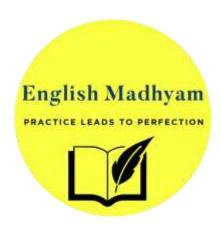
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The Pioneer Editorial: A new era of global opportunities (14/10/2024)

- Await (verb) Wait for, anticipate, expect, look forward to, be in store for इंतजार करना
- Recognition (noun) Acknowledgment, acceptance, appreciation, identification, validation मान्यता
- Hub (noun) Center, focal point, nucleus, core, heart केंद्र
- 4. **Tremendous** (adjective) Enormous, immense, huge, vast, colossal विशाल
- Envisage (verb) Imagine, envision, foresee, contemplate, anticipate कल्पना करना
- 6. **Set up** (phrasal verb) Establish, found, initiate, start, launch स्थापित करना
- 7. **Collaboration** (noun) Cooperation, partnership, alliance, teamwork, association सहयोग
- 8. **Mutual** (adjective) Reciprocal, shared, common, joint, bilateral पारस्परिक
- 9. **Avail** (verb) Utilize, use, employ, take advantage of, benefit from লাभ उठाना
- 10. **Affordable** (adjective) Reasonable, economical, inexpensive, low-cost, budget-friendly किफ़ायती
- 11. **Operationalise** (verb) Implement, execute, activate, put into operation, bring into effect क्रियान्वित करना
- 12. **Letter of Intent** (noun) A document declaring the preliminary commitment of

- one party to do business with another आशय पत्र
- 13. **Establish** (verb) Set up, found, institute, create. form स्थापित करना
- 14. **Overseas** (adjective) Foreign, international, abroad, external, crossborder विदेश
- 15. Internationalisation (noun) Globalization, worldwide expansion, universalization, transnationalization, global integration अंतरराष्ट्रीयकरण
- 16. **Window** (noun) Opportunity, chance, opening, period, time frame अवसर
- 17. **Foray** (noun) Venture, attempt, endeavor, excursion, expedition प्रयास
- 18. **Promulgate** (verb) Announce, proclaim, declare, publicize, enact प्रचार करना
- 19. **Enabling** (adjective) Facilitating, supportive, assisting, empowering, aiding सक्षम बनाने वाला
- 20. **Catalyse** (verb) Stimulate, accelerate, spur, trigger, prompt उत्प्रेरित करना
- 21. **Revamp** (verb) Renovate, overhaul, refurbish, renew, modernize सुधारना
- 22. **Twinning** (adjective) Pairing, coupling, matching, partnering, associating ज्डवाँ
- 23. **Traction** (noun) Momentum, progress, acceptance, support, popularity प्रगति

- 24. **Space** (noun) Area, field, domain, sector, realm क्षेत्र
- 25. **Tie up** (phrasal verb) Collaborate, partner, associate, ally, team up सहयोग करना
- 26. **Flagship** (adjective) Main, leading, premier, primary, principal प्रमुख
- 27. **In line with** (phrase) In accordance with, consistent with, in agreement with, conforming to, matching के अनुरूप
- 28. **Pursue** (verb) Follow, seek, strive for, chase, go after पीछा करना
- 29. **Register** (verb) Enroll, sign up, record, enter, enlist दर्ज करना
- 30. **Take the baton** (phrase) Take over, assume control, carry on, continue, pick up the torch कार्यभार संभालना

- 31. **Facilitate** (verb) Ease, assist, help, aid, promote सुविधा प्रदान करना
- 32. **Era** (noun) Period, age, epoch, time, phase युग
- 33. **Landscape** (noun) Scene, setting, environment, terrain, backdrop परिदृश्य
- 34. **Consulate** (noun) Diplomatic office, embassy branch, foreign mission, government office abroad, legation दूतावास
- 35. **Further** (verb) Advance, promote, enhance, encourage, forward आगे बढ़ाना
- 36. **Cause** (noun) Purpose, aim, goal, objective, mission उद्देश्य
- 37. **Tap** (verb) Utilize, exploit, harness, draw upon, access उपयोग करना

The Hindu Editorial: Take the gauntlet (15/10/2024)

- Take the gauntlet (phrase) Accept the challenge, confront the difficulty, face the trial, undertake the test, brave the ordeal चुनौती स्वीकार करना
- 2. A silver bullet (phrase) A simple solution, a magic fix, an ultimate remedy, a definitive answer, a panacea एक सरल समाधान
- Collide (verb) Crash, clash, impact, strike, bump टकराना
- Casuality (noun) a person or thing that is injured, lost, or destroyed, especially in a war or accident हताहत
- Swift (adjective) Fast, quick, rapid, speedy, prompt त्वरित
- 6. **Render** (verb) Make, cause, cause to be, result in, turn into **बनाना**
- 7. **Spate** (noun) Series, succession, burst, flood, wave शृंखला
- Spotlight (verb) Highlight, emphasize, focus on, draw attention to, illuminate उजागर करना
- 9. **Oft-precarious** (adjective) Frequently unstable, often risky, commonly insecure, regularly uncertain, habitually dangerous अक्सर अस्थिर
- 10. Infrastructure (noun) Facilities, framework, foundation, utilities, systems बुनियादी ढांचा
- 11. Decade (noun) A period of ten years दशक

- 12. **Capex** (noun) the money spent by the government on the development of machinery, equipment, building, health facilities, education, etc.
- 13. **Span** (noun) Period, duration, stretch, interval, extent अवधि
- 14. **Demanding** (adjective) Challenging, tough, rigorous, exacting, arduous चुनौती-भरा
- 15. **Straightforward** (adjective) Simple, clear, uncomplicated, direct, plain सरल
- 16. **Naïve** (adjective) Innocent, inexperienced, gullible, trusting, unsophisticated अनुभवहीन
- 17. **Reroute** (verb) Redirect, divert, change the path, send along a different route, alter the course पथ बदलना
- 18. **Precarity** (noun) Insecurity, instability, uncertainty, vulnerability, unpredictability अस्थिरता
- 19. **Overhaul** (verb) Revamp, renovate, restructure, reorganize, refurbish समग्र रूप से सुधारना
- 20. Existing (adjective) Current, present, extant, ongoing, prevailing मौजूदा
- 21. **Long-standing** (adjective) Enduring, longstanding, persistent, continuous, established दीर्घकालिक
- 22. **Symptomatic** (adjective) Indicative, showing signs of, characteristic of, revealing, representative लक्षणात्मक

- 23. **Deplorable** (adjective) Dismal, terrible, shameful, disgraceful, unacceptable निंदनीय
- 24. **Vigilance** (noun) Watchfulness, alertness, attentiveness, carefulness, caution सतर्कता
- 25. **Vigil** (noun) Watch, guard, lookout, surveillance, observation निगरानी
- 26. **Amenity** (noun) Facility, convenience, service, comfort, feature सुविधा
- 27. **Compete** (verb) Rival, contend, vie, strive, battle प्रतियोगिता करना
- 28. **Allocation** (noun) Distribution, assignment, allotment, apportionment, designation आवंटन
- 29. **Freight basket** (noun) Cargo category, goods segment, shipping sector, merchandise group, transport class माल श्रेणी
- 30. **Dominate** (verb) Control, govern, rule, oversee, influence प्रभुत्व रखना
- 31. **Vulnerable** (adjective) Susceptible, exposed, defenseless, unprotected, at risk कमजोर

- 32. **Decarbonise** (verb) Reduce carbon emissions, lower carbon footprint, transition to low-carbon, eliminate carbon, greenify कार्बन कम करना
- 33. **Vacuum** (noun) a situation from which something is missing or lacking खालीपन
- 34. **Address** (verb) Tackle, deal with, handle, confront, manage सामना करना
- 35. **Stressor** (noun) Pressure, strain, burden, challenge, demand तनाव कारक
- 36. **In consonance** (phrase) In agreement, in harmony, in alignment, consistent with, in accordance सामंजस्य मे
- 37. **Diligence** (noun) Carefulness, conscientiousness, persistence, industriousness, attentiveness परिश्रम
- 38. **Distract** (verb) Divert, sidetrack, preoccupy, occupy, occupy the mind of ध्यान भटका देना
- 39. **A veil of secrecy** (phrase) Cover of secrecy, shroud of mystery, cloak of confidentiality, layer of hiddenness, mask of concealment गोपनीयता की परत

The Hindu Editorial: A Korean win (16/10/2024)

