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1. Upkeep

Kannada : ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ, ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆ, ದುರಸ್ತಿ

Hindi : रख-रखाव

Meaning: the act or activity of keeping something in an existing and usually satisfactory condition

Synonyms: maintenance, preservation, preserving

Antonyms: destruction, damage, disregard

Sentence:

- The money will be used for the estates' **upkeep**.
- It is ours and we are responsible for the **upkeep** of it.
- He makes payments to his ex-wife for the **upkeep** of their children.
- The gift is enough to pay for the training and **upkeep** of another 19 dogs.
- Payments for the children's **upkeep**.

2. Cater

Kannada : ಉಪಹರಿಸು

Hindi : सेवा करना

Meaning: to provide food or meals for

Synonyms: feed, board, sustain

Antonyms : take, take away, withdraw, consume

deplete, use up, waste, remove, dig into, disperse

Sentence:

- a local firm will **cater** the awards banquet for high school athletes of the year.
- Do you know anyone who could **cater** for John's wedding?
- My mother helped to **cater** for the party.

3. Gumption

Kannada : ಕೆಚ್ಚು, ದಿಟ್ಟತನ, ಛಾತಿ

Hindi : साहसिकता

Meaning: the ability to make intelligent decisions especially in everyday matters

Synonyms: prudence, wisdom, sense

Antonyms: indiscretion, imprudence, stupidity

Sentence:

- With his **gumption**, he will make a success of himself.
- He had the **gumption** to go to the bank, get the money and do it.
- He does not need **gumption** at all.

4. Concur

Kannada : ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ

Hindi : सहमत होना

Meaning: to have or come to the same opinion or point of view

Synonyms: agree, coincide, collaborate





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Antonyms: disagree, resist, conflict

Sentence:

- I **concur** with your assessment of the political situation.
- We strongly **concur** with this recommendation.
- In tests, cytogenetic determination has been found to **concur** with enzymatic determination.

5. Stellar

Kannada : ನಾಕ್ಷತ್ರಿಕ, ತಾರೆಯ, ನಾಕ್ಷತ್ರ

Hindi : शानदार

Meaning: of the very best kind

Synonyms: excellent, terrific, wonderful

Antonyms: poor, terrible, awful

Sentence:

- This miniature palm tree is a **stellar** example of the art of bonsai.
- This flash is the product of a **stellar** explosion, known as a supernova.
- The Great Pyramid could have functioned as a **stellar** observatory during its construction.
- **Stellar** structure and evolution.

6. Grumble

Kannada : ಗೊಣಗುತ್ತಾರೆ, ಅಸಮಧಾನ ಪಡು, ಗೊಣಗು, ತೋರು

Hindi : शिकायत

Meaning: an expression of dissatisfaction, pain, or resentment

Synonyms: whine, moan, complaint

Antonyms: praise, compliment, commendation

Sentence:

- I shouldn't **grumble** about Mum — she's lovely really.
- They only **grumble** when they don't do what they want them to.
- The main **grumble** is that he spends too much time away.
- In the distance, I heard a **grumble** of thunder.
- The main **grumble** on the newsgroup is lack of information and weak Tech Support.

7. Swanky

Kannada : ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠೆಯ, ಮೆರೆಯುವ, ದುಬಾರಿಯ, ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಬೆಲೆಯ, ರೇಂಕಾರದ, ಅತಿದರ್ಪದ, ಬೆಲೆಬಾಳುವ ಉಡುಪಿನ

Hindi : डींगिया

Meaning: excessive or unnecessary display

Synonyms: pomp, decoration, spectacle

Antonyms: severity, restraint, simplicity

Sentence:

- Jill and her **swanky** friends.
- We stayed in a **swanky** hotel.





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- behaving too confidently: I'm sick of his **swanky** talk.

8. Oblivious

Kannada : ಮರೆವಿನ, ಅರಿವಿಲ್ಲದ, ಮರೆತುಹೋಗುವ, ವಿಸ್ಮೃತಿಶೀಲ

Hindi : बेखबर

Meaning: not informed about or aware of something

Synonyms: unaware, ignorant, unmindful

Antonyms: aware, conscious, cognizant

Sentence:

- She lay motionless where she was, **oblivious** to pain.
- She became absorbed, **oblivious** to the passage of time.
- As **oblivious** of stoplights as he was of pedestrians, he owned the streets.
- He remained **oblivious** as the party went on around him.
- His eyes were closed and he was completely **oblivious** to what was happening around him.

9. Basking

Kannada : ಹಾಯಾಗಿರು

Hindi : आनंद उठाना

Meaning: to refrain from labor or exertion

Synonyms: resting, relaxing, lounging

Antonyms: struggling, working, laboring

Sentence:

- Our country is **basking** in an economic boom.
- The seals were **basking** on the rocks.
- He went on **basking** in the glory of his first book.
- I spent the entire holiday **basking** in the sun.
- Sprawled figures **basking** in the afternoon sun.

10. Impoverished

Kannada : ಬಡತನ, ಸೊರಗಿಸು, ಬಡವನನ್ನಾಗಿಸು, ಶಕ್ತಿಯುಡುಗಿಸು, ಬಡತನಕ್ಕೀಡುಮಾಡು, ಬಡತನ ತರು, ದರಿದ್ರನನ್ನಾಗಿಸು

Hindi : गरीब

Meaning: lacking money or material possessions

Synonyms: poor, broke, beggared

Antonyms: wealthy, affluent, rich

Sentence:

- the widespread hope that the lottery's record-setting jackpot is won by an **impoverished** family.
- We think it is wrong that so many people are **impoverished** by local taxes.
- I was an **impoverished** student and couldn't afford to eat properly.





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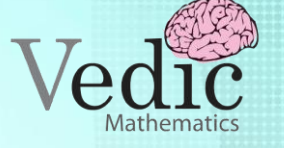
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- The wars had **impoverished** him.
- The **impoverished** nations were given aid.

