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### 1. Reverie

**Kannada** : ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠೆ, ಅನ್ಯಮನಸ್ಕತೆ, ಹಗಲುಗನಸಿನ ಸ್ಥಿತಿ

**Hindi** : भावना

**Meaning**: a state of being pleasantly lost in one's thoughts; a daydream.

**Synonyms**: daydream, fantasy, vision

**Antonyms** : Reality, Awareness, Consciousness, Alertness, Attentiveness, Concentration, Focus, Wakefulness, Practicality, Action

**Sentence**:

- She fell into a **reverie** about her childhood.
- During the long train journey, he slipped into a **reverie**, imagining all the places he would visit.
- The artist often found inspiration in **reverie**, where her mind created beautiful scenes for her paintings.
- Her sweet voice brought him back from his **reverie**, making him realise how much time had passed.
- The music led the audience into a state of **reverie**, transporting them to another world.
- A slam of the door disturbed my afternoon **reverie**.
- He got lost in his own **reverie**, in the sound of his saxophone.

### 2. Raze

**Kannada** : ತರಚುಗಾಯ, ಧ್ವಂಸಮಾಡು, ನೆಲಸಮ ಮಾಡು, ಹೊಡೆದುರುಳಿಸು

**Hindi** : तबाह करना

**Meaning**: to destroy (as a building) completely by knocking down or breaking to pieces

**Synonyms**: demolish, destroy, tear down

**Antonyms**: build, construct, raise

**Sentence**:

- Dozens of villages have been **razed**.
- Whole villages were **razed** to make way for large-scale projects.
- The demolition crew plans to **raze** the old factory to make way for a new community park.
- The company decided to **raze** the entire forest to clear space for a new housing development.
- After the fire, the remnants of the building were **razed** to the ground.
- The city was virtually **razed** to the ground during the war.

### 3. Splay

**Kannada** : ತೂತು ಮಾಡು, ಕಿಂಡಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊರೆ, ಹರಡುವುದು, ಒರಟಾದ, ಅಗಲವಾದ ಅಥವಾ ಬಹಿರಕ್ಕೆ ತಿರುಗಿದ

**Hindi** : फैलाना

**Meaning**: spread open or apart; move out of position

**Synonyms**: spread, split, scatter







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**Antonyms:** unite, connect

**Sentence:**

- The petals **splay** out from the middle of the flower.
- The hikers rested with their legs **splayed** out to stretch their muscles.
- The starfish lay on the sand with its arms **splayed** wide.
- The cat was sprawled on the sofa, its legs **splayed** out lazily.
- He spread the documents on the table, his fingers **splayed** to hold them down.
- The opening of the window was **splayed**, with the inner and outer surfaces of the wall at different angles.

#### 4. Peeved

**Kannada :** ಕಿರಿಕಿರಿ, ಬೇಸರಗೊಂಡ ಅಥವಾ ಸಿಟ್ಟಿಗೆದ್ದು

**Hindi :** नाराज़

**Meaning:** to disturb the peace of mind of (someone) especially by repeated disagreeable acts

**Synonyms:** irritate, annoy, anger

**Antonyms:** pleased, appeased, delighted

**Sentence:**

- He was **peevied** because we didn't ask him what he thought about the idea.
- He was clearly **peevied** when he found out he wasn't invited to the party.
- He felt that his boss was **peevied** with him because he made a mistake at work.

#### 5. Flaunt

**Kannada :** ತೋರ್ಪಡಿಸು, ತೂಗಾಡಿಸು, ಅಲ್ಲಾಡಿಸು, ತೋರಿಸಿಕೊ

**Hindi :** इठलाना

**Meaning:** display (something) ostentatiously, especially in order to provoke envy or admiration or to show defiance.

**Synonyms:** show off, exhibit, flash

**Antonyms:** disguise, hide

**Sentence:**

- The banquet gave the chef a chance to **flaunt** his talents.
- The actress loved to **flaunt** her designer dress at the awards ceremony.
- He decided to **flaunt** his new skills at the park to impress his friends.
- The peacock **flaunted** its beautiful feathers, captivating the audience.
- Some wealthy individuals **flaunt** their expensive cars and homes on social media.
- The company's logo **flaunts** the new design elements and brand colors.

