

VOCABULARY

1. **Vexatious (Adjective)**

Meaning; Causing vexation or annoyance; teasing; troublesome.

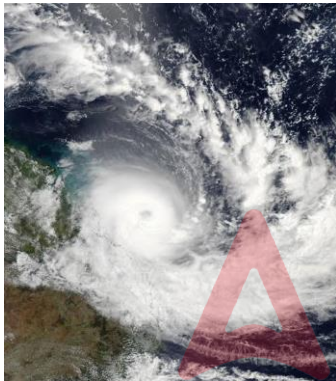


Synonyms: irksome, annoying

Antonyms: pleasing, aiding

2. **Formidable (adjective)**

Meaning: Causing fear, Difficult to defeat



Antonyms; weak, comforting

Synonyms; terrible, daunting

3. **Fraught (adjective)**

Meaning; Distressed or causing distress



Synonyms: worried, distressed

Antonyms: calm, quiet

4. **Reckon (verb)**

Meaning; To count; to enumerate; to number; also, to compute; to calculate.



Synonyms: estimate, consider

Antonyms: refuse, avoid

5. **Shrug (noun)**

Meaning; To raise (the shoulders) to express uncertainty, lack of concern.



Synonyms: disregard

Antonyms: agree

6. **Rubric (noun)**

Meaning; An established rule or custom; a guideline



Synonyms: course

Antonyms: disperse

7. **Deplore (verb)**

Meaning; To bewail; to weep bitterly over; to feel sorrow for.



Synonyms: lament, complain

Antonyms: commend, compliment