- Prose (noun) Written or spoken language in its ordinary form, without metrical structure; writing, text, composition, narrative गद्य
- Contemporary (adjective) Modern, present-day, current, up-to-date, of the time आधुनिक
- Laud (verb) Praise, commend, extol, acclaim, celebrate प्रशंसा करना
- 4. **Intense** (adjective) Strong, deep, powerful, passionate, extreme तीत्र
- Confront (verb) Face, tackle, challenge, encounter, address सामना करना
- 6. **Trauma** (noun) Psychological injury, distress, emotional shock, agony, suffering आघात
- Expose (verb) Reveal, uncover, disclose, lay bare, show उजागर करना
- Fragility (noun) Delicacy, weakness, vulnerability, brittleness, frailty नाज़्कता
- 9. **Muse** (noun) Inspiration, guiding spirit, creative influence, source of inspiration प्रेरणा
- 10. **Humanity** (noun) Mankind, people, human race, compassion, kindness मानवता
- 11. **Encompass** (verb) Include, cover, contain, embrace, involve शामिल करना
- 12. **Depravity** (noun) Corruption, immorality, wickedness, vice, evil पतन

- 13. **Indisputable** (adjective) Unquestionable, undeniable, certain, irrefutable, incontestable अविवादित
- 14. **Dignity** (noun) Respect, self-respect, honor, esteem, nobility गरिमा
- 15. **Kindness** (noun) Compassion, generosity, benevolence, goodwill, warmth दया
- 16. Decade (noun) A period of ten years दशक
- 17. **Radical** (adjective) Revolutionary, innovative, extreme, groundbreaking, progressive आधारभूत
- 18. **Give up** (phrasal verb) Stop, quit, abandon, relinquish, forgo छोड़ देना
- 19. **Solidarity** (noun) Unity, support, cohesion, togetherness, mutual support एकजुटता
- 20. **Pave the way for** (phrase) Prepare for, make possible, lead to, lay the foundation for रास्ता तैयार करना
- 21. **Amid** (preposition) In the middle of, surrounded by, during, in the midst of के बीच
- 22. **Follow in someone's footsteps** (phrase) Imitate, emulate, take after, pursue the same path किसी के नक्शेकदम पर चलना
- 23. **Foray** (noun) Attempt, venture, experiment, endeavor, effort प्रयास
- 24. **Narrative** (noun) Story, account, tale, description, chronicle कथा

- 25. **Evident** (adjective) Clear, obvious, apparent, noticeable, visible स्पष्ट
- 26. **For instance** (phrase) For example, as an example, such as, to illustrate उदाहरण के लिए
- 27. **Grief** (noun) Sorrow, sadness, heartache, pain, anguish शोक
- 28. **In the backdrop** (phrase) Against the background, in the context, behind, as a setting की पृष्ठभूमि में
- 29. **Massacre** (noun) Slaughter, killing, carnage, genocide, bloodbath नरसंहार
- 30. **Dissenter** (noun) Opponent, protester, nonconformist, objector, rebel विरोधी
- 31. **Setting** (noun) Scene, backdrop, environment, context, surroundings पृष्ठभूमि
- 32. **Witness** (verb) See, observe, watch, experience, perceive गवाह बनना

- 33. **Annihilation** (noun) Destruction, obliteration, eradication, elimination, extinction विनाश
- 34. **Hand out** (phrasal verb) Distribute, give, present, award, pass out प्रदान करना
- 35. **Purist** (noun) Traditionalist, perfectionist, stickler, conservative, formalist रूढ़िवादी
- 36. **Convey** (verb) Communicate, express, deliver, pass on, impart व्यक्त करना
- 37. **Invariably** (adverb) Always, consistently, unfailingly, without exception, regularly हमेशा
- 38. **Globe** (noun) World, earth, planet, international stage, global community বিश्व
- 39. **Burst forth** (phrasal verb) Emerge, appear suddenly, erupt, come out forcefully प्रकट होना

The Pioneer Editorial: The invisible battle for mental health (17/10/2024)

- Afterthought (noun) A consideration or idea that comes later, something added later; reflection, reconsideration बाद में आया विचार
- Narrative (noun) A story or account, a way of presenting something; tale, explanation, portrayal वृत्तांत/ कथा
- Healing (noun) The process of making or becoming well again; recovery, therapy, recuperation चिकित्सा
- Encompass (verb) To include or cover completely; surround, include, involve शामिल करना
- Deal with (phrasal verb) To manage or handle a situation or problem; cope with, address, tackle सामना करना
- At times (phrase) Sometimes, occasionally, periodically; now and then, from time to time कभी-कभी
- 7. **Persist** (verb) To continue steadily despite problems or difficulties; endure, continue, persevere जारी रहना
- 8. **Toll** (noun) The extent of damage or suffering caused by something; impact, cost, effect সমাৰ
- Often (adverb) Frequently, regularly, many times; commonly, usually अक्सर
- 10. **Diagnose** (noun) Identification of a disease or condition; detection, assessment, medical judgment निदान

- 11. **Weigh on** (phrasal verb) To burden or cause concern; trouble, affect, stress बोझ बनना
- 12. **Isolation** (noun) The state of being separated from others; solitude, seclusion, remoteness अलगाव
- 13. **Compound** (verb) To make a situation worse by adding to it; worsen, aggravate, intensify बढ़ाना
- 14. **Hopelessness** (noun) A feeling of despair and lack of hope; despair, pessimism, despondency निराशा
- 15. **Profound** (adjective) Deep and meaningful, intense; significant, deep, intense गहन
- 16. **Overwhelm** (verb) To overpower or stress someone with too much; overload, crush, overpower से अभिभूत होना
- 17. **Spiral** (verb) To worsen or intensify in a continuous and uncontrollable way; escalate, intensify, worsen बिगड़ना
- 18. **Hesitate** (verb) To pause before doing something, often due to uncertainty; delay, be unsure, pause हिचकिचाना
- 19. **Heartbreaking** (adjective) Causing intense sadness or distress; tragic, painful, upsetting दिल तोड़ने वाला
- 20. **Valid** (adjective) Well-founded, legitimate, or reasonable; justifiable, legitimate, acceptable वैध

- 21. **Mirror** (verb) To reflect or represent something accurately; reflect, resemble, replicate प्रतिबिंबित करना
- 22. **Socioeconomic** (adjective) Relating to both social and economic factors; financial and social सामाजिक और आर्थिक
- 23. **Barrier** (noun) An obstacle that prevents progress or access; hindrance, obstacle, hurdle ৰাधা
- 24. **On the back burner** (phrase) To be delayed or given less priority; postponed, deprioritized कम महत्व देना
- 25. **Seek** (verb) To search for or try to find; look for, pursue, strive for खोजना

- 26. **Exhausted** (adjective) Extremely tired or worn out; fatigued, drained, worn थका हुआ
- 27. **Endure** (verb) To suffer through something difficult or painful; bear, tolerate, withstand सहना
- 28. **Integral** (adjective) Essential or necessary for completeness; fundamental, important, crucial अभिन्न
- 29. **Well-being** (noun) The state of being healthy, happy, and prosperous; welfare, health, happiness कल्याण
- 30. **Address** (verb) To deal with or take action to solve a problem; tackle, manage, resolve निपटाना

The Hindu Editorial: Canadian frostbite (18/10/2024)

- Frostbite (noun) Extreme coldness in relationships or situations
- Diplomacy (noun) The art of managing international relations; negotiation, tact, foreign policy कूटनीति
- Frosty (adjective) Cold and unfriendly रूखा और अमैत्रीपूर्ण
- 4. **Exchange** (noun) Interaction, communication, dialogue, conversation वार्ता
- 5. **Diplomatic** (adjective) Related to international relations or tactful management of interactions; political, tactful, negotiative कूटनीतिक
- Seek (verb) Try to obtain or achieve; pursue, search for, strive for प्रयास करना
- Interrogate (verb) Question closely and aggressively; examine, grill, probe पूछताछ करना
- Diplomat (noun) An official representing a country abroad; ambassador, envoy, representative राजनियक
- 9. **Suspicion** (noun) Doubt, mistrust, uncertainty, concern संदेह
- 10. **Diaspora** (noun) People settled far from their ancestral homelands; expatriates, migrant community प्रवासी समुदाय
- 11. Allege (verb) Claim without proof; accuse, assert, contend आरोप लगाना

