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Abate- subside, become moderate. We waited for the rain to abate. So that we don't get wet.

Aberrant- without morality, dangerous. His aberrant behaviour cost him the job.

Abeyance- delay for a while, postpone. The abeyance of the starting of our journey was because of the checking of a cargo.

Abscond- depart secretly and hide. The criminal after committing the crime absconded

Abstemious- withhold oneself from something. There is no choice but to be abstemious from alcohol if you want to live.

Admonish- warn, to scold somebody. He didn't took seriously the admonishment he got from his father.

Adulterate- to make impure. It is a punishable crime to adulterate food.

Aesthetic- a person who is admirer and also has knowledge about beauty.

Aggregate- to pile up. They aggregated lots of information on Corona.

Alacrity- one who is cheerful and quick to react. The alacrity of the girl got her the job.

Alleviate- to sooth. To alleviate the pain he was given pain killers.

Amalgate- to combine lots of components together. They created a compound by amalgamating one hundred various atoms.

Ambiguous- dual meaning. Diplomat are very ambiguous.

Ambivalence- existance of opposite thoughts at the same time.

Ameliorate- to improve. It is difficult to ameliorate the condition of a ICU patient.

Anachronism- lack of discipline in a country. As the president was assassinated, anachronism prevailed all over the country.

Anologous- things of same type. There are analogous, the psychiatrist and pdychologist.

Anomalous- lack of discipline. Anomalous was the clear indicator of hidden conspiracy.

Anarchy- lawlessness. In the movie The Dark knight anarchy was prevailing.

Antipathy- mutual hatred. At the time of trouble we should forget the word antipathy.

Appease- to make someone calm. He tried to appease the wounded patient by giving medicine.

Apprise- to notify somebody. It is the duty of the media to apprise us about the current condition about Corona.

Approbation- refuse; reject. As the news of approbation spread, the boy committed suicide.

Appropriate (verb.) - take possession for one's use. The inheritance of the property was unethical. That's why the act of appropriate was challenged.

Arduous- the work which needs hard work. Arduous efforts never go in-vain.

Artless- without trick. The boy was artless and it was his fault.

Ascetic- a hard-working person (specially who devoted his soul to almighty). Ascetic person who is true to his worship is always admired.

Assuage- to make someone calm. He tried to assuage his teammates that they will get a bonus.

Attenuate- to lessen the strength of something. Not all vaccines are the attenuated germs.

Audacious- the courageous act of something. Being an audacious person he should have fought for his country.

Austere- very strict in following rules. Japanese are said to be austere.

Autonomous- which is not under supervision of something.

Aver- showing respect. We should not lag behind to aver our elders.

Banal- boring because nothing new in it. As the rules of the game became banal, it was the main reason for not drawing enough audience.

Belie- to give false explanation. The news of the death of the president was nothing but a belie.

Beneficent- generous: who does charity. Bill Gates is one of the famous beneficent.

Bolster- to give approval. The bolster of the workers for the leader was because of the honesty of the leader.

Bombastic- fantastic but showy. If someone wants to get 8 in IELTS he has to use bombastic words.

Boorish- rude and heartless. He was terminated because of his boorish behavior.

Burgeoning- something which is rapidly developing. The burgeoning nature of waterlily is truly magnificent.

Burnish- bright. The burnish was gone because of humidity.

Buttress- support. The buttress of the ladder was weak.

Cachophonous- harsh sound, music. His voice was nothing but a merely cachophonous one.

Capricious- not serious. He was capricious in nature.

Castigation- severe punishment. The veteran was given secret castigation.

Catalyst- something which change the rate of reaction but itself remains unchanged after the reaction. The grignerd reagent is a catalyst.

Caustic- something which has the ability to burn. Sulfuric acid is caustic in nature.

Chicanery- to cheat. It needs lots of courage to protest against the chicanery of a politician.

Coda - concluding section of musical or literary composition. It has to be said the coda was done poorly despite the poem was so promising initially.

Cogent- logical. The proof was so cogent that it was enough to declare the death sentence.

Commensurate- proportional. There is no evidence of the data being commensurate to each other.

Compendium- a book where lots of information are shortly written.

Complaisant- a person who is busy in making other people happy. If you are complaisant, it can work for you or the reverse.

Complaint- one who follows rules. Square is an ISO complaint company.