#### 6. Confide

**Kannada :** ವಿಶ್ವಾಸವಿಡಿ, ನಂಬು

**Hindi :** गुप्त बात कहना

**Meaning:** tell someone about a secret or private matter while trusting them not to repeat it to others.

**Synonyms:** reveal, disclose, divulge







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**Antonyms:** retain, withhold, keep

**Sentence:**

- He **confided** his fears to his mother.
- She decided to **confide** in her best friend about her struggles with work.
- He **confided** to me that he was unhappy with his job.
- They are listening intently to a young man asking them to **confide** their darkest secrets to one another.
- She kept her political cards close and **confided** in few people about her career or personal life.
- The information was **confided** to me before the meeting started.

### 7. Curio

**Kannada :** ಪ್ರಾಚೀನ ವಸ್ತು ಅಥವಾ ಅಪರೂಪದ ವಸ್ತು

**Hindi :** अनोखा

**Meaning:** a small object displayed for its attractiveness or interest

**Synonyms:** ornamental, souvenir, novelty

**Antonyms :** Commonplace, Ordinary object, Regular item, Everyday article, Standard thing, Usual object, Typical item, Normal piece, Common article, Mass-produced item

**Sentence:**

- They had such fun over the wonderful box of **curios** that Jack had sent from India.

- She loves to browse the shops in small towns, looking for **curios**.
- The bouquet sits in a shop that makes copies of old **curios**.
- All that white bobbing up and down in the water makes any species of duck **curios**.

### 8. Feckless

**Kannada :** ದುರ್ಬಲ, ಅಶಕ್ತ, ನಿತ್ಯಾಣದ, ಬಲಹೀನ, ನಿರ್ಲಕ್ಷ್ಯದ, ಬಲಹೀನ, ಶಕ್ತಿಹೀನ, ನಿರ್ಜೀವ, ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡದ, ಉತ್ಸಾಹವಿಲ್ಲದ

**Hindi :** अबल

**Meaning:** lacking initiative or strength of character; irresponsible.

**Synonyms:** useless, worthless, incompetent

**Antonyms:** efficient, expedient, efficacious

**Sentence:**

- He regarded the young man as **feckless** and irresponsible.
- The **feckless** son was unable to hold down a job and relied on his parents for money.
- She couldn't rely on her **feckless** son to help with the family business.
- The **feckless** attempts to organize the event were frustrating and ultimately pointless.







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#### 9. Alms

**Kannada :** ಭಿಕ್ಷೆ, ದಾನ, ತಿರುಪೆ ಅಥವಾ ಅರ

**Hindi :** दान

**Meaning:** a gift of money or its equivalent to a charity, humanitarian cause, or public institution

**Synonyms:** donation, contribution, benefaction

**Antonyms :** Greed, Selfishness, Avarice, Hoarding, Taking, Acquisition, Seizure, Keeping, Withholding, Collection

**Sentence:**

- It was their religious duty to give **alms** to the poor.
- The words were outstretched for **alms**.
- The beggar's hand was outstretched for **alms**.
- Monks historically relied on the **alms** of the wealthy.
- The church collected **alms** in a special dish to give to the poor.
- After losing both his arms in an accident, he had to beg for **alms** to survive.

**Antonyms:** sorrow, sadness, gloom

**Sentence:**

- The little girl burbled with **mirth**.
- The children's **mirth** was contagious as they played games together.
- The story was so funny that it was filled with humor and **mirth** from beginning to end.
- After winning the lottery, the family was overcome with **mirth** and excitement.
- Her clumsy attempt to cut the cake was the cause of much **mirth**.

#### 10. Mirth

**Kannada :** ಖುಷಿ, ನಲಿವು, ವಿನೋದ

**Hindi :** प्रमोद

**Meaning:** amusement, especially as expressed in laughter.

**Synonyms:** merriment, glee, cheerfulness

