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### 1. Indubitable

**Kannada :** ಕಂಡಿತವಾದ, ಅಯಿಲ್ಲದ,  
ನಿಸ್ಸಂಶಯವಾದ, ಸಂದೇಹಪಡಲಾಗದ,  
ನಿಸ್ಸಂದೇಹವಾದ

**Hindi :** ज़ाहिर

**Meaning:** impossible to doubt;  
unquestionable.

**Synonyms:** unquestionable, undoubtable,  
indisputable

**Antonyms:** doubtful, dubious, iffy

**Sentence:**

- The **indubitable** evidence we produced bore down our opponents in the debate.
- If this is so, no judgement, however modest, is absolutely **indubitable**.
- Newton repudiated the Cartesian programme of deducing scientific laws from **indubitable** metaphysical principles.

### 2. Prickly

**Kannada :** ಮುಳ್ಳಿರುವ, ಮುಳ್ಳಿನಿಂದ ಕೂಡಿದ,  
ಜುಮ್ಮೆನ್ನುವ, ಮೈಮುಳ್ಳಾಗುವ

**Hindi :** चिड़चिड़ा

**Meaning:** (of a person) ready to take offense.

**Synonyms:** irritable, irascible, peevish

**Antonyms:** companionable, cordial, extroverted

**Sentence:**

- She dreaded having to deal with her **prickly** boss.
- The hedge was really **prickly** and I scratched my arm.
- His hair was **prickly** and short.
- The beard feels really **prickly**.
- My skin feels **prickly**.

### 3. Capricious

**Kannada :** ವಿಚಿತ್ರವಾದ, ಅಬದ್ಧ

**Hindi :** मनमौजी

**Meaning:** given to sudden and unaccountable changes of mood or behavior.

**Synonyms:** fickle, inconstant, changeable

**Antonyms:** certain, changeless, constant

**Sentence:**

- It's terrible to feel our livelihood hinges on a **capricious** boss.
- Please allow me to maintain my self-image as **capricious**, arbitrary and unfair.

### 4. Unwittingly

**Kannada :** ತಿಳಿಯದೆ, ಅರಿಯದೆ, ಉದ್ದೇಶವಿಲ್ಲದೆ,  
ಗಮನಿಸದ, ಅನುದ್ದಿಷ್ಟ, ಬೇಹುಪಾರಿನ,





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ಉದ್ದೇಶರಹಿತ, ಬೇಕೆಂದೇ ಮಾಡಿರದ,  
ಬುದ್ಧಿಪೂರ್ವಕವಲ್ಲದ

**Hindi :** बेइरादा

**Meaning:** without being aware;  
unintentionally.

**Synonyms:** accidentally, fortuitously,  
inadvertently,

**Antonyms:** meticulously, orderly,  
intentionally

**Sentence:**

- If I offended you it was **unwittingly**.
- She had broken the law **unwittingly**.
- He betrayed his friends **unwittingly**.
- She made an **unwittingly** hurtful comment.
- He **unwittingly** infected his family with the disease.

### 5. Dearth

**Kannada :** ಕೊರತೆ, ಬರ, ಆಹಾರಾಭಾವ, ಕ್ಷಾಮ,  
ಅಹಾರದ ಕೊರತೆ, ಅಭಾವ, ಗೊಟ್ಟು

**Hindi :** कमी

**Meaning:** a scarcity or lack of something.

**Synonyms:** lack, scarcity, shortage

**Antonyms:** abundance, adequacy,  
opulence

**Sentence:**

- There seems to be a **dearth** of good young players at the moment.

- The **dearth** of goals is the obvious complaint.
- Sometimes a **dearth** of information says a lot more than a glut.
- Their **dearth** of attacking ambition is alarming.
- There has been a **dearth** of new classes of antibiotics for decades.

