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COOL!

Aplomb

A-bomb

Self-confidence, especially in a difficult situation.

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**COOL!**

*form*  
**Amorphous**

Lacking a definite shape or form.

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COOL!

<sup>sun</sup>  
Attrition

A gradual reduction or  
weakening.



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COOL!

Rice Avarice ↓  
**Avaricious** rice-rice

Extremely greedy for wealth or  
material gain.

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COOL!

Asinine → ਗਾਏ

Extremely stupid or foolish.

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**COOL!**

**Audacious**

*"Audi"*

Bold, daring, and willing to take risks.

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COOL!

(time)

# Anachronistic

Something that is out of place in terms of time or chronology.

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**COOL!**

## Anathema

A thing or person that is deeply hated.

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*lecture*

**Apoplectic**

*ap*

Overcome with anger; furious.

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**COOL!**

Arrow Gate

**Arrogate**

To take something without the right to do so.



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**COOL!**

# Rank and File Ordinary People

आम आदमी ✓

**WOW**



**COOL!**

**A wee bit  
A little ✓**

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**COOL!**

**At daggers drawn  
Bitterly hostile**

*Enmity*

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**COOL!**

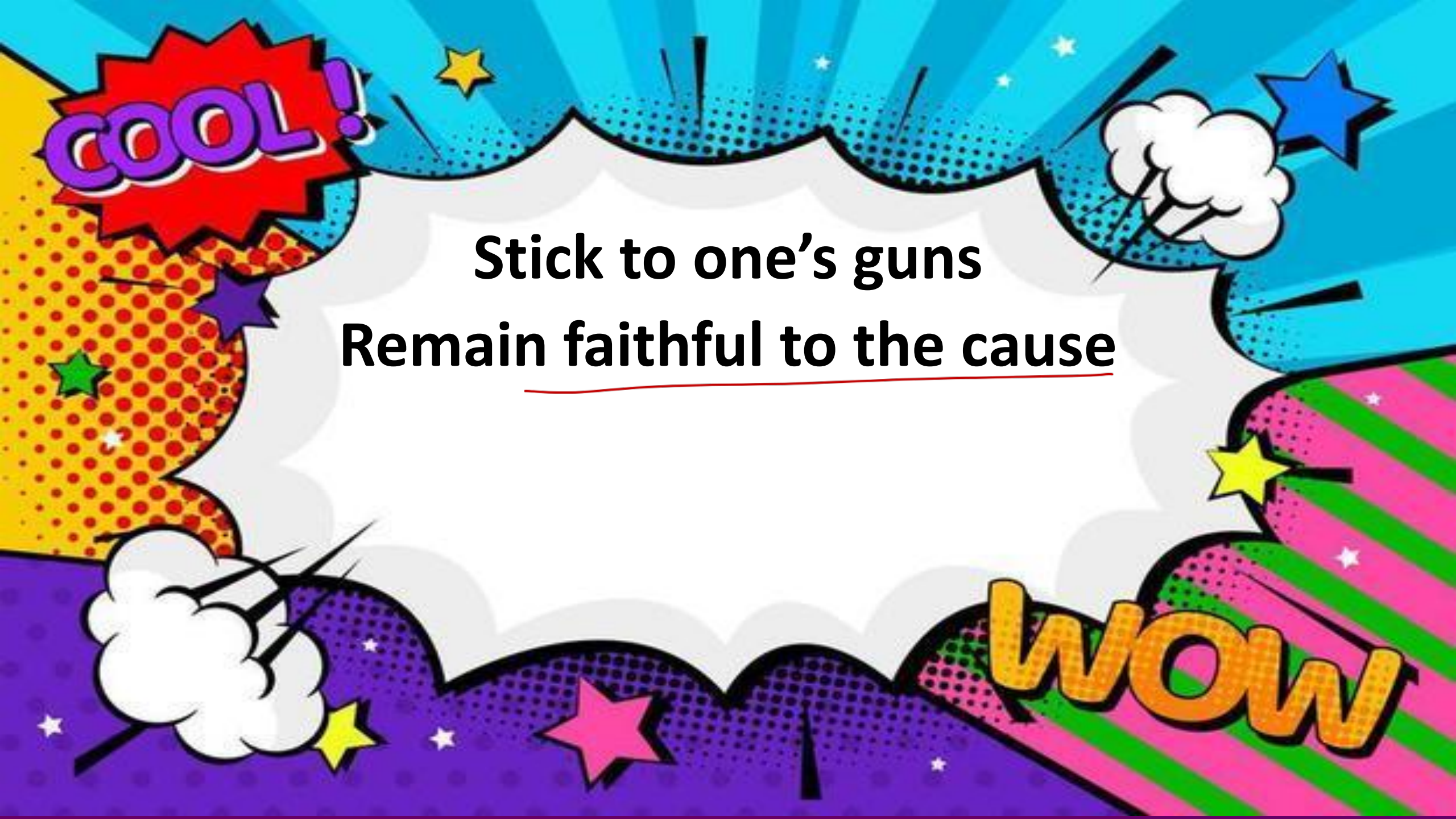
**Out of the question**

**Impossible**

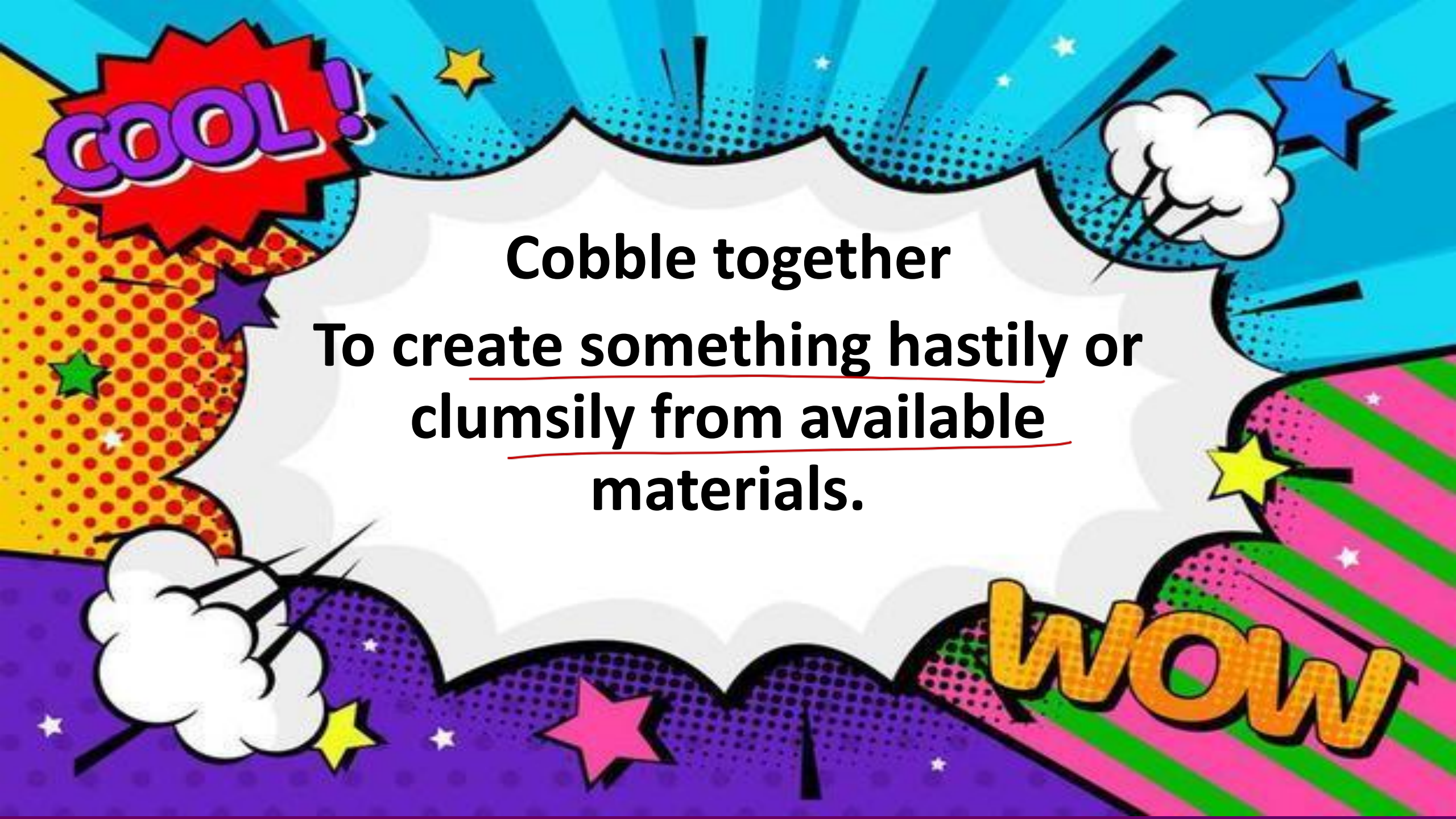
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**Smell a rat**  
**Suspect something foul**



**Stick to one's guns**  
**Remain faithful to the cause**



**Cobble together  
To create something hastily or  
clumsily from available  
materials.**



**COOL!**

**Batten down**  
**To prepare for a difficult**  
**situation or crisis.**

**WOW**



**Chisel away** *mitigate*  
**To gradually reduce or erode something.**



**COOL!**

**Fritter away  
To waste time or money on  
trivial things.**

**WOW**

# Revision

1. Aplomb ✓
2. Amorphous ✓
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# HOMEWORK

## Match the Column Exercise

Match the words in **Column A** with their correct meanings in **Column B**.