Conciliatory- something which soothes. Pain killers are conciliatory OTC medicine.

Condone- give someone support in doing unethical act. It the very nature of unethical persons to condone.

Confound- don't know what to do. I was confounded by his witty remark.

Connoisseur- one who is a judge of art (specially food). The connoisseur demanded to much money for his service.

Contention- heated argument. The contention turned into a massacre.

Contentious- debated topic. This is a contentious topic as the opinion is diversified.

Contrite- repenting. The teacher forgave the boy as his contrite was showing in his face.

Conundrum- difficult question which puts people in dilemma. The conundrum was so popular that everybody answered it.

Converge- many things which comes into one point. The converge of people to Dhaka is an alarming thing as Dhaka is already overpopulated.

Convulated- something which is knotted. The wire was convulated around the rod which made it a magnet.

Craven- cowered. He acted like a craven.

Daunt- difficult and scary. To climb the Everest is a daunting task.

Decorum- protocol of an organization. If you don't follow the office decorum, you will be asked to quit.

Default- someone who has failed to finish a task in time. There was no room for defaulters in Hitler's cabinet.

Deference- to surrender. We have no option but to take the option of deference.

Delineate- to explain by drawing picture. He was a master at delineation.

Denigrate- blacken. The banana was left uneaten thus it has denigrated.

Deride- to ridicule; to make fun of someone. They derided so harshly that she cried.

Denigrate- to insult. If you don't respect your elders it is a matter of denigrate to them.

Derivative- something which is obtained from something. Glucose is a derivative of carbohydrate.

Desiccate- to remove moisture. To desiccate a chamber suction pump is needed.

Desultory- lack of energy to work. The desultory nature of the girl cost her the job.

Deterrent- to restrict. The Police have the right deterrent gathering because of Corona outbreak.

Diatribes- write something by severely criticizing something. Often political leaders diatribe to insult opposition leader.

Diachotomy- having two branches. Trachea do diachotomy. As there is two lungs.

Diffidence- be shy because of lack of confidence. Many young people lag behind because of diffidence.

Diffuse- disperse. Diffusion is a common characteristic of gases.

Digression- to move to other topic from main topic. Digression is a common mishap of professors.

Dirge- lament with music. The dirge was so touchy that everyone lamented in the funeral.

Disabuse- try to make someone understand that his conception is wrong. Sometimes it is not a matter of smartness to disabuse.

Discerning- mentally quick and observant. The discerning virtue of the candidate won him the job.

Discordant- disagreement. Discordant is a common phenomenon in politics.

Discredit- fall of goodwill. Discredit can lead to loss of sales.

Discrepancy- lack of similarity. Lots of discrepancy were found in his cabinet.

Disingenuous- deceitful. The incumbent was disingenuous in nature.

Disinterested- not interested. He was disinterested about personal hygiene.

Disjointed- separated. The roads appear to be disjointed.

Dismiss- to expel. The boss said, "you are dismissed".

Disparage- to neglect. He showed disparage to the poor.

Disparate- not similar. Right triangle and equilateral triangle are disparate.

Dissemble- to fool someone. In the movie Ladies vs Ricky Bahl, Ricky was shown as master dissembler.

Disseminate- to spread information. He disseminate the news so quickly that it actually saved the lives of a lot of Corona patient.

Dissolution- to end a cabinet officially. The dissolution of the cabinet turned out to be a good decision.

Dissonance- harsh sound, voice. Dissonance has to be null if a musical instrument has to be made popular.

Distend- empty. A cylinder is distend inside.

Distill- to purify. To make water distill, is not that costly.

Diverge- vary, from centre spreading out. The Corona diverged from China.

Divest- to deprive someone of power. The prince was divested as he married a peasant.

Document- written file. If you don't have any document, we can not help you.

Dogmatic- who does not understand logic. Don't be dogmatic in reasoning.

Dormant- lethargic, latent. In initial stage cancerous cell is dormant.

Dupe- someone who is easily fooled. Sometimes an intelligent person can also act as dupe.

Ebullient- showing excitement. The boy was ebullient as he stood first in the class.

Eclectic- composed of elements drawn from selective sources.

Efficacy- power to produce desired effect. The efficacy of the vaccine still to be proved.

Effrontery- shameless boldness. Narcissist has effrontery characteristics.

