- 50. **Bar** (verb) prevent, prohibit, block, stop रोकना

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- Infrastructure (noun) Facilities, framework, structure, system, support ढांचा
- 2. **Destruction** (noun) demolition, ruin, devastation, annihilation विनाश
- Wreak (verb) cause (a large amount of damage or harm). बरपाना (कहर)
- Evoke (verb) elicit, provoke, kindle, arouse, stir up पैदा करना
- 5. **Bench** (noun) The judge or judges composing a court. न्यायपीठ
- 6. **Comprehensive** (adjective) thorough, allinclusive, exhaustive, extensive, detailed व्यापक
- 7. **Propose** (verb) suggest, put forward, recommend, present, offer प्रस्तावित करना
- 8. **Set up** (phrasal verb) establish, institute, initiate, organize, found स्थापित करना
- 9. **Thrive** (verb) flourish, prosper, bloom, succeed, grow फलना-फूलना
- Sustainably (adverb) renewable manner, environmentally friendly, in a balanced manner, durably स्थायी रूप से
- Ecosystem (noun) environment, habitat, biosphere, community, system पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र
- 12. **Lead to** (verb) result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, वजह बनना
- 13. **Witness** (verb) observe, see, notice, watch, behold देखना
- 14. **Overgrazed** (adjective) excessively grazed, depleted, eroded, barren अधिक चराई गई

- 15. **Invasive** (adjective) encroaching, intrusive, trespassing, aggressive, meddlesome फैलाव
- 16. **Throttle** (noun) Suppress, inhibit, hold back, curb, subdue, stifle घोंटना/ दबाना
- 17. **Biome** (noun) large naturally occurring community of flora and fauna, ecosystem, habitat जैवमंडल
- 18. In the context of (phrase) in relation to, in the matter of, regarding, concerning के संदर्भ में
- 19. **Precarious** (adjective) unstable, insecure, dangerous, risky, hazardous अनिश्चित
- 20. **Enterprise** (noun) Exercise, activity, pursuit, measure, task काम
- 21. **Disinterested** (adjective) impartial, unbiased, objective, neutral, uninvolved নিष्पक्ष
- 22. **Palatable** (adjective) agreeable, acceptable, pleasing, appetizing सुखद, रुचिकर
- 23. **Stakeholder** (noun) interested party, participant, involved party, shareholder हितधारक
- Following (preposition) after, subsequently, ensuing, succeeding के बाद
- 25. **Devastating** (adjective) destructive, ruinous, disastrous, catastrophic विनाशक
- 26. **Evaluate** (verb) assess, appraise, judge, analyze, examine मूल्यांकन करना
- 27. **Proposed** (adjective) suggested, recommended, planned, intended, advocated प्रस्तावित

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- 28. **Carving up** (noun) The cutting of material such as stone or wood to form a figure or design. नक्काशी
- 29. **Deem** (verb) consider, regard, view, judge, believe मानना
- 30. **Topography** (noun) terrain, landscape, geography, relief, contour तलरूप
- 31. **Assess** (verb) evaluate, gauge, judge, appraise मूल्यांकन करना
- 32. **Undertake** (verb) to do or begin to do something, करना
- 33. Land subsidence (noun) The sinking or settling of land to a lower level in response to various natural and human-caused factors.
- 34. **Spark** (verb) ignite, trigger, instigate, stimulate पैदा करना
- 35. **Debate** (noun) discussion, argument, discourse, deliberation वाद-विवाद
- 36. **Ecology** (noun) environmental science, conservation, bionomics पारिस्थितिकी
- 37. In a matter of months (phrase) something can be done in a very short space of time कुछ ही महीनों में
- 38. **Deluge** (noun) flood, inundation, torrent, overflow बाਫ

- 39. **Wash away** (phrase) remove, erode, sweep away, flush out बहाना
- 40. **Denude** (verb) to destroy all plant and animal life in (an area) से रहित होना
- 41. **Execute** (verb) implement, carry out, accomplish, perform अमल करना
- 42. **Bear** (verb) endure, withstand, tolerate, sustain (लागत) वहन करना
- 43. **Denizen** (noun) inhabitant, resident, occupant, dweller निवासी
- 44. **Designate** (verb) classify, class, pronounce, label, tag नामोदिष्ट करना
- 45. **The latter** (noun) Here it refers to 'Regions'
- 46. **Decade** (noun) ten years, ten-year period ব্যাক
- 47. **Fertile** (adjective) fruitful, productive, fecund, rich फलप्रद
- 48. **Opportunism** (noun) expediency, advantage-seeking, self-interest अवसरवादिता
- 49. **Unequivocal** (adjective) unambiguous, clear, direct, straightforward स्पष्ट
- 50. **Conclude** (verb) Decide by reasoning; draw or come to a conclusion परिणाम निकालना
- 51. Kick the can down the road (phrase) To delay or postpone a difficult decision or action. मुश्किल निर्णय या कार्रवाई को टालना

The Hindu Editorial: India that is Bharat (8 SEP 2023)

