

**VOCABULARY FOR 19 APRIL 2023**

<b>1. Perfidious (Adjective): धोखेबाज़, बेईमान : deceitful and untrustworthy</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Treacherous, deceptive
<b>Antonyms:</b> Loyal, honest, true, trustworthy
<b>Example Sentence:</b> Because the police were waiting for him to try and sell the diamond, the jewel thief had no idea his perfidious behavior had been discovered.
<b>2. Abnegate (Verb) : अस्वीकार करना: renounce or reject (something desired or valuable)</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> renounce, relinquish, abdicate, resign
<b>Antonyms:</b> adhere, accept, admit
<b>Example Sentence:</b> The athlete decided to abnegate the unhealthy snack even though she really wanted to have a bite.
<b>3. Contravene (Verb): उल्लंघन करना : to do something that a law or rule does not allow, or to break a law or rule</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Breach, Violate, Infringe
<b>Example Sentence:</b> Because your actions contravene the policy, you're being suspended for ten days.
<b>4. Lynched (Verb) : गैर कानूनी ढंग से प्राणदंड : to put to death (as by hanging) by mob action without legal approval or permission.</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> hanged, executed, murdered, assassinated
<b>Example Sentence:</b> The accused killer was lynched by an angry mob.
<b>5. Incredulity (Noun) : a state of uncertainty or hesitation (the feeling of not wanting or not being able to believe something)</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> disbelief, skepticism, suspicion, doubt, uncertainty, distrust
<b>Antonyms:</b> assurance, belief, certainty
<b>Example Sentence:</b> His family and friends met the news of his sudden death with incredulity.

<b>6. Testament (Noun) : प्रमाण : something presented in support of the truth or accuracy of a claim</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> proof, testimony, evidence
<b>Antonyms:</b> rebuttal, refutation, presumption
<b>Example Sentence:</b> The old family photos are a testament to their shared history and memories.
<b>7. Smear (Verb) : बदनाम करना : damage the reputation of (someone) by false accusations</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> libel, slander, defame
<b>Antonyms:</b> honor, exalt, glorify
<b>Example Sentence:</b> The politician's opponents launched a smear campaign to tarnish his reputation.
<b>8. Put all your eggs in one basket (Idiom) : to depend for your success on a single person or plan of action; To risk everything on one plan or idea.</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Take a gamble, go all-in
<b>Antonyms:</b> Play it safe, diversify
<b>Example Sentence:</b> I wouldn't put all your eggs in one basket with that investment strategy; it's too risky.
<b>9. Complacent (Adjective): आत्मसंतुष्ट: feeling so satisfied with your own abilities or situation that you feel you do not need to try any harder</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> nonchalant, casual, apathetic
<b>Antonyms:</b> aware, interested, attentive
<b>Example Sentence:</b> With 66 deaths on our roads every week, none of us can afford to be complacent.
<b>10. Cadre (Noun) : a small group of people specially trained for a particular purpose or profession; a member of an activist group</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> group, framework
<b>Example Sentence:</b> The chief cadre in charge should bear greater responsibility.