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1. Embroil

ಸಿಕ್ಕುಮಾಡು, ತೊಡಕುಮಾಡು, Kannada

ಜಟಿಲಗೊಳಿಸು

Hindi : उलझाना

Meaning: involve (someone) deeply in an argument, conflict, or difficult situation.

Synonyms: involve, ensnare, enmesh

Antonyms: emancipated, freed, liberated

Sentence:

- Take care not to get embroiled with those people.
- His stand on this issue has embroiled him in controversy.
- The new drug has been embroiled in controversy.
- They were embroiled in a complicated lawsuit.

2. Hapless

ದುರದೃಷ್ಟಕರ, Kannada ಅದೃಷ್ಟಹೀನ,

ದುರ್ದೈವದ, ನಂಬಿಕೆಯಳಿದ

Hindi : बदिकिस्मत

Meaning: (especially of person)

unfortunate.

Synonyms: unfortunate, unlucky, luckless

Antonyms: fortunate, happy, lucky

Sentence:

All of them were **hapless** victims of this hurricane.

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- The film tells the story of their **hapless** attempts to stage a musical.
- She refuses, saying she needs to stay with her rather hapless boyfriend.
- Speer is no **hapless** victim caught in sadistic forces beyond his control.
- It's unfair to blame the candidate, of course, for her party's shortcomings.

3. Multifarious

ಬಹುವಿದದ. ಬಹುಮುಖ. Kannada

ನಾನಾಬಗೆಯ, ನಾನಾರೀತಿಯ

Hindi : विविध

Meaning: many and of various types.

Synonyms: multiform, multiple, different Antonyms: monolithic, alike, identical

Sentence: MVate Limited

- Spain is a composite of **multifarious** traditions and people.
- Salamanca Place, site of an outstanding craft market and multifarious activity, lies beside the harbour.
- A vast **multifarious** organization.

4. Ulterior

Kannada : ದೂರದ, ಆಚೆಯ, ಭವಿಷ್ಯದ, ಮೀರಿದ, ಹೊರಗಿರುವ, ಅವ್ಯಕ್ತ, ಅತೀತವಾದ, ಗುಪ, ಆಮೇಲಿನ, ಗುಟ್ಟಾದ, ಹಿನ್ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ

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Hindi : गुप्त

Meaning: existing beyond what is obvious or admitted; intentionally hidden.

Synonyms: secondary, underlying,

undisclosed

Antonyms: open, public

Sentence:

- She definitely had an ulterior motive in offering to help.
- Could there be an ulterior motive behind his request?
- This document must not be used for an ulterior purpose.
- I wonder if they know about my ulterior motive.
- Has it ever occurred to anyone the ulterior motive behind these shows?

6. Conscientious

ಆತ್ಮಸಾಕ್ಷಿಯ, ಮಾಣಿಕವಾದ, Kannada : ಅಂತಃಕರಣಪೂರ್ವಕ, ಮನಪೂರ್ವಕ,

The sculpture is safely ensconced

He ensconced himself in front of the

ಶುದ್ಧಾಂತಃಕರಣದ, ಎಚ್ಚರಿಕೆಯುಳ್ಳ

Hindi : ईमानदार

Meaning: (of a person) wishing to do what is right, especially to do one's work or duty well and thoroughly.

Synonyms: diligent, industrious, punctilious

Antonyms: dishonest, unethical, corrupt Sentence: private Limited

- We are generally very conscientious about our work.
- He's turned out to be conscientious and hard working.
- He was a **conscientious** student who always took pride in his work.
- He's a conscientious husband and father.
- He abhorred violence of any kind and hard-working, loyal was and conscientious.

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5. Ensconce

Kannada : ನೆಲಸು, ಅಡಗಿರು, ಗುಪ್ರವಾಗಿರು

Hindi: स्थापित करना

Meaning: establish or settle (someone) in a comfortable, safe, or secret place.

Synonyms: settle, install, establish

Antonyms: confuse, depart, uncover, unsettle, unveil, upset, lay bare, take out, dislodge, uproot

Sentence:

After dinner, I ensconced myself in a deep armchair with a book.

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7. Putrid

Kannada: ಕೊಳೆತ, ನಾರುವ

Hindi : संड्रा हुआ

Meaning: (of organic matter) decaying or

rotting and emitting a fetid smell.

Synonyms: decomposing, decomposed,

decaying

Antonyms: fresh, good, undecomposed

Sentence:

What's that putrid smell?

A **putrid** smell came from the dump.

This meat is **putrid**.

You cannot leave such putrid garbage for two weeks.

A butcher who sold putrid meat.

8. Purview

Kannada : ಕಾನೂನು ಕಟ್ಕಳೆಯ ಕಲಮುಗಳು, ನಿಯಮಗಳ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿ

Hindi : परिधि

Meaning: the scope of the influence or

concerns of something.

Synonyms: ambit, horizon

Antonyms: blindness, ignorance, untruth, misconstruction, illusion, misjudgement, misjudgement, falsity, misreckoning, misconstruing

Sentence:

This matter comes within the **purview** of the Department of Health.

- The case is within the court's **purview**.
- That question is outside my purview.
- The moral dilemmas of the early settlers are beyond the **purview** of this book.

9. Dilapidated

ಶಿಥಿಲಗೊಂಡಿದೆ, ಶಿಥಿಲವಾದ, Kannada

ಜೀರ್ಣವಾದ

Hindi : उबड खाबड

Meaning: (of a building or object) in a state of disrepair or ruin as a result of age or neglect.

Synonyms: down, tumbledown, run ramshackle

Antonyms: ameliorated, improved Sentence:

- The building had been dilapidated by neglect.
- There were only a few dilapidated pieces of furniture left in the house.
- The tank was now rather dilapidated.

10. Shellacking

Kannada : ಪದರ ಮಾಡಿದ ಅರಗು, ಶುದ್ಧ ಅರಗು, ಭಾರೀ ಸೋಲು, ಕಡಿಮೆ ಮಾಡುವುದು

Hindi : पराजित करना

Meaning: failure to win a contest Synonyms: beating, defeat, drubbing Antonyms: success, triumph, victory

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Sentence:

- We gave their team a real **shellacking**.
- They took a shellacking in yesterday's game.
- The Eagles were 9-1 and coming off a shellacking of the Cowboys.
- The Dodgers took a **shellacking** (= were defeated by many points).
- Iowa State has lost three consecutive games, including a 31-point shellacking at the hands of Texas Tech.
- We needed that," he said, "to help us get over that shellacking we took in Game 2".



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