

**ENGLISH****XII****DICTATION WORDS (2023-24)****GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Learn the pronunciation and spelling of the given words.
2. Dictation of ten words from the given list will be taken week-wise, on every Thursday.
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 acknowledgement of marks by the parents.

| LIST 1 | LIST 2 | LIST 3 | LIST 4 | LIST 5 | LIST 6 |
|---------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|--------------|
| Quant | analogous | ponderous | obfuscate | debility | embroil |
| accolade | caitiff | posthumous | liturgy | embezzle | precedential |
| burgle | darkling | resilience | obliterate | frivolous | Prima donna |
| divulge | efficacy | smelt | postulate | lobbyist | retinue |
| groin | fraudulent | anecdote | pragmatic | rescind | anomaly |
| manifestation | credulous | anaemic | respite | resuscitation | emblazon |
| poignant | ironclad | incubus | subpoena | antagonism | emeritus |
| ramification | Labyrinth | littoral | animosity | callow | fungible |
| slither | lineaments | indecorous | annex | cantankerous | furrier |
| vaguely | nostrum | frugal | candour | decapitate | indolent |

| LIST 7 | LIST 8 | LIST 9 | LIST 10 | LIST 11 | LIST 12 |
|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| indomitable | encomium | diminutive | beleaguered | antiquated | caricature |
| loquacious | fulminate | exacerbate | espionage | defalcate | encroach |
| lugubrious | patois | grandiose | penicillin | enamour | inebriation |
| precipitate | obsequious | largesse | exhortation | galleon | ineffable |
| revere | precipice | forfeit | julienne | fusillade | lascivious |
| aplomb | precocious | clobber | exacerbate | luminary | lummoX |
| capacious | retraction | liaison | imbroglio | nullify | lynch |
| cardinal | risible | inoculate | epitome | rigmarole | ogle |
| defunct | voluminous | accentuate | encyclical | salacious | rivulet |
| efface | raucous | hydraulic | acclimatize | synergy | subterfuge |

| LIST 13 | LIST 14 | LIST 15 | LIST 16 |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| poultice | catharsis | opalescence | inimitable |
| flamboyant | enfranchise | mensh | inveigle |
| delirious | gambit | presumptuous | irenic |
| unconscious | inept | doppelganger | opprobrious |
| condescend | machinations | unfetter | pristine |
| questionnaire | prerogative | archipelago | sporadic |
| chiaroscurist | rue | caulk | salubrious |
| Eclectic | subversive | maladroit | stanch |
| gobbledegook | arbitrator | priggish | charlatan |
| fidelity | minutia | epaulet | rancor |