- 12. **Interference** (noun) Unwanted involvement or intervention; intrusion, meddling, obstruction हस्तक्षेप
- 13. **Hitherto** (adverb) Until now, up to this point; previously, so far, thus far अब तक
- 14. **Accuse** (of) (verb) Charge someone with a wrongdoing; blame, allege, indict आरोप लगाना
- 15. **Preposterous** (adjective) Absurd, ridiculous, unreasonable, nonsensical बेतुका
- 16. **Orchestrate** (verb) Plan or coordinate something skillfully; arrange, organize, engineer रचना
- 17. **Pro-separatist** (adjective) Supporting a separatist cause or movement; favoring division अलगाववादी समर्थक
- 18. **Given** (preposition) Considering, taking into account; in light of, due to देखते हुए
- 19. **Regime** (noun) Government, administration, ruling authority शासन
- 20. **Space** (noun) Opportunity or freedom for action; room, capacity, scope स्वतंत्रता
- 21. **Intimidate** (verb) Frighten or overawe someone; threaten, bully, scare धमकाना
- 22. **Expel** (verb) Force someone to leave; eject, remove, banish निकालना
- 23. **Outraged** (adjective) Extremely angry or offended; indignant, furious, incensed नाराज़

- 24. **Curtail** (verb) Reduce, limit, or cut short; restrict, diminish, shorten कम करना
- 25. **The die is cast** (phrase) A decision has been made and cannot be changed; fate is sealed निर्णय हो चुका है
- 26. **Ties** (noun) Relations or connections between countries; links, bonds, relationships संबंध
- 27. **Imperative** (adjective) Absolutely necessary, urgent; essential, critical, important आवश्यक
- 28. **Overstep** (verb) Go beyond acceptable boundaries; exceed, transgress, go too far सीमा से अधिक जाना
- 29. **Adversary** (noun) Opponent, rival, enemy, antagonist विरोधी
- 30. **Askance** (adverb) With suspicion or disapproval; skeptically, distrustfully, suspiciously संदेह की दृष्टि से

- 31. **Outrightly** (adverb) Completely, totally, without reservation; entirely, absolutely पूरी तरह से
- 32. **Transparent** (adjective) Open and honest, easy to understand; clear, straightforward, unambiguous पारदर्शी
- 33. **Deal with** (phrasal verb) Manage, handle, or address something; cope with, tackle, resolve सामना करना
- 34. **Step up** (phrasal verb) Increase efforts or intensity; escalate, intensify, enhance बढ़ाना
- 35. **Accountability** (noun) Responsibility for actions or decisions; answerability, liability, responsibility जवाबदेही
- 36. **Cast the shadow over** (phrase) Create doubt or a negative impression; overshadow, taint, blemish संदेह उत्पन्न करना

The Hindu Editorial: The endgame (19/10/2024)

- Endgame (noun) The final stage of a process, especially one that determines the outcome; conclusion, finale, resolution अंतिम चरण
- Injunction (noun) A legal order that requires someone to do or stop doing something; mandate, prohibition, directive निरोधक आदेश
- Dominance (noun) Power or influence over others, control; supremacy, authority, command प्रभुत्व
- 4. **Mark** (verb) Indicate, signify, highlight; represent, denote संकेत करना
- Critical (adjective) Crucial, important, essential, decisive महत्वपूर्ण
- Juncture (noun) A specific point in time, especially a critical or important one; moment, point, phase समय/ समयबिंदु
- Subsidiary (noun) A company controlled by another company; branch, division, affiliate सहायक कंपनी
- 8. Antitrust lawsuit (noun) A legal action that challenges a company or group of companies for limiting competition in the marketplace; competition law case प्रतिस्पर्धा विरोधी मुकदमा
- Far-reaching (adjective) Extensive in influence or effect; wide-ranging, impactful, profound दूरगामी
- 10. **Implication** (noun) Consequence, result, effect, repercussion परिणाम

- 11. **Bypass** (verb) Avoid, circumvent, evade, go around बचना
- 12. **Trigger** (verb) Cause to happen, initiate, spark, provoke उत्प्रेरित करना
- 13. **Ruling** (noun) Official decision, judgment, verdict, decree फैसला
- 14. **Take effect** (phrase) Start to apply or be enforced; come into force, begin, become operative प्रभाव में आना
- 15. **Halt** (verb) Stop, cease, end, bring to a standstill रोकना
- 16. **Mandate** (verb) Require, order, command, dictate अनिवार्य करना
- 17. **Rival** (adjective) Competing, opposing, challenging; adversarial प्रतिद्वंद्वी
- 18. **Feature** (verb) Include, showcase, present, display प्रकट करना
- 19. **Space** (noun) Opportunity, room, scope, capacity अवसर
- 20. **Ecosystem** (noun) A system or network, especially in business or technology, where entities interact and depend on each other; environment, structure परिस्थितिकी तंत्र
- 21. **Pose** (verb) Present or constitute a threat, challenge, or difficulty; create, generate, produce खतरा पैदा करना
- 22. **Govern** (verb) Control, regulate, manage, oversee नियंत्रण करना

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- 23. **Core** (noun) The central or most important part; essence, heart, foundation मूल
- 24. **Trial** (noun) Legal proceedings in court; case, hearing, litigation मुकदमा
- 25. **Deal with** (phrasal verb) Handle, manage, cope with, address निपटना
- 26. **Fuel** (verb) Intensify, provoke, increase, stimulate भडकाना
- 27. **Strike** (verb) Hit or affect forcefully; target, attack, impact प्रभाव डालना
- 28. **Enforce** (verb) Implement, apply, impose, uphold लागू करना
- 29. **Disproportionate** (adjective) Out of balance or unequal in size or importance; excessive, uneven, unequal असमानुपाती

- 30. **Uphold** (verb) Support or maintain (a decision or ruling); confirm, endorse, sustain समर्थन करना
- 31. **Dismantle** (verb) Take apart, disassemble, break down, remove विघटित करना
- 32. **Seek** (verb) Try to find or obtain; pursue, search for, aim for प्रयास करना
- 33. **Hefty** (adjective) Large and heavy; substantial, considerable, significant ৰরা
- 34. **Transparent** (adjective) Clear, open, easily understood; straightforward, honest पारदर्शी
- 35. **Reconsider** (verb) Think about again, review, reassess, reevaluate पुनर्विचार करना

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- Preserve (verb) Protect, maintain, conserve, safeguard, uphold संरक्षित करना
- 2. **Testimony** (noun) Evidence, account, statement, attestation, declaration गवाही
- 3. **Survivor** (noun) Remaining person, victim, remnant, endurance, one who endures जीवित बचा व्यक्ति
- 4. **In addition** (phrase) Furthermore, moreover, besides, also, additionally इसके अलावा
- Consistent (adjective) Steady, uniform, constant, unchanging, reliable सुसंगत
- Vocal (adjective) Outspoken, expressive, articulate, assertive, candid मुखर
- 7. **Advocate** (noun) Supporter, proponent, champion, promoter, defender समर्थक
- 8. **Disarmament** (noun) Demilitarization, arms reduction, weapon elimination, arms control, denuclearization निरस्त्रीकरण
- 9. **Context** (noun) Circumstances, situation, background, environment, setting संदर्भ
- 10. **Devastating** (adjective) Destructive, catastrophic, ruinous, disastrous, calamitous विनाशकारी
- 11. **Underway** (adjective) In progress, ongoing, occurring, happening, taking place चल रहा
- 12. **Suffering** (noun) Pain, distress, agony, hardship, affliction पीड़ा
- 13. **Witness** (verb) Observe, see, experience, behold, testify गवाह होना

- 14. **Barely** (adverb) Hardly, scarcely, just, only just, narrowly मुश्किल से
- 15. **Disguised** (adjective) Hidden, concealed, masked, camouflaged, veiled छुपा हुआ
- 16. **Ridden** (with) (adjective) Filled with, plagued by, burdened with, beset by, loaded with से भरा हुआ
- 17. **Highlight** (verb) Emphasize, underline, spotlight, accentuate, stress जोर देना
- 18. **Strengthen** (verb) Reinforce, fortify, bolster, enhance, intensify मजबूत करना
- 19. **Taboo** (noun) Prohibition, ban, restriction, forbidden practice, social no-no वर्जित
- 20. **Devastation** (noun) Destruction, ruin, havoc, wreckage, desolation विनाश
- 21. **Holocaust** (noun) Mass destruction, genocide, massacre, annihilation, extermination जनसंहार
- 22. **Perpetrate** (verb) Commit, carry out, execute, perform, inflict करना (अपराध या कृत्य)
- 23. **Semblance** (noun) Appearance, resemblance, likeness, similarity, facade समानता
- 24. **Exemplify** (verb) Illustrate, demonstrate, represent, typify, epitomize उदाहरण देना
- 25. **Charter** (noun) Constitution, document, code, treaty, statute चार्टर
- 26. **Slogan** (noun) Motto, catchphrase, rallying cry, tagline, expression नारा

