

The Hindu Vocab - October 8



1. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Verboten" ?

A Bouillon

B Omniscient

C Forbidden

D Willful

Solution

- Verboten - excluded from use or mention. (Forbidden, proscribed)
- Au courant - Up to date.
- Imasse - Dead lock
- Inter alia - Among other things

2. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Athwart" ?

A Amenable

B Overbearing

C Incorrigible

D Obliquely

E None of these

Solution

Athwart - at an oblique angle. (Aslant, obliquely)

3. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Bootlegger" ?

A Mundane

B Virtuoso

C Luminary

D Moonshiner

E None of these

Solution

Bootlegger - someone who makes or sells illegal liquor or a person who makes, distributes, or sells goods illegally. (Moonshiner)

4. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Beshrew" ?

A Gainsay

B Bedamn

C Ramify

D Meander

E None of these

Solution

Beshrew - wish harm upon; invoke evil upon. (Anathemize, bedamn, curse)

5. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Sermonize" ?

A Moralize

B Commiserate

C Assay

D Palliate

E None of these

Solution

Sermonize - speak as if delivering a sermon; express moral judgements or deliver an opinionated and dogmatic talk to someone. (Moralize, preachify)

6. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Fussy" ?

A Zappy

B Crabbed

C Specious

D Obtuse

E None of these

Solution

Fussy - annoyed and irritable. (Crabbed, bad-tempered, grouchy)

7. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Keep down" ?

A Subdue

B Interpolate

C Dissimulate

D Obviate

E None of these

Solution

Keep down - put down by force or intimidation. (Quash, subdue, repress)

8. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Good turn" ?

A Defray

B Adulterate

C Remission

D Beleaguer

E None of these

Solution

Good turn - a favor for someone or a helpful and friendly act; good deed; favour.

9. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Apostatize" ?

A Aggrieve

B Abet

C Distend

D Tergiversate

E None of these

Solution

Apostatize - abandon one's beliefs or allegiances. (Tergiversate)

10. Choose the word which is most nearly in same meaning of the word "Horrendously" ?

A Adamantly

B Awfully

C Argumentatively

D Accidentally

E None of these

Solution

Horrendously - of a dreadful kind. (Awfully, devastatingly, dreadfully)