### 6. Slipshod

**Kannada :** ಅಜಾಗರೂಕ, ಅಶ್ರದ್ಧೆಯಿಂದ ಮಾಡಿದ,  
ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯಿಲ್ಲದ, ತಾತ್ಸಾರದ, ನಯವಿಲ್ಲದ,  
ಕ್ರಮವಿಲ್ಲದ, ಬೇಕಾಬಿಟ್ಟಿಯ, ಅಚ್ಚುಕಟ್ಟಿಲ್ಲದ, ಆಸಕ್ತಿ  
ಇಲ್ಲದ, ಒಡ್ಡು ಒಡ್ಡಾದ, ಅಡ್ಡಾದಿಡ್ಡಿಯ

**Hindi :** असावधानीपूर्ण

**Meaning:** (typically of a person or method of work) characterized by a lack of care, thought, or organization.

**Synonyms:** careless, lackadaisical,  
slapdash

**Antonyms:** attentive, careful,  
conscientious

**Sentence:**

- He'd caused many problems with his **slipshod** management.
- It was a **slipshod** piece of work.
- He'd caused many problems with his **slipshod** management.





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- The investigation was handled in a **slipshod** manner.
- The book suffers from **slipshod** presentation.

### 7. Avaricious

**Kannada :** ದುರಾಸೆಯ, ಲೋಭ, ನೆಲಕಲ, ಅತ್ಯಾಸೆ

**Hindi :** लालची

**Meaning:** having or showing an extreme greed for wealth or material gain.

**Synonyms:** grasping, acquisitive, covetous

**Antonyms:** altruistic, bounteous, generous

**Sentence:**

- He sacrificed his own career so that his **avaricious** brother could succeed.
- There is an **avaricious** streak in her nature.
- Early poverty left her with an **avaricious** streak and occasionally greed has cost her.
- I am an **avaricious** devourer of tedious reports.
- He was **avaricious** and unscrupulous.

### 8. Languished

**Kannada :** ಸೊರಗಿದೆ, ಕುಗ್ಗಿಹೋಗು, ಕೊರಗು, ಕ್ಷೀಣಿಸು, ಸೊರಗು, ಕೃಶವಾಗು, ಕ್ಷಯಿಸು, ನಿತ್ಯಾಣಗೊಳ್ಳು, ದುಃಸ್ಥಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿರು

**Hindi :** दुर्बल होना

**Meaning:** (of a person or other living thing) lose or lack vitality; grow weak or feeble.

**Synonyms:** weaken, grow weak, deteriorate

**Antonyms:** rebounded, recovered, recuperated

**Sentence:**

- He **languished** in poverty for years.
- We **languished** in the heat.
- They **languished** in jail.
- She still **languished** after Richard.
- Lawns remained uncut, gardens unwedded and crops **languished** in the field.

### 9. Crucify

**Kannada :** ಶಿಲುಬೆಗೇರಿಸು, ಆಯ್ಕೆಮಾಡು

**Hindi :** आलोचना करना

**Meaning:** criticize (someone) severely and unrelentingly.

**Synonyms:** condemn, criticize severely, denounce

**Antonyms:** commend, endorse

**Sentence:**

- He's going to **crucify** me when he finds out what I've done!
- They **crucified** her in the newspapers for having an affair.







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- Good Friday is the day Christians say Jesus Christ was **crucified** on the cross and died for the sins of the world.
- Unless he is known as the one who had himself **crucified**.

### 10. Whiff

**Kannada :** ಉರುವು, ಬೀಸು, ಉದು, ತೀಡು

**Hindi :** एहसास

**Meaning:** an almost imperceptible sign of something

**Synonyms:** flicker, glimmer, hint

**Antonyms:** permeation, pervasion, saturation

**Sentence:**

- Even a **whiff** of appreciation for everything I've done for her would have been nice.
- The hounds had got a **whiff** of blood.
- There was a faint **whiff** of cigar smoke in the air.
- I got a **whiff** of alcohol on his breath when he spoke.
- A seductive **whiff** of spruce, roses and wood smoke leads you to her front door.