- 1. Primacy (noun) Preeminence, importance, predominance, prevalence, superiority प्रधानता
- 2. Evoke (verb) Invoke, elicit, induce, arouse, summon पैदा करना
- 3. Patriot (noun) Nationalist, loyalist, supporter, devotee, compatriot राष्ट्रप्रेमी
- 4. Decade (noun) Period of 10 years दशक
- 5. Label (noun) Tag, sticker, marker, badge, insignia टैग
- 6. **Pride** (noun) Self-esteem, dignity, honor, self-worth, self-respect गर्व
- 7. Weaponise (verb) Convert into weapon, militarize, arm, equip हथियार बनाना
- 8. Narrow (adjective) Restricted, limited, tight, confined, constricted संकीर्ण
- 9. Ends (noun) Goals, objectives, purposes, aims, targets उद्देश्य
- 10. **Representative** (noun) Delegate, envoy, emissary, spokesperson, agent प्रतिनिधि
- 11. **Expand** (verb) Extend, enlarge, increase, broaden विस्तार करना
- 12. **Echoes** (noun) Reverberations, resonances, reflections, repeats, ringings गूंज
- 13. Hype (noun) Exaggeration, overstatement, promotion, publicizing अधिक प्रचार
- 14. **Discard** (verb) Reject, dispose of, throw away, abandon त्यागना

- 15. Harmony (noun) Accord, concord, unity, agreement, amity सामंजस्य
- 16. Imposition (noun) Enforcing, infliction, forcing, implementation थोपना/ आरोपण
- 17. Dignity (noun) Respect, honor, selfrespect, decorum गरिमा
- 18. **Geographical** (adjective) Topographical, territorial, cartographic भौगोलिक
- 19. Landscape (noun) the distinctive features of a sphere of activity; situation, backdrop, setting, circumstance परिदृश्य
- 20. Constitute (verb) Form, compose, make up, establish गठित करना
- 21. Outcome (noun) Result, consequence, conclusion, end result परिणाम
- 22. Labour (verb) work hard; make great effort. मेहनत करना, प्रयास करना
- 23. Tease out (phrasal verb) Extract, obtain, elicit, derive धीरे धीरे समझाना या निकालना
- 24. Native (noun) Indigenous person, original inhabitant, local देशवासी
- 25. Expanse (noun) a very wide space or area फैलाव, प्रसार
- 26. Host (verb) hold, present, accommodate, lay on उपस्थित होना
- 27. Multitude (noun) A large number of people or things भारी संख्या
- 28. Ethnic (adjective) Racial, cultural, tribal
- 29. Linguistic (adjective) Language-related, philological, grammatical भाषा संबंधित

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- 30. **Genetic** (adjective) Hereditary, inherited, inborn, congenital आनुवांशिक
- 31. **Diversity** (noun) Variety, multiplicity, range, assortment, mixture विविधता
- 32. **As a result of** (phrase) Due to, because of, on account of, consequent to के कारण
- 33. **Millennia** (noun) Thousands of years, ages, long periods सदियों
- 34. **Migration** (noun) movement from one part of something to another. प्रवास
- 35. **Cross-current** (noun) a situation or tendency marked by conflict with another
- 36. **Serve** (verb) Function, work for, be of use के रूप में कार्य करना
- 37. **Flashpoint** (noun) Crisis point, critical moment, turning point संकट स्थल
- 38. **Farcical** (adjective) Ridiculous, laughable, comedic हास्यास्पद
- 39. **Hubbub** (noun) Uproar, commotion, clamor शोरगुल
- 40. **Hoist** (on/upon) (verb) raise or haul up. ਤਰਾਜਾ
- 41. **Dissipate** (verb) (with reference to a feeling or emotion) disappear or cause to disappear. ग़ायब हो जाना
- 42. **Recede** (verb) Diminish, lessen, decline, wane कम होना
- 43. **Knee-jerk** (adjective) Unthinking, immediate, mindless, thoughtless विचारहीन
- 44. **Knee-jerk reaction** (noun) Spontaneous reaction, automatic response, reflex reaction स्वाभाविक प्रतिक्रिया
- 45. **Aura** (noun) Atmosphere, ambience, air आभास

- 46. **Privilege** (verb) Favor, advantage, benefit प्राथमिकता देना
- 47. **For long** (phrase) For a considerable time लंबे समय तक
- 48. **Bloc** (noun) Alliance, association, coalition, federation गुट
- 49. **Label** (verb) to describe someone or something using a particular word or phrase, often unfairly करार दिए जाना
- 50. **Acronym** (noun) Abbreviation, short form संक्षिप्त रूप
- 51. Hurry (noun) Rush, haste, urgency जल्दी
- 52. **Far from** (phrase) Not at all, nowhere near, away from, different from, not nearly, से अलग
- 53. **Demonstrate** (verb) Show, exhibit, display प्रदर्शित करना
- 54. **Undermine** (verb) Weaken, compromise, diminish कमजोर बनाना
- 55. **Soft power** (noun) the ability to achieve one's goals without force, esp by diplomacy, persuasion, etc.
- 56. **Yearn** (for) (verb) Desire, long for, crave for लालसा होना
- 57. **Constituency** (noun) Electorate, voters, body of voters निर्वाचन क्षेत्र
- 58. **Proper noun** A name of a particular person, place, or thing विशेष संज्ञा
- 59. Vary (verb) Differ, change, alter अलग होना
- 60. **Desist** (verb) Stop, cease, discontinue, abstain, refrain, रोकना
- 61. **Impose** (verb) Enforce, foist, thrust upon थोपना

