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### 1. Eloquent

**Kannada :** ನಿರರ್ಗಳ, ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟವಾಗಿ ಸೂಚಿಸುವ

**Hindi :** सुवक्ता

**Meaning:** fluent or persuasive in speaking or writing.

**Synonyms:** persuasive, expressive, articulate

**Antonyms:** inarticulate, ineloquent, unvocal

**Sentence:**

- His speeches in the chamber were always **eloquent** and powerful.
- Her **eloquent** speech touched the hearts of everyone there.
- As a speaker he is **eloquent** and convincing.
- Many people were deceived by his **eloquent** words.
- The bus journey alone is **eloquent** of class inequality.

### 2. Discretion

**Kannada :** ವಿವೇಚನೆ, ಎಚ್ಚರಿಕೆ, ತಿಳಿವು, ಕಣ್ಣುಲೆ, ಸ್ವಂತ ವಿವೇಚನೆ, ಯುಕ್ತಾಯುಕ್ತತೆ

**Hindi :** विवेक

**Meaning:** The ability to make intelligent decisions, especially in everyday matters.

**Synonyms:** prudence, wisdom, intelligence

**Antonyms:** stupidity, foolishness, idiocy

**Sentence:**

- We'll rely on your **discretion** in handling this accusation of cheating.
- I'll be the soul of **discretion**.
- I know I can trust your **discretion**.
- She knew she could rely on his **discretion**.
- Paul is renowned for his **discretion**, for keeping his counsel as well as his word.

### 3. Prestidigitation

**Kannada :** ಹಸ್ತಲಾಘವ, ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠೆ

**Hindi :** प्रतिष्ठा

**Meaning:** The art or skill of performing tricks or illusions for entertainment.

**Synonyms:** magic, deception, legerdemain

**Antonyms :** Clumsiness, Awkwardness, Ineptitude, Incompetence, Maladroitness

**Sentence:**

- Magic can be a lifetime hobby and card magic is the poetry of **prestidigitation**.
- I like his sleight of hand work and other feats of **prestidigitation**.
- He said that he was using the word "magical" in its stage-magician sense of **prestidigitation**.
- Some readers might not mind this writerly **prestidigitation**.
- The finale was a punishing exercise in piano **prestidigitation**.





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#### 4. Wane

**Kannada :** ತಗ್ಗು, ಕುಗ್ಗು, ಕ್ಷಯಿಸು

**Hindi :** कम होना

**Meaning:** To grow less in scope or intensity especially gradually.

**Synonyms:** subside, diminish, decrease

**Antonyms:** rise, grow, increase

**Sentence:**

- While his interest in these sports began to **wane**, a passion for rugby developed.
- I cut the log into slabs without removing the outside **wane**.
- Her interest in science fiction began to **wane**.

#### 5. Peckish

**Kannada :** ಹಸಿದ, ಕುಕ್ಕುವ

**Hindi :** भूखा

**Meaning:** Feeling a desire or need for food.

**Synonyms:** hungry, starving, starved

**Antonyms:** full, overfull, overstuffed

**Sentence:**

- If you're feeling **peckish** at 10pm, have a small snack.
- I didn't feel remotely **peckish** all morning.
- Feeling **peckish**, we sauntered over to a colleague's desk.

- Come midnight, he's feeling **peckish** again.
- The tigers then get filled up with boiled chickens - so they don't feel too **peckish** with people around.

#### 6. Jibed

**Kannada :** ಇದು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ, ಬೆಚ್ಚಿನಿಲ್ಲ, ಮುಂದೆಹೋಗದಿರು, ಸಣ್ಣಹಾಯಿ

**Hindi :** माना

**Meaning:** To be in agreement on every point.

**Synonyms:** coincided, corresponded, agreed

**Antonyms:** disputed, nullified, clashed

**Sentence:**

- She **jibed** constantly at the way he ran his business.
- 'If corners had not been invented, we would have been in the game,' he **jibed**.
- The compère **jibed** back 'Oh, so you are a futurologist as well?'
- The 19 novels on the list represented, Sexton **jibed**, 'a curious incident of authors missing'.

#### 7. Assail

**Kannada :** ಆಕ್ರಮಣ ಮಾಡಿ, ಆಕ್ರಮಣಮಾಡು, ಎರುಗು





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**Hindi :** आक्रमण करना

**Meaning:** make a concerted or violent attack on.

**Synonyms:** attack, assault, rush

**Antonyms:** defend, guard, protect

**Sentence:**

- The Scots army **assailed** Edward's army from the rear.
- His attacker **assailed** him with fierce blows to the head.
- The proposal was **assailed** by the opposition party. (figurative)
- A vile smell **assailed** my nostrils.

### 8. Breezy

**Kannada :** ತಂಗಾಳಿಯುಳ್ಳ, ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿ ಗಾಳಿ ಬೀಸುವ

**Hindi :** सहज

**Meaning:** Having a relaxed, casual manner.

**Synonyms:** casual, mellow, nonchalant

**Antonyms:** formal, uptight, rigid

**Sentence:**

- Mona tried to sound **breezy**.
- It was a bright, **breezy** day.
- And, for the most part, they sound as fresh and **breezy** as they ever did.
- The next morning she was up at 8, bright and **breezy** and ready for anything.
- They set out on a **breezy** April morning.

### 9. Menace

**Kannada :** ಬೆದರಿಕೆ, ವಿಪತ್ತು, ಭಯ

**Hindi :** खतरा

**Meaning:** Something that may cause injury or harm.

**Synonyms:** threat, danger, risk

**Antonyms:** protection, guard, ward

**Sentence:**

- A loaded gun is a **menace** that this household doesn't need.
- He spoke the words with a hint of **menace**.
- The voice was full of **menace**.
- There was no **menace** in the speaker's voice.
- The **menace** of drugs remains unchecked.

### 10. Garrulous

**Kannada :** ಹರಟುವ, ಅತಿ ಮಾತನಾಡುವ, ವಾಚಾಳಿಯಾದ

**Hindi :** बातूनी

**Meaning:** Fond of talking or conversation.

**Synonyms:** talkative, outspoken, chatty

**Antonyms:** silent, shy, quiet

**Sentence:**

- Lan isn't normally this **garrulous**!
- Her **garrulous** neighbour quickly spread the news.
- Alcohol tended to make him **garrulous**.







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- A **garrulous** cab driver.
- If I'm **garrulous**, it means I'm procrastinating, and I should be chastised accordingly.