- 27. **In essence** (phrase) Essentially, fundamentally, basically, in effect, at heart मूलतः
- 28. **Existential** (adjective) Relating to existence, pertaining to survival, lifethreatening, essential, ontological अस्तित्व से संबंधित
- 29. **Dehumanising** (adjective) Degrading, brutalizing, inhumane, demoralizing, objectifying अमानवीय बनाना
- 30. **Seek** (verb) Search for, pursue, look for, endeavor to find, strive for तलाश करना
- 31. **Depravity** (noun) Corruption, wickedness, immorality, degeneracy, vice भ्रष्टता
- 32. **Bound** (to) (adjective) Certain to, destined to, sure to, inevitable, unavoidable निश्चित
- 33. **Trauma** (noun) Shock, distress, suffering, injury, anguish आघात
- 34. **Unlike** (preposition) Different from, dissimilar to, in contrast to, not like, contrary to के विपरीत
- 35. **Underpin** (verb) Support, strengthen, reinforce, bolster, underlie आधार बनाना
- 36. **Amoral** (adjective) Unethical, unprincipled, unscrupulous, non-moral, without morals अनैतिक

- 37. **Realpolitik** (noun) Practical politics, pragmatic diplomacy, power politics, policy based on practical factors वास्तविक राजनीति
- 38. **Trump** (verb) Surpass, outdo, outperform, outweigh, overrule से बेहतर होना
- 39. **Actor** (noun) Participant, player, agent, entity, protagonist सहभागी/ पात्र
- 40. **Vilification** (noun) Defamation, slander, disparagement, denigration, maligning निंदा
- 41. **Framework** (noun) Structure, system, scheme, outline, plan ढांचा
- 42. **Reflect** (verb) Indicate, show, reveal, mirror, represent प्रतिबिंबित करना
- 43. **Order** (noun) Arrangement, system, organization, structure, sequence व्यवस्था
- 44. **In itself** (phrase) By itself, intrinsically, inherently, alone, per se अपने आप में
- 45. **Import** (noun) Significance, importance, meaning, implication, consequence महत्व
- 46. **Imbibe** (verb) Absorb, assimilate, learn, internalize, take in आत्मसात करना

The Indian express Editorial: India at ASEAN (15/10/2024)

- Take place (phrase) Occur, happen, transpire, be held, arise होना
- Amid (preposition) In the middle of, surrounded by, during, in the context of के बीच
- Escalate (verb) Intensify, increase, heighten, amplify, worsen बढ़ाना
- Consecutive (adjective) Successive, sequential, uninterrupted, continuous, in a row लगातार
- Summit (noun) Conference, meeting, gathering, high-level discussion, conclave शिखर सम्मेलन
- Reaffirm (verb) Reassert, confirm, restate, reiterate, declare again फिर से पृष्टि करना
- 7. **Restraint** (noun) Control, moderation, self-discipline, regulation, limitation संयम
- Mark (verb) Celebrate, commemorate, signify, indicate, observe चिहिनत करना
- Milestone (noun) Landmark, achievement, significant event, turning point, breakthrough मील का पत्थर
- 10. **Vastly** (adverb) Greatly, extensively, immensely, significantly, enormously विस्तार से
- 11. **Globalisation** (noun) the spread of the flow of financial products, goods,

- technology, information, and jobs across national borders and cultures. वैश्वीकरण
- 12. **Integration** (noun) Combination, merging, unification, incorporation, consolidation एकीकरण
- 13. **Reintegration** (noun) Reincorporation, readmission, reentry, rehabilitation, restoration पुन: एकीकरण
- 14. **At odds** (phrase) In disagreement, in conflict, at variance, opposed, in opposition विरोध में
- 15. **Rivalry** (noun) Competition, conflict, contest, antagonism, opposition प्रतिद्वंद्विता
- 16. **Assertiveness** (noun) Confidence, boldness, decisiveness, firmness, selfassurance आत्मविश्वास
- 17. **Maritime** (adjective) Naval, nautical, oceanic, seafaring, marine समुद्री
- 18. **Dominance** (noun) Control, supremacy, power, authority, superiority সম্ব
- 19. **Hesitant** (adjective) Reluctant, unsure, unwilling, cautious, uncertain संकोचपूर्ण
- 20. **Capitalize** (on) (verb) Take advantage of, benefit from, profit from, exploit, make the most of लाभ उठाना

- 21. **Determination** (noun) Resolve, firmness, willpower, commitment, decisiveness दृढ़ संकल्प
- 22. **Counter** (verb) Oppose, resist, combat, challenge, thwart विरोध करना
- 23. **Meanwhile** (adverb) At the same time, concurrently, in the interim, simultaneously, during this time इसी बीच
- 24. **De-globalisation** (noun) the reversal or decline of the effects of globalization. वैश्वीकरण का कम होना
- 25. **Pose** (verb) Present, create, cause, lead to, bring about प्रस्तुत करना
- 26. **Compound** (verb) Worsen, aggravate, intensify, heighten, exacerbate बढ़ाना
- 27. **Breakdown** (noun) Collapse, failure, disintegration, disruption, decay विघटन
- 28. **Junta** (noun) Military government, ruling group, authoritarian regime, dictatorship सैन्य शासन
- 29. **Refusal** (noun) Rejection, denial, noncompliance, opposition, defiance अस्वीकृति
- 30. **Constructive** (adjective) Positive, helpful, productive, beneficial, useful रचनात्मक
- 31. **Dialogue** (noun) Discussion, conversation, talks, communication, negotiation संवाद

- 32. **Standing** (noun) Position, reputation, status, rank, stature स्थिति
- 33. **Thanks to** (phrase) Because of, due to, as a result of, owing to, through the help of के कारण
- 34. **Sustained** (adjective) Continuous, ongoing, consistent, prolonged, unbroken लगातार
- 35. **The Quad** (noun) A strategic group of four countries: India, Australia, Japan, and the United States क्वाड (भारत, ऑस्ट्रेलिया, जापान, और संयुक्त राज्य अमेरिका का समूह)
- 36. **Edge** (noun) Advantage, upper hand, leverage, superiority, lead प्राथमिकता
- 37. **Affirmative** (adjective) Positive, approving, supportive, confirmative, proactive सकारात्मक
- 38. **Unambiguous** (adjective) Clear, definite, straightforward, explicit, unmistakable स्पष्ट
- 39. **Expansionism** (noun) Aggression, imperialism, territorial expansion, enlargement, growth विस्तारवाद
- 40. **Underline** (verb) Emphasize, highlight, stress, draw attention to, accentuate जोर देना
- 41. **Abide by** (phrasal verb) Comply with, follow, adhere to, respect, conform to पालन करना

- 42. **Decade** (noun) A period of ten years दशक
- 43. **Bilateral** (adjective) Two-sided, mutual, reciprocal, joint, shared द्विपक्षीय
- 44. **Notably** (adverb) Especially, significantly, importantly, prominently, particularly विशेष रूप से
- 45. **Trade deficit** (noun) The amount by which imports exceed exports व्यापार घाटा
- 46. **Mounting** (adjective) Increasing, growing, rising, escalating, accumulating बढ़ता हुआ

- 47. **Stand** (at) (verb) Amount to, be, reach, total, come to पर होना
- 48. **Prospect** (noun) Outlook, future possibilities, potential, likelihood, opportunities संभावना
- 49. **Outline** (verb) Summarize, describe, sketch, present, indicate रूपरेखा देना
- 50. **Shed** (verb) Discard, get rid of, remove, drop, abandon छोड़ना

The Indian express Editorial: On abetment to suicide (16/10/2024)