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- Consensus (noun) agreement, accord, unity, concurrence, unanimity सर्वसम्मित
- Summit (noun) meeting, conference, conclave, symposium, gathering शिखर सम्मेलन
- Presidency (noun) administration, leadership, tenure, term, regime राष्ट्रपतित्व
- 4. **Hinge** (on) (verb) depend, rely, be contingent on, be based on, pivot on निर्भर होना
- Truce (noun) ceasefire, armistice, suspension of hostilities, peace; an agreement to stop fighting for a period of time युद्धविराम; शांति
- 6. **Fractious** (adjective) irritable, peevish, quarrelsome, grouchy, testy झगड़ाल्
- Host (noun) organizer, sponsor, presenter, master of ceremonies, anchorman मेज़बान
- 8. **Mark** (verb) Celebrate, observe, recognize, acknowledge मनाना
- 9. **Egalitarian** (adjective) equalitarian, equitable, fair, democratic समानतावादी
- 10. **Pre-eminent** (adjective) foremost, leading, paramount, supreme, unparalleled प्रमुख
- 11. **Hamstrung** (adjective) crippled, disabled, hindered, incapacitated, debilitated; severely restrict the efficiency or effectiveness of असमर्थ; असहाय होना
- 12. **Headwinds** (noun) resistance, opposition, challenge, setback प्रतिरोध
- 13. **Exacerbate** (verb) aggravate, worsen, inflame, intensify बढ़ाना; बिगाड़ देना

- 14. **Imperative** (noun) necessity, essential, requirement, command अनिवार्यता
- 15. **Poverty** (noun) destitution, impoverishment, penury, deprivation गरीबी
- 16. **Alleviation** (noun) relief, mitigation, reduction, easing हटाना,
- 17. **Sanction** (noun) Restriction, ban, penalty, punishment, injunction प्रतिबंध
- 18. **Split something down the middle** (phrase) to separate, or to divide something, into two equal parts बराबर में विभाजित करना
- 19. **Forge** (verb) form, create, shape, mold, craft तैयार करना; बनाना
- 20. **Tenuous** (adjective) weak, insubstantial, fragile, shaky कमजोर
- 21. Enlist (verb) engage, involve, enroll, bring on board शामिल करना
- 22. **Amidst** (preposition) among, between, in the midst of, surrounded by के बीच
- 23. **Bilateral** (adjective) mutual, reciprocal, two-sided द्विपक्षीय
- 24. **Spoiler** (noun) disrupter, saboteur, wrecker, troublemaker वह व्यक्ति या वस्तु जो किसी चीज़ को बिगाड़ दे।
- 25. **Heavy lifting** (noun) the major or most difficult part of an endeavor मुख्य या कठिन कार्य
- 26. **In the face of** (phrase) despite, in spite of, notwithstanding, even with, regardless of के बावज्द
- 27. **Odds** (noun) challenges, difficulties, obstacles, hindrances, impediments बाधाओं

- 28. **Vitality** (noun) energy, vigor, liveliness, robustness, dynamism जीवंतता
- 29. **Valiant** (adjective) brave, courageous, heroic, gallant, dauntless वीर/ बहादुर
- 30. **Well-thought-out** (adjective) planned, deliberate, premeditated, carefully considered सुविचारित
- 31. **Take sides** (phrase) to support a particular person or group in an argument or disagreement किसी विचार या समूह का समर्थन करना
- 32. **The global south** (noun) the poor developing countries (of Asia, Africa, South America, amongst others). विकासशील देश
- 33. **Multilateral** (adjective) involving many different countries, multiple-sided, many-sided बहुपक्षीय
- 34. **Governance** (noun) administration, management, supervision, direction प्रशासन
- 35. **Champion** (verb) support, promote, advocate, defend समर्थन करना
- 36. **Induction** (noun) introduction, initiation, incorporation, प्रवेश

- 37. **Feather in one's cap** (phrase) an achievement to be proud of, accolade, honor गर्व की बात
- 38. **Go through** (phrasal verb) (of a proposal or contract) be officially approved or completed. संपन्न करना
- 39. **Distinct** (adjective) separate, different, distinguishable अलग
- Democratise (verb) make democratic, popularize, universalize लोकतांत्रिक बनाना
- 41. **Colossally** (adverb) hugely, immensely, tremendously, vastly भारी मात्रा में
- 42. **Showcasing** (noun) display, presentation, exhibition प्रवर्शन
- 43. **Diversity** (noun) variety, assortment, mix, range विविधता
- 44. **Cement** (verb) solidify, strengthen, consolidate मज़बूती देना
- 45. **Legacy** (noun) inheritance, heritage, bequest, endowment विरासत