Elegy- poem or song expressing Lamentations. The elegy was so touchy that everyone cried at the church.

Elicit- draw out by discussion. The detective elicited vital information from the offender.

Embellish- adorn, ornament (a story). It was a nice embellishment of the story.

Empirical- based on experience. There is no substitute for empirical knowledge.

Emulate- imitate. The act of emulate is irreverence.

Epidemic- prevailing in a specific group of area or people. The epidemic is now out of control.

Enervate- weaken. Cigarettes enervate your strength.

Engender- cause, produce. The Corona engendered new way of lifestyle.

Enhance- to increase. To enhance the profit they did mass marketing.

Ephemeral- Short staying. Some atoms are ephemeral and thus they are the subject to study.

Equanimity- mental calmness. Equanimity is an expensive virtue which comes at the expense of losing restlessness.

Equivocate- dual meaning. Diplomats are master at equivocation.

Erudite- wisdom on one or more matter. The works of Einstein is nothing but the proof of his erudite.

Esoteric- secret. Esoteric files are termed as classified to make it sound good.

Eulogy- praise. By the very nature of humans, they are just fond of eulogy.

Euphemism- to say something harsh in polite way. Classified is a word that is a example of euphemism in most cases.

Exacerbate- to worsen something. As the day progresses cancer patient's condition exacerbates.

Exculpate- to free from charge. He was exculpated from the death penalty.

Exigency- need. At the time of exigency the face of a true friend is revealed.

Extrapolation- to come to a conclusion after analyzing data. Extrapolation is a part and parcel of every scientific study.

Facetious- matter of joke. The facetious remark was nothing but ignorance of the bully.

Facilitate- make less difficult. They tried to facilitate the process.

Fallacious- false, misleading. The financial analyst made a fallacious reasoning.

Fatuous- fool. The fatuous nature of the boy was because of his ignorance.

Fawning- to flatter somebody to gain favor. If you are seen doing fawning, you will be hated by all.

Facetious- matter of joke. The facetious remark was nothing but ignorance of the bully.

Fatuous- fool. The fatuous nature of the boy was because of his ignorance.

Felicitous- very skillful. The felicitous nature of the clerk was because of his experience.

Fervor- intensity of feeling. When Sachin Tendulkar faced Allan Donald for the first time both of them were filled with fervor.

Flag- to direct by showing the path. The captain of Bangladesh cricket team Mashrafe is master at flag.

Fledging- immature. The person who suffers from mental disorder has traits of fledging.

Flout- to go against. It is not a good idea to flout to your boss.

Foment- to excite someone. MD. Ali was good at foment his opponent.

Forestall- guess and thus prevent. We all should have the reasoning to forestall.

Frugality- person who does not spend much. Frugality is not a bad thing unless you become heartless.

Futile- failed attempt. All my efforts turned to be futile because of a single mistake.

Gainsay- do not agree. It is a common phenomenon that politicians often gainsay to hide their faults.

Garrulous- talkative. Being garrulous is a sign of being friendly.

Goad- to induce. His efforts are just like goad, not giving a hand.

Gouge- overcharge. The fine was a gouge according to the car owner.

Grandiloquent- bombastic. A confident person is often grandiloquent.

Gregarious- one who loves the company of his/her friends. A gregarious person is often neglected.

Guileless- does not have the ability to cheat. A good person is guileless.

Gullible- one who is easily tricked. Wisemen are not gullible.

Harangue- long dull speech. Harangue is not always devoid of logic.

Homogeneous- something of same kind. Saturated fats are homogeneous in nature.

Hyperbole- bombastic speech. To hyperbole is the trait of admiration seekers.

Iconoclast- a person who thinks differently. Persons like Bill Gates are called iconoclast.

Idolatry- worship of idols,excessive admiration. Seeing the idolatry of the monk god grant him heaven.

Immutable- unchangeable. Some rules are immutable.

Impair- to restrict. Don't impair the advancement of fellow colleagues.

Impassive- without expression. Some psychic patients are impassive.

Impede- to delay. The rain impeded our journey.

Impermeable- cannot be penetrated. Cell membrane is not impermeable.

Imperturbable- mentally calm. Genius people have one common virtue that is being imperturbable at critical moments.

Impervious- not penetrable. Cell wall is not impervious.