- Abetment (noun) Encouragement or assistance to commit a wrongdoing, incitement, instigation उकसाना
- 2. **Draw a line** (phrase) Set a clear boundary, establish a limit, define, demarcate सीमा निर्धारित करना
- Ruling (noun) Judgment, decision, decree, verdict, resolution निर्णय
- 4. **Given** (preposition) Considering, taking into account, in view of, based on देखते हुए
- 5. **Glare** (noun) Intense public attention, scrutiny, spotlight, focus तीत्र ध्यान
- 6. **Grey area** (noun) Unclear situation, ambiguity, lack of clarity, uncertainty अस्पष्ट स्थिति
- 7. **Bench** (noun) Panel of judges, court, judiciary, tribunal न्यायपीठ
- 8. **Overturn** (verb) Reverse, invalidate, cancel, annul, set aside उलट देना
- 9. **Attribute** (to) (verb) Ascribe, credit, associate with, connect to, blame on जिम्मेदार ठहराना
- 10. **The deceased** (noun) The dead person, the departed, the late person मृत व्यक्ति
- 11. **Spell out** (phrasal verb) Clarify, explain in detail, make clear, elucidate स्पष्ट करना
- 12. **Allegation** (noun) Accusation, claim, charge, assertion, statement आरोप

- 13. **Intent** (noun) Purpose, motive, objective, aim, goal इरादा
- 14. **Draw a distinction** (phrase) Differentiate, make a difference, distinguish, separate अंतर बताना
- 15. **Crucial** (adjective) Critical, important, key, essential, vital महत्वपूर्ण
- 16. **Constitute** (verb) Make up, form, compose, create, establish निर्धारित करना/ बनाना
- 17. **Sentimental** (adjective) Emotional, nostalgic, heartfelt, sensitive, tender भावनात्मक
- 18. **Equate** (with) (verb) Compare, liken, consider the same, match समानता करना
- 19. **By and large** (phrase) Generally, on the whole, overall, mostly, in general कुल मिलाकर
- 20. **Instrumental** (in) (adjective) Helpful, essential, influential, contributory महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाना
- 21. **Curb** (verb) Control, restrain, limit, check, reduce नियंत्रित करना
- 22. **Penal** (adjective) Punitive, disciplinary, correctional, relating to punishment दंडनीय
- 23. **Retain** (verb) Keep, maintain, preserve, hold on to बनाए रखना
- 24. **Rampant** (adjective) Widespread, uncontrolled, excessive, prevalent बेकाबू

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- 25. **Concerning** (adjective) Worrying, troubling, alarming, distressing चिंताजनक
- 26. **Mere** (adjective) Only, just, minimal, simple, slight सिर्फ
- 27. **Utterance** (noun) Remark, comment, statement, verbal expression कथन
- 28. **Ground** (noun) Basis, foundation, reason, justification आधार
- 29. **Defer** (verb) Postpone, delay, put off, delay action टालना

- 30. **Ascertain** (verb) Determine, find out, verify, confirm, establish पता लगाना
- 31. **Take something at face value** (phrase) Accept without questioning, believe as it appears, trust without deeper analysis जैसा है वैसा मान लेना
- 32. **Endeavour** (noun) Attempt, effort, try, undertaking, venture प्रयास
- 33. **Prima facie** (noun) On the first impression, apparent, at first glance, seemingly प्रथम दृष्टया

The Hindu Editorial: Deeper role (17/10/2024)

- Escalating (adjective) Intensifying, increasing, worsening, heightening, amplifying बढ़ता हुआ
- 2. **Disastrous** (adjective) Catastrophic, devastating, ruinous, harmful, calamitous विनाशकारी
- Advanced (adjective) Sophisticated, cutting-edge, highly developed, state-ofthe-art अत्याध्निक
- 4. **Draw** (verb) Attract, involve, bring in, pull in, engage खींचना
- Unfolding (adjective) Developing, evolving, happening, progressing विकसित हो रहा
- Break out (phrasal verb) Start suddenly, erupt, begin, flare up अचानक श्रूर होना
- 7. **Twin** (adjective) Dual, two-fold, paired, double दोहरे
- 8. **Free hand** (noun) Full freedom, autonomy, unrestricted control, leeway पूर्ण स्वतंत्रता
- 9. **Diplomatic** (adjective) Political, tactful, strategic, related to diplomacy राजनयिक
- 10. **Escalation** (noun) Increase, intensification, rise, worsening वृद्धि
- 11. **Carry out** (phrasal verb) Execute, perform, conduct, implement अंजाम देना
- 12. **Disproportionate** (adjective) Excessive, unbalanced, unequal, unreasonable असमानुपाती

- 13. **Allegation** (noun) Accusation, claim, charge, assertion आरोप
- 14. **Genocide** (noun) Mass killing, extermination, ethnic cleansing, massacre नरसंहार
- 15. **Coalition** (noun) Alliance, partnership, union, collaboration गठबंधन
- 16. **Intact** (adjective) Unbroken, whole, undamaged, complete अखंड
- 17. **Militia** (noun) Armed group, paramilitary group, military force, rebels सशस्त्र बल
- 18. **Humanity** (noun) Mankind, humankind, human race, compassion मानवता
- 19. **Assistance** (noun) Help, support, aid, backing सहायता
- 20. **Bombing** (noun) Airstrike, attack with explosives, bombardment बमबारी
- 21. **Embassy** (noun) Diplomatic mission, government office abroad, consulate दूतावास
- 22. **Invasion** (noun) Attack, assault, incursion, occupation आक्रमण
- 23. **Deploy** (verb) Position, station, utilize, arrange तैनात करना
- 24. **Point to** (phrasal verb) Indicate, suggest, show, reveal संकेत करना
- 25. **Precarious** (adjective) Unstable, insecure, risky, uncertain अस्थिर

- 26. **Ally** (noun) Partner, supporter, friend, confederate मित्र
- 27. **Meet** (verb) Achieve, satisfy, fulfill, attain पूरा करना
- 28. **Step up** (phrasal verb) Increase, intensify, boost, escalate बढ़ाना
- 29. **Strike** (verb) Hit, attack, target, assault हमला करना
- 30. **Intercept** (verb) Block, stop, prevent, interrupt रोकना
- 31. **Amid** (preposition) In the middle of, during, in the midst of के बीच
- 32. **Counter-retaliation** (noun) Response to retaliation, counterattack, reprisal जवाबी कार्रवाई
- 33. **Bolster** (verb) Strengthen, support, reinforce, boost मजबूत करना
- 34. **Underscore** (verb) Emphasize, highlight, stress, underline जोर देना

- 35. **Overwhelmingly** (adverb) Predominantly, mostly, largely, extensively बहुतायत से/ भारी
- 36. **Substantial** (adjective) Significant, considerable, large, important काफी
- 37. **Leverage** (noun) Influence, advantage, power, control সभाव
- 38. **Strange** (adjective) Unusual, odd, peculiar, unexpected अजीब
- 39. **Go rouge** (phrase) behave erratically or dangerously, especially by disregarding the rules or the usual way of doing something. दृष्ट होना
- 40. **Escalation** (noun) Intensification, increase, worsening, heightening वृद्धि
- 41. **Drag** (verb) Pull, draw, involve unwillingly, bring into खींचना
- 42. **Rein in** (phrasal verb) Control, restrain, limit, curb नियंत्रित करना

The Pioneer Editorial: Reviving Family Bonds (18/10/2024)

- Encouragement (noun) Support, motivation, inspiration, stimulus प्रोत्साहन
- Jingle (noun) Short tune or slogan, catchy melody, refrain जिंगल (संगीत का छोटा टुकड़ा)
- Coin (verb) Create, invent, formulate, originate गढ़ना
- Scenario (noun) Situation, context, setting, condition परिदृश्य
- Ironic (adjective) Paradoxical, unexpected, contradictory, strange विडंबनापूर्ण
- Proclivity (noun) Tendency, inclination, predisposition, propensity रुझान/ प्रवृत्ति
- Wonder (verb) Think, question, ponder, contemplate आश्चर्य करना
- 8. **Societal** (adjective) Relating to society, communal, social सामाजिक
- 9. **Term** (noun) the conditions of an agreement शतें
- 10. **Metropolis** (noun) Large city, urban area, big city महानगर
- 11. **Bring up** (phrasal verb) Raise, nurture, rear, educate पालना-पोसना
- 12. **Passing day** (noun) day by day हर गुजरते दिन के साथ
- 13. **Core** (noun) Essence, central part, foundation, heart मूल
- 14. **So-called** (adjective) Alleged, supposed, presumed, self-styled कथित