### Column A (Words)

1. Attrition
2. Avaricious
3. Asinine
4. Audacious
5. Anachronistic
6. Anathema

### Column B (Meanings)

- A. Foolish or extremely silly
- B. The process of gradually reducing strength or effectiveness
- C. Bold, daring, or recklessly brave
- D. Something or someone that is strongly disliked or cursed
- E. Greedy for wealth or material gain
- F. Outdated or belonging to a different time period

# HOMework

## Fill in the Blanks

Choose the correct word from the given list (**Attrition, Avaricious, Asinine, Audacious, Anachronistic, Anathema**) to complete the sentences.

1. The company faced high employee \_\_\_\_\_ due to poor management and low salaries.
2. His \_\_\_\_\_ behavior of spending millions on luxury while his employees suffered was criticized.
3. It was \_\_\_\_\_ of him to jump from the plane without checking his parachute.
4. Wearing a medieval knight's armor to a modern-day event seemed completely \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The idea of banning books is \_\_\_\_\_ to a free society.
6. His \_\_\_\_\_ remark during the serious discussion made everyone roll their eyes.

# HOMework

## 1. What does "Attrition" refer to?

- A) A sudden increase in size
- B) A gradual weakening or wearing down
- C) A lucky coincidence
- D) A quick and immediate effect
- E) A financial success

## 2. Which of the following best describes an "Avaricious" person?

- A) Someone who is generous and selfless
- B) Someone who is extremely greedy for wealth
- C) Someone who is overly cautious in spending
- D) Someone who enjoys taking risks
- E) Someone who dislikes money

## 3. Which of these is an example of "Audacious" behavior?

- A) Following all safety rules strictly
- B) Challenging an unfair law in public despite threats
- C) Hesitating to speak in a meeting
- D) Refusing to take responsibility for one's actions
- E) Being very careful in financial decisions

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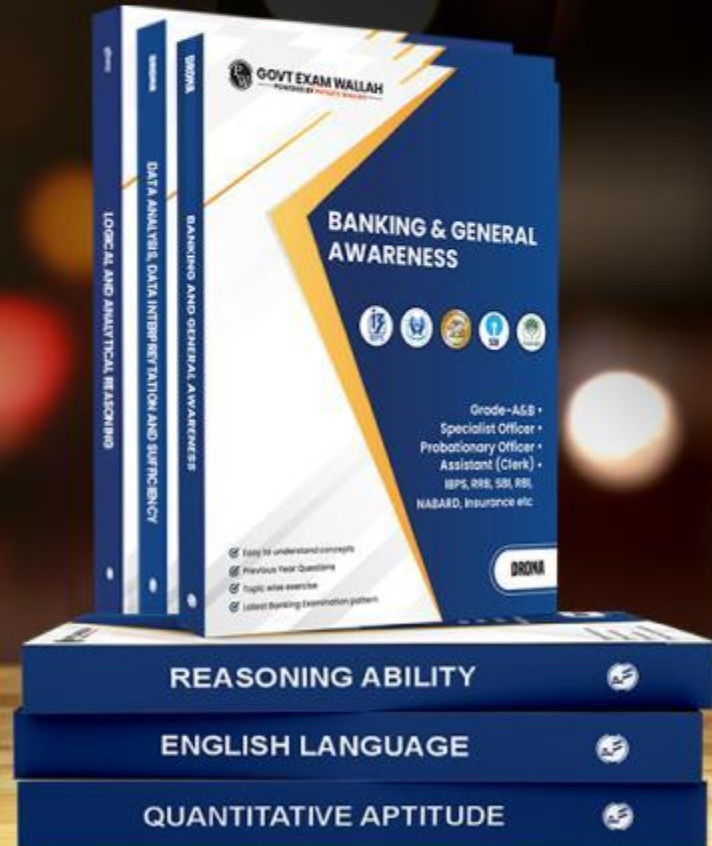
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