Implacable- difficult to make calm. It is difficult to content him because he is implacable.

Implicit- indicate indirectly. It was implicated that the incumbent was lazy.

Implode- collapse. The bomb imploded the building.

Inadvertently- without intention; accidentally. Discovery of some medicine is advertently.

Inchoate- something which has just begun. The inchoate of Shahriar's Academy was merely for finding inner peace.

Incongruity- dissimilar. There are incongruity between right angle and equilateral triangle.

Inconsequential- unimportant. The use of vitamins are inconsequential.

Incorporate- to make use. If you can not incorporate logic in your literature it will not be accepted by readers.

Indeterminate- not properly known. The existence of parallel universe is indeterminate.

Indigence- poverty. Indigence is a curse that is suffered by African nations.

Indolent: lazy. There is no evidence that indolent people can't be successful.

Inert- not active. Helium is an inert gas.

Ingenuous- a girl who is not tricky. Mother Teresa was ingenuous.

Inherent- own property. It is the inherent nature of the white to dominate.

Innocuous- harmless. Khaled Mahmud sujon was an innocuous bowler.

Insensible- unconscious. As he acted being insensible he was not eaten by the bear.

Insinuate- advice without politeness. Although his intention wasn't bad but as he insinuated, he was hated by all.

Insipid- dull. The conversation was merely insipid.

Insularity- narrow-mindedness. Nobody liked him because of his insularity.

Intractable- one who is difficult to be pacified. His blood pressure was high because of his intractable mentality.

Intransigence- not compromising. As the main characteristic of the professor was being intransigence to his students, all the students were always on their toes.

Inundate- to flood. It is difficult to inundate a desert as big as this.

Inured- used to something. As he walked to office for two months he was well inured to the matter.

Invective- abusive. The passenger made an invective remark to the rickshaw puller.

Irascible- irritated personality. As he was irascible, nobody liked him.

Iresolute- a person who is restless. Because of his irresolute nature, he always used to make silly mistakes.

Itinerary- planning to travel. Travel agencies are always in the need of itinerary.

Laconic- expressed in short speech. As he was angry he made a laconic remark which took us by surprise.

Lassitude- languor. Because of the lassitude he couldn't pursue his goals.

Latent- something which is hidden. The latent heat of car engines does not come to passengers sitting segment.

Laud- to praise. Every act of prophet Md (Sm:) was laudable.

Lethargic- state of being tired and with no energy. Lethargic person doesn't always suffer from misfortune.

Levee- stone embankment to prevent flood. The levee was destroyed by the army and villagers suffered then on.

Levity- to be less concern about an important matter

Log- record. Keep a log book if you are suffering from memory disease.

Loquacious- talkative. It is good to be loquacious if you are depressed.

Lucid- something which can be done easily. My mathematics notes are not prepared in lucid way.

Luminous- emitting light. LED TV is one the best example of luminous machines.

Magnanimity- generous. Haji Md. Mohsin was renowned for his magnanimity.

Malingerer- someone trying to escape from duty by feigning ill. He was a mere malingerer and boss didn't said anything to him because he was vastly talented.

Malleable- easy to be controlled. Malleable nature of people can act as their downfall since not everyone is honest.

Maverick- a person who moves from place to place. In top gun, Tom Cruise's code name was Maverick.

Mendacious- lie. We are out of danger is nothing but a mendacious statement to guile the ordinary people.

Metamorphosis- transformation. Metamorphosis is a common process that is observed by chemists.

Meticulous- perfectionist. Don't be a perfectionist. You will never be content and thus will not be happy.

Misanthrope- person who hates human. Ted Bundy, the psychopath from 70s, was a misanthrope.

Mitigate- to sooth. Doctors failed to mitigate the pain of the patients by giving them pain killers.

Mollify- to sooth. Doctors failed to mitigate the pain of the patients by giving them pain killers.

Morose- angry. The premier behavioural attribute that opposition batsman used to find about Glenn McGrath was moroseness.

Mundane- something which doesn't have anything new. The mundane nature of honesty sometimes provokes people to do crimes.

Negate- to make zero. He worked with heart and soul to negate the disease.

Neophyte- a fresh learner. Neophytes are malleable. Thus they can be taught a number of skills.

Obdurate- who does not care about others, listens only of his own. The marketing manager was obdurate and didn't like others' suggestions to accept.