- 15. **The Literate** (noun) Educated person, knowledgeable person साक्षर व्यक्ति
- 16. **The Illiterate** (noun) Uneducated person, ignorant person अशिक्षित व्यक्ति
- 17. **Convention** (noun) Tradition, custom, practice, rule रिवाज
- 18. **Sustenance** (noun) Support, maintenance, nourishment, livelihood जीविका
- 19. **Facilitate** (verb) Assist, make easier, aid, promote सुविधा प्रदान करना
- 20. **Individualistic** (adjective) Self-centered, personal, independent, autonomous व्यक्तिवादी
- 21. For the sake of (phrase) For the benefit of, for the good of, in the interest of के लिए
- 22. **Belongingness** (noun) Sense of connection, feeling of being part, attachment संबंधितता
- 23. **Nomenclature** (noun) Naming system, terminology, classification नामकरण
- 24. **Accommodation** (noun) Adjustment, adaptation, compromise, cooperation समायोजन
- 25. **Split up** (phrasal verb) Break apart, separate, divide, disband विभाजित होना
- 26. **Vanish** (verb) Disappear, fade away, dissolve, evaporate गायब होना
- 27. **Interference** (noun) Intrusion, meddling, obstruction, intervention हस्तक्षेप

- 28. **Regard** (noun) Respect, consideration, esteem, admiration सम्मान
- 29. **Give up** (phrasal verb) Surrender, abandon, relinquish, stop त्यागना
- 30. **Crack** (noun) Break, fissure, gap, flaw दरार
- 31. **Preserve** (verb) Maintain, protect, conserve, safeguard संरक्षित करना
- 32. **Sobriety** (noun) Seriousness, moderation, calmness, thoughtfulness संयम
- 33. **Humility** (noun) Modesty, humbleness, meekness, down-to-earthness विनम्रता
- 34. **Civilised** (adjective) Cultured, wellmannered, polite, advanced सभ्य
- 35. **Disciplinarian** (adjective) Strict, ruleenforcing, authoritative, controlling अनुशासनप्रिय

- 36. **Scholar** (noun) Academic, intellectual, learned person विद्वान
- 37. **Condemn** (verb) Criticize, denounce, disapprove, censure निंदा करना
- 38. **Trait** (noun) Characteristic, quality, attribute, feature गुण/ विशेषता
- 39. **Pay attention to** (phrase) Focus on, notice, observe, heed ध्यान देना
- 40. **Breeding ground** (noun) a place or situation that favours the development or occurrence of something. प्रजनन स्थल
- 41. **Awaken** (verb) Arouse, stimulate, alert, activate जागृत करना
- 42. **Wellbeing** (noun) Welfare, health, happiness, prosperity कल्याण
- 43. **Flourish** (verb) Thrive, prosper, grow, succeed फूलना-फलना

The Indian Express Editorial: Illicit kidney trafficking (19/10/2024)

- 1. Illicit (adjective) illegal, unlawful, forbidden, banned, unauthorized अवैध
- Trafficking (noun) dealing, trading, smuggling, commerce, transport तस्करी
- Hub (noun) center, core, focal point, nexus, heart केंद्र
- 4. **Take place** (verb) occur, happen, transpire, ensue, unfold होना
- Neighbourhood (noun) vicinity, area, surroundings, locality, region पड़ोस
- 6. **Testament** (to) (noun) evidence, proof, indication, demonstration, witness प्रमाण
- Compassionate (adjective) sympathetic, empathetic, kind-hearted, humane, charitable दयालु
- 8. **Efficient** (adjective) effective, proficient, competent, capable, streamlined কু**গ**ল
- 9. **Ecosystem** (noun) environment, system, network, structure, community पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र
- 10. **Rife** (with) (adjective) abundant, teeming, full, overflowing, widespread से भरपूर
- 11. **Dubious** (adjective) doubtful, suspicious, questionable, uncertain, untrustworthy संदिग्ध
- 12. **Trafficker** (noun) dealer, smuggler, trader, transporter, middleman तस्कर

- 13. **For instance** (phrase) for example, such as, e.g., like, to illustrate उदाहरण के लिए
- 14. **Syndicate** (noun) cartel, consortium, association, alliance, group गिरोह
- 15. **Prominent** (adjective) notable, wellknown, distinguished, eminent, renowned प्रमुख
- 16. **Shine a light on** (phrase) reveal, expose, disclose, highlight, uncover प्रकाश डालना
- 17. **Racket** (noun) scam, fraud, scheme, illegal business, operation अवैध कारोबार
- 18. **Stretch** (from) (verb) extend, reach, span, cover, range विस्तारित करना
- 19. **Rely** (on) (verb) depend, count on, trust, bank on, lean on निर्भर होना
- 20. **Fudged** (adjective) falsified, altered, manipulated, tampered, distorted **फ**र्जी
- 21. **Tie-up** (noun) partnership, alliance, connection, association, collaboration साझेदारी
- 22. **Ring** (noun) group, network, syndicate, gang, organization गिरोह
- 23. **Bypass** (verb) avoid, circumvent, evade, skip, ignore दरकिनार करना
- 24. **Screening** (noun) examination, inspection, evaluation, testing, assessment जांच

- 25. **Recognise** (verb) acknowledge, identify, admit, realize, appreciate पहचानना
- 26. Altruistic (adjective) selfless, charitable, philanthropic, generous, unselfish परोपकारी
- 27. **Swap donation** (noun) a procedure that allows two families to exchange organs for transplant when a donor and recipient pair are not compatible with each other आदान-प्रदान दान
- 28. Incompatible (with) (adjective) unsuitable, mismatched, conflicting, not matching, discordant असंगत
- 29. Embassy (noun) consulate, high commission, diplomatic mission, legation, consular office दूतावास
- 30. **Drive** (verb) motivate, propel, push, spur, encourage प्रेरित करना
- 31. **Coercion** (noun) force, intimidation, pressure, compulsion, duress जोर
- 32. Flourish (verb) thrive, prosper, grow, expand, succeed फलना-फूलना
- 33. **Disguise** (verb) conceal, mask, cover, camouflage, veil छुपाना
- 34. Fabricate (verb) invent, concoct, forge, make up, falsify गढ़ना
- 35. **Impoverished** (adjective) poor, destitute, needy, underprivileged, penniless गरीब
- 36. Lure (verb) attract, entice, tempt, draw, persuade लुभाना

- 37. Harvest (verb) collect, gather, extract, obtain, reap प्राप्त करना
- 38. Alacrity (noun) eagerness, willingness, readiness, enthusiasm, promptness उत्साह
- 39. Enforcement (noun) implementation, execution, application, imposition, administration प्रवर्तन
- 40. Address (verb) tackle, handle, deal with, confront, resolve निपटना
- 41. Up to the mark (phrase) satisfactory, adequate, acceptable, sufficient, competent मानक पर
- 42. Bust (verb) break up, dismantle, disrupt, shut down, raid भंडाफोड़ करना
- 43. Zeal (noun) enthusiasm, passion, fervor, eagerness, ardor उत्साह
- 44. Let (verb) allow, permit, enable, grant, authorize अनुमति देना
- 45. Alleged (adjective) supposed, presumed, claimed, asserted, reported कथित
- 46. Off the hook (phrase) released, exempted, freed, absolved, excused छूटना
- 47. In the long run (phrase) ultimately, eventually, in the end, over time, in the future अंततः
- 48. Misconception (noun) misunderstanding, fallacy, false belief, error, myth भ्रांति
- 49. Skew (noun) bias, distortion, slant, tilt, twist झ्काव

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50. **Constitute** (verb) – form, make up, compose, comprise, establish बनाना

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The Indian Express editorial: Lessons from recent farm (14/10/2024)

- 1. **Buoyancy** (noun) Growth, resilience, vigor, robustness, dynamism उछाल
- 2. **Dispensation** (noun) Administration, regime, governance, management, rule शासन
- Preceding (adjective) Previous, prior, earlier, former, antecedent पूर्व
- 4. Decade (noun) A period of ten years दशक
- 5. **Pick-up** (noun) Increase, improvement, upswing, upturn, growth वृद्धि
- Belie (verb) Contradict, disprove, refute, negate, misrepresent खंडन करना
- 7. **Perception** (noun) Understanding, awareness, belief, impression, notion धारणा
- 8. **Steep in** (phrasal verb) Immerse in, saturate with, engulf in, permeate, infuse लिप्त होना
- 9. **There's a catch to** (phrase) Hidden drawback, snag, complication, downside, caveat इसमें एक पेंच है
- 10. **Optimistic** (adjective) Hopeful, positive, confident, upbeat, sanguine आशावादी
- 11. **Seeming** (adjective) Apparent, ostensible, superficial, outward, perceived प्रतीत होने वाला
- 12. **Livestock** (noun) Farm animals, cattle, domesticated animals, herds, beasts पशुधन

