

**VOCABULARY FOR 6 OCTOBER 2023**

<b>1. ASTONISHING (ADJECTIVE):</b> <b>(आश्चर्यजनक): Surprising</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Impressive, Amazing
<b>Antonyms:</b> Unimpressive
<b>Example Sentence:</b> All his achievements are nothing short of astonishing.
<b>2. INCURSION (NOUN):</b> <b>(आक्रमण): Attack on</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Assault on, Raid on
<b>Antonyms:</b> Retreat
<b>Example Sentence:</b> In case there is an incursion into our territories, we have to repel such attacks.
<b>3. PRECEDE (VERB): (पूर्व में होना): Lead up to</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Pave the way for, Set the scene for
<b>Antonyms:</b> Follow
<b>Example Sentence:</b> A gun battle had preceded the explosions.
<b>4. VANITY (NOUN): (गुमान): Conceit</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Self-conceit, Narcissism
<b>Antonyms:</b> Modesty
<b>Example Sentence:</b> It flattered his vanity to think I was in love with him.
<b>5. SPECIFIC (ADJECTIVE):</b> <b>(विशिष्ट): Particular</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Specified, Certain
<b>Antonyms:</b> General
<b>Example Sentence:</b> Huge savings were made to meet specific development needs.
<b>6. STARTLE (VERB): (डराना): Surprise</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Frighten, Scare
<b>Antonyms:</b> Put at ease

<b>Example Sentence:</b> sudden sound in the doorway startled her.
<b>7. SEIZURE (NOUN):</b> <b>(अभिग्रहण): Confiscation</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Impounding, Commandeering
<b>Antonyms:</b> Restitution
<b>Example Sentence:</b> Cowed by the bold seizure of the leaders, the states of Holland submitted.
<b>8. CONFIDE (VERB): (गुप्त रूप से बताना): Reveal</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Disclose, Divulge
<b>Antonyms:</b> Keep from
<b>Example Sentence:</b> He confided his fears to his mother.
<b>9. SANCTION (NOUN): (दंड): Penalty</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Punishment, Deterrent
<b>Antonyms:</b> Reward
<b>Example Sentence:</b> A range of sanctions were aimed at deterring insider abuse.
<b>10. HARBOUR (VERB): (आश्रय देना): Shelter</b>
<b>Synonyms:</b> Conceal, Hide
<b>Antonyms:</b> Hand over
<b>Example Sentence:</b> He was suspected of harbouring an escaped prisoner.