

ENGLISH
XII
DICTATION WORDS (2024-25)
TERM 1

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Learn the pronunciation and spellings of the given words.
2. Dictation of ten words from the given list will be taken week-wise on every Monday.
3. Dictation will be taken in dictation pads, failing which the student will be awarded a (0) zero.
4. The dictation pad should be submitted after acknowledging the marks by the parents.

LIST 1	LIST 2	LIST 3	LIST 4
conundrum	unquestionably	acrimonious	ambivalent
pernicious	dubiously	ephemeral	conscription
nefarious	conurbation	kowtow	unsavory
ephemeral	conjurer	labyrinthine	bonafide
sagacious	brawl	mellifluous	novice
supercilious	altercation	quagmire	parentheses
paradoxical	laudable	recalcitrant	siesta
egregious	meringue	serendipity	plagiarism
perfidious	noxious	taciturn	linoleum
esoteric	ostentatious	harbinger	altruistic

LIST 5	LIST 6	LIST 7	LIST 8
antediluvian	suffice	unobtrusive	flippant
discombobulate	piquant	precipitous	hackneyed
repudiate	fathom	dishevelled	halcyon
vicissitude	devastated	seismic	iconoclast
litigious	quorum	maneuverable	ignominious
nebulous	obsolescence	irreconcilable	kafkaesque
dissonant	misdemeanour	hauntingly	intransigent
cogent	mortuary	grandiose	fatuous
chicanery	lozenge	entourage	perfunctory
arcane	juvenile	drudgery	idiosyncratic

LIST 9	LIST 10	LIST 11	LIST 12
compatriot	chicanery	zephyr	incandescent
contrusion	euphemism	gargoyle	homogenize
foxglove	extemporaneous	tintinnabulation	cavalcade
courgette	antediluvian	discombobulate	blasphemous
meningitis	inscrutable	effervescent	exaggeration
promiscuous	panacea	bumfuzzle	onomatopoeia
inventory	apocryphal	flabbergasted	pandemonium
croquet	insidious	xenophobe	quixotic
grubby	opulent	whippersnapper	retrieve
peculiarity	mercurial	kaleidoscope	idosyncrasy

LIST 13	LIST 14	LIST 15	LIST 16
querulous	rancorous	expedient	palindrome
unctuous	umbrage	succinct	interpellation
zealotry	xenophobic	quaternary	octonary
gratuitous	writhe	divination	Hyperoodon
hubris	zealotry	promulgated	dodecaphonic
sanguine	trepidation	consecutive	septenary
grandiloquent	bellicose	pterosaur	adjourn
reticent	maelstrom	augustinian	cantaloupe
nascent	acrimonious	toxodon	citadel
redolent	defenestration	sparassodont	turquoise

LIST 17	LIST 18
espionage	expediency
patriarch	soliloquy
seethe	vengeance
transcend	countermand
turbulence	teleprompter
uncouth	akataphasia
variegated	intuitive
vying	alphabetization
tenuous	scrummage
ubiquitous	rudiments