- 13. **Register** (verb) Record, report, document, log, enter दर्ज करना
- 14. **Associate** (with) (verb) Connect with, link to, relate to, correlate with, tie to जोड़ना
- 15. **Moreover** (adverb) Furthermore, besides, additionally, also, in addition इसके अलावा
- 16. **Divergence** (noun) Difference, deviation, variation, disparity, separation भिन्नता
- 17. **Horticulture** (noun) Gardening, cultivation, floriculture, arboriculture, plant husbandry बागवानी
- 18. **Meagre** (adjective) Scanty, insufficient, paltry, inadequate, sparse अल्प
- 19. **So-called** (adjective) Supposed, alleged, purported, ostensible, nominal तथाकथित
- 20. **Driver** (noun) Catalyst, force, impetus, motivator, stimulus; factor प्रेरक
- 21. **Irony** (noun) Paradox, contradiction, incongruity, sarcasm, satire विडंबना
- 22. **Intervention measure** (noun) any interference in the affairs of others, esp by one state in the affairs of another. हस्तक्षेप उपाय
- 23. In contrast (phrase) Conversely, on the other hand, unlike, as opposed to, differing इसके विपरीत
- 24. **Post** (verb) Record, register, report, announce, declare दर्ज करना

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- 25. **Diversify** (verb) Vary, expand, broaden, branch out, spread विविधता लाना
- 26. **Aqua** (adjective) Aquatic, water-based, marine, hydrous, watery जलीय
- 27. **Laggard** (noun) Straggler, slowpoke, dawdler, sluggard, slowcoach पिछड़ने वाला
- 28. **The likes of** (phrase) Such as, similar to, for example, like, akin to जैसे
- 29. **Better off** (adjective) In a better position, more prosperous, advantaged, wealthier, improved बेहतर स्थिति में
- 30. **The way forward** (phrase) Future path, next step, solution, plan of action, course ahead आगे का रास्ता

- 31. **Dispense** (with) (verb) Do away with, eliminate, discard, abolish, get rid of छोड़ देना/ से छुटकारा पाना
- 32. **Induce** (verb) Persuade, encourage, cause, prompt, stimulate प्रेरित करना
- 33. **Facilitate** (verb) Ease, assist, aid, help, promote सुगम बनाना
- 34. **Meddle** (with) (verb) Interfere with, tamper with, intrude upon, intervene in, mess with दखल देना
- 35. **Distort** (verb) Twist, misrepresent, warp, skew, alter विकृत करना
- 36. **Rearing** (noun) the process of keeping, feeding, breeding, and providing medical care for useful animals

The Indian Express editorial: Taking guard (16/10/2024)

- Warrant (verb) Justify, necessitate, call for, merit, validate ज़रूरी बनाना
- 2. **Verdict** (noun) Decision, judgment, ruling, conclusion, resolution फैसला

- 4. **Benchmark interest rate** (noun) It include repo rate, MSF rate, CRR rate, Bank rate etc
- Induct (verb) Introduce, admit, initiate, bring in, install शामिल करना
- Push for (phrasal verb) Advocate for, support, press for, campaign for दबाव डालना
- 7. Basis point (noun) 100 basis point = 1%
- 8. **Perhaps** (adverb) Maybe, possibly, potentially, conceivably शायद
- 9. **Cite** (verb) Mention, refer to, quote, bring up, point out हवाला देना
- 10. **Headline inflation** (noun) The total inflation within an economy, including all sectors मुख्य मुद्रास्फीति
- 11. **Term** (verb) Label, call, define, name, describe कहना
- 12. **Trajectory** (noun) Path, course, direction, progression, arc प्रक्षेप पथ
- 13. **Uneven** (adjective) Inconsistent, irregular, unbalanced, erratic, unequal असमान
- 14. **Moderation** (noun) Reduction, temperance, softening, easing, restraint कमी/नरमी

- 15. **Hit** (verb) reach, attain, touch, arrive at (a particular level, point) पहुंचना
- 16. **Alter** (verb) Change, modify, adjust, revise, transform बदलना
- 17. **Projection** (noun) Forecast, estimate, prediction, outlook, expectation अनुमान
- 18. **Ease** (verb) Lessen, reduce, alleviate, decrease, moderate कम होना
- 19. **Unanimously** (adverb) In agreement, collectively, with one voice, without opposition सर्वसम्मति से
- 20. **Switch** (verb) Change, shift, alter, transition, move बदलना
- 21. **Hawkish stance** (noun) under this policy, policymaker is willing to allow interest rates to rise in order to keep inflation under control.
- 22. **Go by** (phrasal verb) Follow, adhere to, act on, rely on, be guided by के अनुसार जाना
- 23. **Reiterate** (verb) Repeat, restate, reaffirm, emphasize, stress again दोहराना
- 24. **Unambiguously** (adverb) Clearly, definitively, explicitly, without confusion स्पष्ट रूप से
- 25. **Align** (verb) Match, adjust, coordinate, synchronize, bring in line सामंजस्य बिठाना
- 26. **Mark** (noun) point, level, stage, degree स्तर

- 27. **Spike** (verb) Increase sharply, rise suddenly, shoot up, surge, escalate तेजी से बढ़ना
- 28. **Flag** (verb) Signal, indicate, draw attention to, highlight, point out संकेत करना
- 29. **Core inflation** (noun) Inflation excluding volatile items like food and energy मूल मुद्रास्फीति
- 30. **Bottom out** (phrasal verb) Reach the lowest point, stabilize, stop declining निचले स्तर पर पहुंचना
- 31. **Headache** (noun) Problem, difficulty, issue, complication, concern समस्या
- 32. **Fret about** (phrasal verb) Worry about, be anxious about, be concerned over, stress over चिंता करना
- 33. **Ever-looming** (adjective) Constantly present, ever-threatening, always hanging over हमेशा मंडराता हुआ
- 34. **Plausible** (adjective) Reasonable, believable, likely, possible, credible संभावित
- 35. **Instructive** (adjective) Informative, educational, enlightening, illuminating, useful शिक्षाप्रद
- 36. **Tangential** (adjective) Indirect, peripheral, not directly related, diverging परोक्ष
- 37. **Slashing** (noun) Drastic reduction, cutting, sharp decrease, trimming कमी

- 38. **Pivot** (noun) Shift, turn, change in direction, transition मुख्य परिवर्तन
- 39. **Prompt** (verb) Cause, trigger, provoke, incite, lead to प्रेरित करना
- 40. **Notably** (adverb) Significantly, especially, importantly, particularly विशेष रूप से
- 41. **Bullish** (adjective) Optimistic, confident, positive, upbeat आशावादी
- 42. **Cooling** (noun) Slowing down, moderation, reduction in activity, decline घटाव, कमी
- 43. **Stuttering** (adjective) Hesitant, faltering, irregular, uneven लड़खड़ाता
- 44. **Reflect** (verb) Show, indicate, display, reveal, express दर्शाना
- 45. **Slip** (into) (verb) Fall into, decline into, drop into, move into में गिरना
- 46. **Contraction** (noun) Decline, shrinkage, reduction, decrease, slowdown ঘटাৰ
- 47. **Turn the tide** (phrase) Reverse the trend, change the course, shift the momentum स्थिति बदलना
- 48. **Front** (noun) Aspect, area, domain, field, front line क्षेत्र
- 49. **Vow** (to) (verb) Promise, pledge, commit, swear, declare प्रतिज्ञा करना
- 50. **Rein in** (phrasal verb) Control, curb, restrict, limit, restrain नियंत्रित करना
- 51. **Unenviable** (adjective) Difficult, challenging, undesirable, tough अवांछनीय

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52. **Dilemma** (noun) – Predicament, quandary, difficult choice, problem, puzzle दुविधा

The Times of India editorial: A calm mind (17/10/2024)

- Stun (verb) Shock, astonish, surprise, overwhelm, amaze हैरान करना
- 2. **Serenity** (noun) Calmness, peacefulness, tranquility, stillness, composure शांति
- Intellect (noun) Intelligence, reasoning, understanding, mind, wisdom बुद्धि
- Agitated (adjective) Disturbed, upset, restless, uneasy, anxious व्याकुल
- 5. **Flawed** (adjective) Imperfect, defective, erroneous, faulty, mistaken त्रुटिपूर्ण
- 6. **Address** (verb) Deal with, focus on, handle, tackle, attend to निपटना
- Seek (verb) Look for, search for, pursue, aim for, strive for खोजना
- 8. **Deprived** (adjective) Lacking, disadvantaged, without, needy, impoverished वंचित
- 9. **Drive** (verb) Motivate, propel, push, stimulate, inspire प्रेरित करना
- 10. **Deficiency** (noun) Lack, shortage, shortfall, insufficiency, scarcity कमी
- 11. **Lead** (to) (verb) Result in, cause, bring about, give rise to, generate वजह बनना