Obsequious- follower as servent. Some girls are obsequious in nature. Those actually become good homemaker oneday.

Occlude- shut, close. The artery was occluded by platelets.

Officious- one who tries to help others without taking there permission. The officious people are jems.

Obviate- to make difficult things easy. There is always a master rule in English to obviate a grammar topic.

Onerous- burden. A sick person is not only a burden to his family but also to the whole society.

Opprobrium- bitter remarks. The reason for his sadness was opprobrium stated by his mother.

Oscillate- swing like a pendulum. The fate of the cricket match was oscillating like pendulum.

Ostentatious- someone who feigns. His ostentatious attribute was the reason for he being suspected.

Paragon- best human. Our prophet is a paragon without doubt.

Partisan- biased. The partisan of John towards Merry was because of love.

Pathological- pertaining to disease. Pathological test are expensive.

Paucity- poorness. The curse of paucity can be found in slum.

Pedantic- mentality like a pundit. Every good teacher suffers from pedantic flaw while he interacts with people.

Penchant- habit. Smoking is the most common and destructive penchant.

Penury- poorness. Penury is not in wealth, it is in heart.

Perennial- something (plant) which lives for long periods of time. Rice is not a perennial crop.

Perfidious- disloyal. The rabbit is perfidious.

Perfunctory- work in a careless way. Most government employees are perfunctory workers.

Permeable- which can be penetrated. Cell membrane is semi permeable.

Pervasive- found every where. Allah said only he is pervasive.

Phlegmatic- careless; indifferent. The phlegmatic response to lose weight was the reason of Lance Klusenar to conflict with the coach.

Piety- to respect. It's a matter of piety to Allah that you came round.

Placate- to decrease anger. The psychologist placated the psychic patient by giving speech therapy.

Plasticity-- something which shape can be changed easily. The plasticity of rubber is amazing.

Platitude- a truth that has been said a lot of times that's why it is boring. Sometimes slogan can become platitude.

Plethora- wealth. A person living with love and plethora will not understand the situation of a poor.

Plummet- fall sharply. The sales of almost every goods plummeted as Corona struck.

Porous- something which has lots of pore. Surgical mask is not porous.

Pragmatic- practical. The pragmatic solution is to ask help from almighty at every situation.

Preamble- introductory statement. In the inaugural ceremony of the company the program started with a preamble.

Precarious- cautious. A precarious person is always in a favorable position.

Precipitate-to accelerate; sedimented. Salt precipitate when it is kept still for one hour.

Precursor- ancestor. Prodrugs are just like precursor of main drugs.

Presumptuous- arrogance. It was a presumptuous remark from him that heated the cabinet.

Prevaricate- lie. It has to be said that politicians are master at prevarication.

Pristine- untouched. The car is in pristine condition.

Probity- honesty. The best example of probity is the life of our prophet.

Problematic- causing problem. Some students are problematic in senior class.

Prodigal- person who spends too much money. Everybody likes to be with a prodigal.

Profound- having vast knowledge. The profound knowledge of our coach helped us to excel in the adverse condition.

Prohibitive- to stop. The prohibitive nature of customers is going to hurt us most.

Proliferate- something which can produce a lot. The proliferate run getter for Bangladesh was Habibul Bashar Sumon.

Propensity- to like. The reason for propensity for carrabian is natural diversity.

Propitiate- to make calm. Doctors tried to propitiate the pain of the patient by giving anesthesia.

Propriety- desired moral. The propriety for garments worker should be settled with the consent of the workers also.

Proscribe- to pushout from society. A corrupted person should be proscribed.

Pungent- sharp in taste. The cake was overcooked thus was pungent.

Qualified- having ability. M. R. Khan was a qualified doctor.

Quibble- to criticize. Simple talk turned into a quibble because of arrogance.

Quiescent- state of inertness. At initial stage cancer is quiescent.

Rerefied- less densed. If blood is rarefied, it will have less probability of causing block.

Recalcitrant- unobidient. The most abhorable part of the boy is that he is recalcitrant.

Recant- to leave. The door is on the right, recant.

Recluse- hermit, loner. Mental patients are often like being recluse.

Recondite- difficult to understand. His remarks were so recondite that it took us minutes to perceive.

Refractory- unobidient. The boy was merely a flaunt. It was the refractory nature that hurt us the most.

