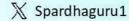


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## 1. Impediment

Kannada: ಅಡಚಣೆ, ಅಡ್ಡಿ, ತಡೆ, ತೊಡಕು

Hindi : बाधा

Meaning: a hindrance or obstruction in doing something.

hindrance, Synonyms: obstruction, obstacle

Antonyms: catalyst, goad, impetus

## Sentence:

- He was satisfied there was no legal impediment to the marriage.
- He had a speech **impediment** as a child.
- Sir Peter has slight a speech impediment.
- People tell me they don't notice my hearing impediment.
- Therein may lie a serious impediment to success. Spardhaguru I

## 2. Nimble

Kannada: ವೇಗವುಳ್ಳ, ಚುರುಕುಗತಿಯುಳ್ಳ

Hindi: चत्र

Meaning: quick and light in movement or action; agile.

Synonyms: agile, lithe, sprightly

Antonyms: vacuous, weak-minded, witless Sentence:

- She showed some nimble footwork and looked a promising player.
- For a large man he is quite nimble on his feet.

- Her mind was so nimble and she was so quick to learn.
- With a deft motion of her nimble fingers.
- You have to admire his nimble footwork.

## 3. Expiation

Kannada: ಪ್ರಾಯಶ್ಚಿತ್ವ

Hindi: प्रयाश्चित

Meaning: the act of making amends or reparation for guilt or wrongdoing; atonement.

Synonyms: atonement, redemption, redress

Antonyms: debasement, corruption, perversion

### Sentence:

- He made **expiation** for our sins on the cross.
- An act of public expiation.
- The attempted assassination was an act both of **expiation** and of restitution.

## 4. Nebulous

Kannada: ನೀಹಾರಿಕೆ, ಅಸ್ಪಷ್ಟ, ಮಬ್ಬು, ಮುಸುಕು

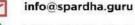
Hindi : अस्पष्ट

Meaning: having an often intentionally veiled or uncertain meaning

Synonyms: indistinct, indefinite, unclear

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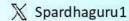
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Antonyms:

accessible,

clear.

nonambiguous

### Sentence:

- The rules are too nebulous to be applied consistently.
- Smudges like this are called nebulae, because they look nebulous - like hazy clouds.
- That's the reassurance I want, not this nebulous approach.
- It expanded into a nebulous circle of shifting light.
- A giant nebulous glow.

## 5. Tweak

Kannada : ಒಂದು ಸಣ್ಣ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಮಾಡುವುದು ಅಥವಾ ಹೊಂದಾಣಿಕೆ ಮಾಡುವುದು

Hindi : बदलाव

Meaning: improve (a mechanism or system) by making fine adjustments to it.

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Synonyms: modify, alter, change Antonyms: fixation, stabilization

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## Sentence:

- Engineers tweak the car's operating systems during the race.
- Each year requires a little tweak here and there.
- Engineers tweak the car's operating systems during the race.

## 6. Valorous

Kannada : ಪರಾಕ್ರಮಿ, ಪರಾಕ್ರಮದ, ಶೌರ್ಯದ, ಧೀರ, ಶೂರ, ವೀರ

Hindi : वीरतापूर्ण

Meaning: showing great courage in the face of danger, especially in battle.

Synonyms: bold, brave, courageous

Antonyms: coward, ungallant, unheroic

Sentence:

- The warriors were very valorous in the battle.
- They gave valorous help in our hour of difficulty.
- However, the friends of democracy, the valorous assisters in the defeat of the enemy, take a different view.
- No one who knows them, and who was with them at that time, can deny them a meed of praise for the valorous part they played at that time.

## 7. Fidgety

Kannada : ಚಡಪಡಿಕೆ, ನೆಮ್ಮದಿ ಇಲ್ಲದ, ಅಶಾಂತ ಅಥವಾ ತಾಳ್ಮೆಯಿಲ್ಲದ

Hindi : बेचैन

Meaning: inclined to fidget; restless or uneasy.

Synonyms: restless, restive, nervous

Antonyms: calm, cool

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### Sentence:

- As the questioning continued, he became fidgety and uneasy.
- I get nervous and fidgety at the dentist.
- My sister and my mother are the opposite - they are nervous and fidgety.

## 8. Probity

Kannada : ಪ್ರಾಮಾಣಿಕತೆ, ಸಾಚಾಗುಣ, ನಿಷ್ಕಪಟ

Hindi : ईमानदारी

Meaning: the quality of having strong moral principles; honesty and decency.

Synonyms: integrity, honesty, uprightness

Antonyms: badness, evil, evildoing

## Sentence:

- Her probity and integrity are beyond question.
- They denied any wrongdoing and questioned both the transparency and probity of our sources.
- He said then that the "most important thing to the people across my constituency" was "restoring a sense of moral probity and public spiritedness to our political system"

## 9. Gaffe

Kannada : ತಪ್ಪು, ಪ್ರಮಾದ, ಅವಿವೇಕ, ತಪ್ಪು, ದೋಷ ಅಥವಾ ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕ ತಪ್ಪು

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Hindi : चूक

Meaning: an unintentional act or remark causing embarrassment to its originator; a blunder.

Synonyms: blunder, mistake, error

Antonyms: accuracy, correctness, perfection

## Sentence:

- He didn't realize what a gaffe he'd made.
- Only then, having realised their diplomatic gaffe, did the White House alter its stance.
- Otherwise it's merely a gaffe, an embarrassment or a row.
- Don't even think about ordering in Spanish or French - a diplomatic gaffe.
- His comments are a major diplomatic gaffe.

## 10. Ingrained

Kannada: ಬೇರೂರಿದೆ, ರೂಢಮೂಲ

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Hindi : दीर्घस्थायी

Meaning: (of a habit, belief, or attitude) firmly fixed or established; difficult to change.

Synonyms: built-in, entrenched, established

Antonyms: adventitious, extraneous, extrinsic

#### Sentence:

• Morals tend to be deeply ingrained.

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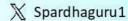


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- He sat there surrounded by filth thick ingrained dirt.
- I had an ingrained distrust of doctors.
- The ingrained dirt on the flaking paintwork.
- This product removes ingrained grime.



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