- 12. **Abundance** (noun) Plenty, wealth, affluence, excess, large quantity प्रच्रता
- 13. **Irresistible** (adjective) Tempting, alluring, overpowering, undeniable, compelling अपरिहार्य
- 14. **Urge** (noun) Desire, impulse, drive, craving, compulsion प्रेरणा
- 15. **State** (noun) Condition, situation, position, status, phase स्थिति
- 16. **Material asset** (noun) Material assets can be natural or human-made, and their value can be cultural or economic. भौतिक संपत्ति
- 17. **Pauper** (noun) Poor person, beggar, indigent, destitute, have-not गरीब व्यक्ति
- 18. **Abundant** (adjective) Plentiful, ample, copious, overflowing, bountiful प्रचुर
- 19. **Mediocrity** (noun) Averageness, ordinariness, lack of distinction, normalcy साधारणता
- 20. **Sheer** (adjective) Pure, absolute, total, complete, unqualified पूर्ण

The Hindu editorial: Abject failure (18/10/2024)

- Abject (adjective) Miserable, hopeless, severe, extreme दयनिय
- Undernourished (adjective) –
 Malnourished, poorly fed, lacking nutrition
 कुपोषित
- 3. **Populous** (adjective) Densely populated, crowded, heavily inhabited घनी आबादी वाला
- 4. **Staggering** (adjective) Astonishing, overwhelming, shocking, immense चिकत कर देने वाला
- 5. **Stark** (adjective) Harsh, clear, severe, blunt संख्त और स्पष्ट
- 6. **Existing** (adjective) Present, current, available, in place मौजूदा
- 7. **Comprehensive** (adjective) Thorough, complete, all-encompassing, detailed व्यापक
- 8. **Finding** (noun) Conclusion, result, outcome, discovery निष्कर्ष
- 9. **Infant mortality** (noun) the death of an infant between 1 day and 1 year of age शिशु मृत्यु दर
- 10. **Maternal mortality** (noun) Death rate of mothers during childbirth मातृ मृत्यु दर
- 11. **Alarming** (adjective) Worrying, disturbing, shocking, concerning चिंताजनक
- 12. **Establish** (verb) Prove, confirm, demonstrate, show स्थापित करना

- 13. **Systemic** (adjective) Structural, institutional, widespread, deeply rooted ਕਾਰस्थित
- 14. **Address** (verb) Deal with, tackle, manage, handle सुलझाना
- 15. **Reap** (verb) Gain, obtain, harvest, benefit प्राप्त करना
- 16. **Touted** (adjective) Publicized, promoted, praised, proclaimed प्रचारित किया हुआ
- 17. **Demographic dividend** (noun) Economic benefit from a population's age structure जनसांख्यिकीय लाभांश
- 18. **Per capita** (adjective) Per person, individual, per head प्रति व्यक्ति
- 19. **Result in** (phrasal verb) Lead to, cause, bring about, produce का परिणाम होना
- 20. **Vastly** (adverb) Greatly, significantly, hugely, immensely बहुत अधिक
- 21. **Varied** (adjective) Diverse, different, assorted, wide-ranging विविध
- 22. **Disposable income** (noun) Money available after taxes खर्च के लिए शेष आय
- 23. **Pertinent** (adjective) Relevant, appropriate, applicable, significant उचित
- 24. **Reservoir** (noun) Water storage, dam, basin जलाशय
- 25. **Stunting** (noun) Reduced growth rate in children विकास रुकावट

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- 26. **Wasting** (noun) Severe undernutrition leading to weight loss कुपोषण से वजन घटने की प्रक्रिया
- 27. **Point to** (phrasal verb) Indicate, suggest, hint at, reveal संकेत करना
- 28. **Safety net** (noun) an arrangement that helps to prevent disaster (usually with money) if something goes wrong घीर आकस्मिक संकट (विशेषतः धन-संबंधित) से बचाव की व्यवस्था

- 29. **Denial** (noun) Refusal, rejection, dismissal, negation इंकार
- 30. **Apparent** (adjective) Obvious, clear, evident, visible स्पष्ट
- 31. **Cast a shadow on** (phrase) Create doubt or negative impact, overshadow, affect संदेह उत्पन्न करना

The daily pioneer editorial: Why Indian women deserve (19/10/2024)

- Inculcate (verb) instill, implant, teach, educate, foster सीखाना
- Obligation (noun) duty, responsibility, commitment, requirement, necessity कर्तव्य
- Pursue (verb) follow, chase, seek, strive for, engage in अनुसरण करना
- Unsettling (adjective) disturbing, disconcerting, troubling, worrisome, alarming अशांत करने वाला
- 5. **Intimidating** (adjective) daunting, frightening, menacing, threatening, overpowering धमकी भरा
- Societal (adjective) social, communal, public, collective, cultural सामाजिक
- 7. **Conviction** (noun) belief, faith, assurance, certainty, confidence विश्वास
- Breaking point (noun) limit, threshold, climax, critical point, verge सहनशक्ति सीमा
- 9. **Lie** (verb) exist, reside, be situated, be located, remain स्थित होना
- 10. **Ingrained** (adjective) deep-rooted, embedded, established, fixed, inherent स्थापित
- 11. Make a stride (phrase) progress, advance, move forward, improve, develop प्रगति करना

- 12. **Empowerment** (noun) enablement, authorization, liberation, enfranchisement, strengthening सशक्तिकरण
- 13. **Onus** (noun) burden, responsibility, duty, obligation, liability जिम्मेदारी
- 14. **Excel** (verb) surpass, outshine, outdo, be superior, thrive श्रेष्ठ होना
- 15. **Diminish** (verb) reduce, lessen, decrease, dwindle, decline घटाना
- 16. **Expand** (verb) extend, enlarge, broaden, increase, amplify विस्तार करना
- 17. **Unsustainable** (adjective) unfeasible, untenable, unmanageable, impractical, not maintainable अस्थिर
- 18. Juggling act (noun) balancing act, multitasking, handling multiple responsibilities, managing several tasks, coordination effort संतुलन कार्य
- 19. **Take for granted** (phrase) to accept or assume without question हल्के में लें लेना
- 20. **Manifest** (verb) display, show, demonstrate, reveal, exhibit प्रकट करना
- 21. **Well-being** (noun) welfare, health, happiness, comfort, prosperity कल्याण

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- 22. **Drive** (noun) motivation, ambition, determination, initiative, impetus प्रेरणा
- 23. **Impose** (verb) enforce, inflict, levy, mandate, require थोपना
- 24. **Falter** (verb) hesitate, waver, stumble, weaken, hesitate **डगमगाना**
- 25. **Often** (adverb) frequently, regularly, commonly, usually, repeatedly अक्सर
- 26. **Recognition** (noun) acknowledgment, appreciation, acceptance, identification, fame मान्यता
- 27. **Appreciation** (noun) gratitude, recognition, acknowledgment, admiration, valuation सराहना
- 28. **Aspect** (noun) facet, feature, part, element, side पहलू
- 29. **Meet** (verb) satisfy, fulfill, comply with, reach, correspond to पूरा करना
- 30. **Criticism** (noun) disapproval, censure, critique, fault-finding, condemnation आलोचना
- 31. **Compassion** (noun) empathy, sympathy, pity, kindness, understanding दया
- 32. **Child-rearing** (noun) parenting, raising children, upbringing, nurturing, care of children बच्चे का पालन-पोषण

- 33. **Nurture** (verb) foster, cultivate, encourage, support, develop पालन-पोषण करना
- 34. **Relentless** (adjective) persistent, unyielding, constant, incessant, unremitting বুৱ
- 35. **Space** (noun) room, area, freedom, latitude, capacity स्वतंत्रता
- 36. **Advocate** (verb) support, promote, champion, endorse, back समर्थन करना
- 37. **Endeavour** (noun) effort, attempt, undertaking, enterprise, pursuit प्रयास
- 38. **Alleviate** (verb) relieve, ease, reduce, mitigate, lessen कम करना
- 39. Weigh (on) (verb) burden, press, oppress, affect, impact भार डालना