Refute- to logically disprove. It is difficult to refute the logic of a psychologist.

Relegate- to demote somebody of his position. The boy was responsible for the lose that's why the authority asked him to relegate.

Reproach- to reject. Be like Sultan Mahmud. If you are reproached try again.

Reprobate- to refuse. Be like Sultan Mahmud. If you are reproached try again.

Repudite- to reject. Be like Sultan Mahmud. If you are reproached try again.

Rescind- to scold. To rescind somebody, not correcting him, is not the solution.

Resolution- strong promise; effort. Today Bangladeshi batsman show tremendous resolution.

Resolve- to correct. Resolve it quickly, otherwise it will make me mad.

Reticent- a person who does not talk too much. Reticent people are charming.

Reverent- to respect. Reverent is a virtue which doesn't come from the blue.

Sage- wiseman. A sage is respected by all.

Salubrious- healthy. Don't eat junk food it is insalubrious.

Sanction- to approve. The principal sanctioned fund for picnic.

Saturate- to soak thoroughly. The cloths were saturated with phenol water.

Satiate- to eat with satisfaction. Patients suffering from eating disorder are never satiated.

Savor- totally satisfied. The feeling of savor his unknown to me.

Secrete- to emit. Blood secreted from his wound.

Shard- a piece of glass which has sharp edge. Shard can be dangerous as it can cut.

Skeptic- one who has doubt. No matter how good you become there always will be some skeptic to questions your abilities.

Solicitous- concerned. It is the very nature of human to be solicitous at the calmest moments.

Soporific- causing sleep. Benzodiazepam is soporific.

Specious- partially correct. Demand is unlimited, is a theoretical concept thus specious.

Spectrum- combination of seven colors. Prism is a interesting instrument which deals with spectrum.

Sporadic- which happens by stop and start. Sporadic nature of ECG graph reveals that there is no problem with the heart.

Stigma- shameful. The defeat of our leader is a severe stigma.

Stint- to supply less. It is better to stint if you want check the strength of the beast.

Stipulate- treaty. They did a undercover stipulation which wasn't a good thing for the peasant.

Stolid- dull, impassive. The journey was so stolid that everyone had an headache.

Striated- marked with parallel bands. Tiger has striated skin.

Strut- pompous walk. In Quran we are asked not to strut.

Strut- supporting bar. The strut was broken thus the infrastructure collapsed.

Subpoena- a person who asks witness to come to court. The subpoena was pushed by the victim.

Subside- to reduce. We waited for the storm to subside.

Substantiate- to give proof to prove the charge. The advocate failed to substantiate.

Supersede- to substitute. The UPS was superseded by a generator

Tacit- unspoken. The tacit nature of the boy was so artful that it was thought to be god gifted.

Tangential- relating to perimeter. Tangential angle is very important to know to do some math.

Tenuous- very weak. The work is so hard that it made me tenuous.

Tirade- angry speech. Bangha bandhu is renowned for the tirade he gave on 7 th march, 1971.

Torpor- lack of energy. Because of the torpor he could not finished the task.

Tortuous- spiral. The road is tortuous.

Tractable- who follows instructions well. The boy is tractable.

Transgression- crime. The number of transgressions by rulers were so huge that it was termed as semi genocide.

Truculence- aggressiveness. Lion is not always truculence in nature but most of the time.

Vacillate- swings like pendulum. The cricket match vacillated from the start to the end.

Venerate- to respect. Veterans are always venerated.

Veracious- a person who talks the truth. It is not necessary that a veracious man will be liked by all.

Verbose- a person who talks too much. Most of the time a verbose person has fresh mind.

Viable- able to work successfully. The viability of the vaccine still to be proven.

Viscous- like jelly. Cell fluid is viscous.

Vituperative- abuse using slang. He vituperated us so we hit him with a stick.

Volatile- directly evaporates from solid to gas. There are a lot of solids which have volatile property.

Warrented- justified. It is warrented that everyone attends there work from home.

Wary- careful. It is good to be wary about own physic.

Welter- move arrogantly. The king used to welter thus everyone was scared of him.

Whimsical- lack of focus while doing something. The teacher was whimsical and that's why the result of the students were not up to the mark.

Zealot- a person who shows too much interest. Zealot is a sign of mental disorder.