

2016-06-23 Wednesday David Catala Marek Connell English notes

To knock back some beer ^(colloq) (≈to drink) (≈empinar el codo)
to down ^{(unos pocos) (IC)} a few drinks. ^(some)

Burnout

≈postureo
To boast ^(dan) about ^(singular) +object (jartarse de)
flout
A show off (un fanfarron)
To show off /pd'se (fanfarronear) (phr'sal verb)

It is signed off.

Get it done!

If I get every ^(singular) one of ^(singular) this ^(dan) these done.

A company ^(sl) car.

Retribution (la represalia)

To put your foot in it.

(meter la pata)

to dig ^(cavar) a hole for your ^(reflexive) self.

That's it's ^(week) back to back week.

I wanted to disappear into a hole (agujero).

I wished the world would swallow me up.

To give as good as you get.

respond with equal force when attacked.

"her male colleagues do tease her, but she says, 'I just give as good as I get'"

Whitley

There are a lot of people that play ^(plural) paddle.

A mere (mero) mortal.



Pimp (≈chuloputas)



car programme on MTV



"pimped out" +object

A swallow (golondrina)
swallow (tragar)
to gulp (tragar, engullir)

Just for kicks

if you do something for kicks, especially something dangerous, you do it because you think it is exciting *Local kids steal cars and race them up and down the street, just for kicks.*

To don't ^(to not) lose the control of the team.

To threaten (amenazar)

A wall of ice.

They have to ^(adjverbs) behave (comportarse) differently.

The common sense.

To do some Go-karting (kart).

Sometimes you need to change the chip.

If you notice that your boss is (becoming) ^(comparative) more pally pally.

"I see you're getting quite pally with Carlos"

throw ^(tirar)
hold ^(sujetar) party
To have ^(a) event ^(color) meeting

The truth can come back and bite (morder) you in the ass.

It's a **touchy** subject.

Touchy **touchy**!

(temas espinosos)

1. Tending to take offense with slight cause; oversensitive.

2. Requiring special tact or skill in handling; delicate: *a touchy situation*

A thorny problem or subject is difficult to deal with:

*"the thorny **issue** of taxation"*

Thorn (**la espina**)

a **delicate** topic.

[steɪdiəm] st^{ei}di^{um}

Football fan/supp^{or}ter, foll^{ow}er (**partidario/el aficionado**)

fan (**ventilador**)

To **crash into** +object
hit

To **take something out on someone**.
"To **take out your frustration** **out on** a **punching bag**."

[ɪot] y^ocht

good **vibe** (energy)

a blab^{ber}-m^{ou}th (**marujea**)

to **be putty** in **someone's hands**

easily influenced by someone else;

excessively willing to do what

someone else wishes.

"She's so beautiful that I'm putty in her hands when she asks me for something"



The **things** they wear **leave little** to the imagination.

False Friend	
to go ^d on vac^{ation} ^(usa)	(vacaciones)
holiday ^(uk/usa)	
vacancies ^(vacantes)	
The building is vacant ^(vacio)	

A (sm^okⁱng) hot **chick**
bird
(**tia buena**)

Pro^{ce}dure (**el procedimiento**)

You doⁿ't go^d o^ver **budget**.