

VOCABULARY

WORD/PHRASE/IDIOM	MEANING
Look after	To take care
Work out	To exercise
Get by	To survive
Stand by	To support
Put up with	To tolerate
Come over	To visit
Get away with	To escape
Put up	To stay (Temporarily)
Run across	To meet unexpectedly
Wait on	To serve
Candid	One who speaks directly
Rummage	To frisk
To bite somebody's bosom	To trouble somebody
Conscientious	Painstaking
Persuading	One who can convince easily
To bite the dust	To die/to quit
To crack the whip	To be strict
On the pretext of	By making an excuse
Amok	Out of control
Turbulent	Noisy
Vigorous	Full of energy
Rigorous	Strict
Heinous	Extremely wicked
Thrash	Beat hard
Lynch	To murder
Outright	Without restriction
Derogatory	Low opinion
Thwart	To prevent
Comprehensible	Which can be understood
Incomprehensible	Which can't be understood
Vegetative	Boring activity
Bog down	To get stuck
Haywire	To go insane
Trailblazer	Innovator
Mow down	To kill in group
Shudder	To tremble
Kingpin	Head of gang
Flag off	To start
Dupe	To cheat somebody
Keep eyes skinned	To be alert
Euthanasia	Mercy killing
Sky dweller	Who loves to fly in the sky
Cash on	To take advantage
Gleeful	Happy
Depose	Force to leave

Buoy up	To become more happy
Trigger	To start
To chase tail	To work hard but not get the result
To teach old dog new tricks	To change somebody's habit
Deify	To consider somebody's as God
Hefty	Strong/Muscular
Castigate	To rebuke/Scold
Spruce up	To smarter
Infuse	Instill
Vanity	Arrogance
Incentivize	To motivate
Steal march	To have advantage of somebody
Sea change	Major change
Rejig	Put in a new order
Sign on the dotted line	To agree together
Undermine	To destroy properly
Clutter/de-clutter	To collect/Remove
Resurge	To revive
Supercilious	Arrogant
Exasperating	Extremely annoyed
Put the cart before the horse	To reverse the order
Discrepancy	Disagreement
Dog's breakfast	Mess
Cash-strapped	Without cash
Breakthrough	Discovery
Bark up the wrong tree	To look at the wrong place
Dubious	Doubtful
Amass	To collect
Feasible	Possible
Jeopardize	Endanger
Paucity	Dearth
Concurrent	Two activity occuring at the same time
Siphon	To convey
Retrospective	One who remembers his past
High-profile	Famous
Flak	Attack
Sleuth	Observe
Sycophant	Flatter
Icing on the cake	when good thing happens over another good thing
Savory	Tasty
Censure	Harsh criticism
Break out	To spread
Crunch time	Stay back
Shape up /shape out	To start performing better/to leave
No brainer	Easy decision
Lilt	To move musically

Hit the nail on the head	To say something correct
Let the chips fall where they may	Let the things happen
Shoot from the hip	To speak directly
Dig in your heel	Refuse to compromise
Pull rabbit out of hat	To do something unexpected
Nefarious	Wicked
Ineffable	Too great to be expressed
Eloquent	Fluent
Mellifluous	Sweet and pleasant voice
Cost an arm and leg	Very expensive
Canny	Mean/Selfish
Opulent	Rich and superior quality
Retort	To answer back
Superfluous	Extra/Useless
Superannuated	To go old /To become out fashion
White elephant	Very costly but useless

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