

One Word Substitutions

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1.Awning/Canopy : (शामियाना, तिरपाल) A covering of canvas to shelter people or things from rain or sun.

2.Artist : (कलाकार) One who practice one of the fine arts.

3.Armistice : (युद्धविराम) An agreement stopping fighting in a war, battle etc.

4.Arbitration : (मध्यस्थता करना) Settlement of a dispute by the decision of a person chosen and as a Judge or umpire.

5. **Annihilate** : (सर्वनाश करना) To destroy completely.

6. **Adolescence** : (किशोरावस्था) In the stage between childhood and adulthood.

7. **Altar** : (वेदी) A raised place on which offering to a God are made.

8. **Affidavit** : (शपत पत्र) A written declaration made on oath in the presence of a magistrate

9. **Artisan** : (शिल्पकार) Expert in any skill of hand.

10.Burglar : (चोर, ठग) A person who breaks into a house in order to steal.

11.Bureaucracy : (नौकरशाही) A government by the officials.

12.Brewery : (शराब की भठ्ठी) A Place where wine is made.

13.Bilingual : (द्विभाषिक) A person who speaks two languages.

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14.Bankrupt/insolvent : (दिवालिया) A person unable to pay his debts.

15.Bohemian : (बागी) One who does not follow the usual rules of social life.

16.Avenue : (मार्ग , रास्ता) A wide street, especially one with trees or tall building on each side.

17.Bigot : (कट्टर , धर्मांध, fanatic) One who has obstinate and narrow religious views.

18.Bevy : (लड़कियों का समुह) A group of girl.

19. **Bashful** (शर्मीला) shy and easily embarrassed.

20. **Bully** : (धमकाना) A person who used his strength or power to frighten or hurt others.

21. **Psalm/Hymn** : (भजन) A sacred song.

22. **Ode** : (गीति-काव्य) A poem written to a person or thing. ☐ **Sonnet**
: A type of poem with fourteen lines

23. **Booty** : (लूट का माल) Things taken by robbers.

29. Benediction : Blessing given by a priest.

30. Barren : Land that does not grow anything.

31. Barbarian : (बर्बर) A person who is uncivilized.

32. Barometer : (वायुमान यंत्र) An instrument for measuring the pressure of the atmosphere.

33. Beautician : (कस्मेटिक्स का काम करने वाले) A person who runs a beauty parlour.

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Practice



Persons with odd or unusual personality

1) **eccentric**

2) electric

3) eclectic

4) Egotistic

⇒ **Eccentric'** - means (**of a person or their behaviour**) unconventional and slightly strange.

⇒ **Electric'** - means of, worked by, charged with, or producing electricity.

⇒ **Eclectic'** - means deriving ideas, style, or taste from a broad and diverse range of sources.

⇒ **Egotistic'** - means pertaining to or characterized by egotism.

The study of the bones

1) Postmortem

2) **Osteology**

3) Posthumous

4) Aseptic

⇒ '**Osteology**' - It is used to refer to the study of the bones. 'How to promote fracture concrecence is an active problem in osteology.' could be used as a sentence to understand the use of the word better.

⇒ **Posthumous** – Orphans never know their fathers,

⇒ **Aseptic** – Used to protect against infection by disease.

An official list or record of names or items

1) Investigation

➤ 2) Register

3) Focus

4) Censure

➤ **Investigation** - the action of investigating something or someone; formal or systematic examination or research

➤ **Register** - an official list or record of names or items

➤ **Focus** - the centre of interest or activity

➤ **Censure** - harsh criticism

Able to move easily and quickly

- 1) Fragile ✓
- 2) Agile
- 3) Furious
- 4) Unkempt

Fragile – breakable, something that can be easily broken

⇒ **Agile** – able to move your bodily quickly, able to think clearly

⇒ **Furious** – very angry

⇒ **Unkempt** – having an untidy (not neat) appearance

The act of killing one's father

- 1) Paricide
- 2) Patricide
- 3) Fatricide
- 4) Prolicide

➤ **Parricide** the killing of one's mother or father or other close relative

➤ **Patricide** - The killing of one's father

➤ **Fratricide** - the act of killing a brother

➤ **Prolicide** - the act of killing one's own children

Too powerful to be defeated

- 1) Victorious
- 2) Diligent
- 3) Carcinogenic

→ 4) **Invincible**

→ **Victorious** – having won a victory in a war, battle, game or election

Example : The victorious team became famous after the match.

→ **Diligent** – someone who works hard and carefully

Example : Your child is a diligent student.

→ **Carcinogenic** – an agent or substance that tends to produce cancer.

Example : Recent research has proved that this chemical is carcinogenic and hence its usage should be banned in the country

→ **Invincible** – too powerful to be mastered, defeated or overcome

Example : He proved to be an invincible warrior.

show or announce publicly for the first time.

- 1) Unveil
- 2) Shroud
- 3) Obscure
- 4) None of the above.

Unveil – (**Expose, Reveal, Disclose**) show or announce publicly for the first time.

➤ **Shroud** – (**Blanket, Cloak**) a protective casing or cover.

➤ **Obscure** - not discovered or known about; (uncertain, Opaque).

The base frame of a car or other wheeled vehicle

- 1) Fuselage
- 2) Bonnet
- 3) Chassis
- 4) Cockpit

✓ **Fuselage:** it refers to the main body of the aircraft.

✓ **Bonnet:** a metal covering the engine of a motor vehicle

✓ **Chassis:** structural framework of a vehicle.

✓ **Cockpit:** a space for the pilot in an aircraft.

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'things or people of the same kind'.

- 1) contemporaries
- 2) homogeneous
- 3) fellows
- 4) Colleagues

➤ **Contemporaries:** person or thing living or existing at the same time as another.

➤ **Homogenous:** a group of people who are all of one race, religion, ethnicity, or gender

➤ **Fellows:** used to refer to someone who has the same job or interests as you

➤ **Colleagues:** workmate or teammate; someone with whom we work

A place where bees are kept

1) **apiary**

2) orchard

3) aquarium

4) Aviary

→ **Apiary** - a place where bees are kept.

→ **Orchard** - a piece of land planted with fruits.

→ **Aquarium** - a transparent tank of water in which live fish is kept.

→ **Aviary** - a large cage for keeping birds.

Of various kinds; several.

1) Explicit

2) Sundry

3) Unequivocal

4) None of the above

✓ **Explicit** stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt.

→ **Sundry** - of various kinds; several.

→ **Unequivocal** - leaving no doubt; unambiguous.

Free from disturbance; calm.

- 1) Fitful
- 2) Spasmodic
- 3) **Tranquil**
- 4) None of the above.

Fitful - active or occurring spasmodically or intermittently; not regular or steady.

→ **Spasmodic** - occurring or done in brief, irregular bursts.

→ **Tranquil** - free from disturbance; calm.

A hindrance or obstruction in doing something.

1) **Impediment**

2) Eager

3) Query

4) None of the above.

→ **Impediment** - a hindrance or obstruction in doing something.

→ **Eager** - strongly wanting to do or have something.

→ **Query** - a question, especially one expressing doubt or requesting information.

"eat (food or prey) hungrily or quickly."

- 1) Annihilate
- 2) Imbibe
- 3) Ravage
- 4) Devour

➤ **Devour** - means to eat (food or prey) hungrily or quickly.

➤ **Annihilate** - means to destroy utterly.

➤ **Imbibe** - means to absorb or assimilate (ideas or knowledge).

➤ **Ravage** - means to cause severe and extensive damage to something.

"complain persistently and in a peevish or irritating way."

- 1) Whinge
- 2) Colloquy
- 3) Huddle
- 4) Parley

Whinge – (कानाफूसी) means complain persistently and in a peevish or irritating way.

➤ **Colloquy** - means a conversation.

➤ **Huddle** - means crowd together; nestle closely.

➤ **Parley** - means a conference between opposing sides in a dispute, especially a discussion of terms for an armistice.

"special words or expressions used by a profession or group that are difficult for others to understand."

- 1) Debate
- 2) Palaver
- 3) Jargon
- 4) Clack

➤ **Debate** - means argue about (a subject), especially in a formal manner.

Palaver - means unnecessarily elaborate or complex procedure.

➤ **Jargon** - means special words or expressions used by a profession or group that are difficult for others to understand.

➤ **Clack** - means make a sharp sound or series of sounds as a result of a hard object striking another.

Showing dedication and diligence

- 1) Cajolery
- 2) **Sedulous**
- 3) Potency
- 4) Alluring

✓ **Cajolery** - means coaxing or flattery intended to persuade someone to do something.

➤ **Sedulous** - means showing dedication and diligence.

➤ **Potency** - means the power of something to influence or make an impression.

➤ **Alluring** - means powerfully and mysteriously attractive or fascinating.

"The playful and friendly exchange of teasing remarks."

- 1) **Banter**
- 2) Sermon
- 3) Tirade
- 4) Treatise

Banter - means the playful and friendly exchange of teasing remarks.

Sermon - means a talk on a religious or moral subject, especially one given during a church service and based on a passage from the Bible.

→ **Tirade** - means a long, angry speech of criticism or accusation.

→ **Treatise** - means a written work dealing formally and systematically with a subject.

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"rid (someone or something) of an unwanted quality, condition, or feeling."

- 1) Exhortation
- 2) Instigation
- 3) Goading

4) **Purge**

Exhortation - means an address or communication emphatically urging someone to do something.

Instigation - means incite someone to do something, especially something bad.

Goading - means to provoke or annoy (someone) so as to stimulate an action or reaction.

Purge - means rid (someone or something) of an unwanted quality, condition, or feeling.

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go up or climb.

1) Plummet

2) Ascend

3) Hurtle

4) None of the above.

➤ **Plummet** - fall or drop straight down at high speed.

➤ **Ascend** - go up or climb.

➤ **Hurtle** - move or cause to move at high speed, typically in an uncontrolled manner.

Something made impure by exposure to polluting substances

- 1) contractual
- 2) contagious
- 3) contented
- 4) **Contaminated**

↘ **Contractual** - bounded by legal agreement.

↘ **Contagious** - able to spread by contact.

↘ **Contented** - happy and satisfied

↘ **Contaminated** - made impure by addition or exposure to polluting substance.

power of reading thoughts of others

- 1) medium
- 2) telepathy
- 3) instinct
- 4) Astrology

Medium - means an agency or means of doing something.

Telepathy - means the supposed communication of thoughts or ideas by means other than the known senses.

Instinct - means a natural or intuitive way of acting or thinking.

Astrology - means the study of the movements and relative positions of celestial bodies interpreted as having an influence on human affairs and the natural world.

A fictitious name, especially one used by an author

1) **Pseudonym**

2) Frugal

3) Pen author

4) Witty

➤ **Pseudonym** - means a fictitious name, especially one used by an author.

➤ **Frugal** - means sparing or economical as regards money or food.

➤ **Witty** – wise, skillful.

➤ **Pen Author** – Variant form of real name.