

2017-10-13 Friday Chalo and Pepe Marek Connell English notes 1,5

To pass **something** (an **exam**) with **flaring** colour **s**: to get a very good mark/ result.
(petarlo)

Harvest (**coshecha**)



Things can **mushroom** and then you have a **big** **problem**.
(To mushroom-to grow very quickly)

To **hound** to harass, persecute, or pursue relentlessly.

"she was hounded by the Italian press"

To **ravage** (**saquear, devastar, arrasar**)

To **tangle** (up) (**enredar; enmarañar**)

It's a pain in the **backside** (**pompis/lado trasero**)
arse (**culo**)
(**un coñazo**)

To **tame** (**manso /domar**)

Videocassettes **are** **no longer** (**nada mas**) sold in shops.

It comes as a shock (**ha causado conmoción**)

Fantasy (surreal)
fantastic (amazing)

To **account** for **+object** (**explicar**)

account for

phrasal verb of **account**

1. give a satisfactory record of (something, typically money, that one is responsible for).
"I had to account for every penny I spent"
- provide or serve as a satisfactory explanation for.
"he was brought before the Board to account for his behaviour"
synonyms: **explain**, give an explanation, come up with an explanation, explain away, answer for, give reasons for, **rationalize**, provide a rationale for, show grounds for, **elucidate**, **illuminate**, clear up; **More**
- know the fate or whereabouts of (someone or something), especially after an accident.
"everyone was accounted for after the floods"
2. succeed in killing, destroying, or defeating.
"a mishit drive accounted for Jones, who had scored 32"
synonyms: dispose of, finish off, make an end of, deal with, put paid to, take care of, clear up, mop up, **eliminate**, **kill**, **destroy**, **dispatch**, put out of action, **incapacitate**
"its awe-inspiring whirlpool has accounted for many sailors' lives"
3. supply or make up (a specified amount or proportion).
"social security accounts for about a third of total public spending"
synonyms: **constitute**, make up, **comprise**, **form**, **compose**, be responsible for, **represent**, **supply**, **provide**, **give**
"excise duties account for over half the price of Scotch"

Likeness

the fact or quality of being alike; resemblance.

"her likeness to him was astonishing"

synonyms: resemblance, similarity,

Techy (a person who is expert in or enthusiastic about technology, especially computing.)

To **hand in** **your** **resignation** (**presentar la dimisión**)

To **get** **something** / **a** **weight** **off** your **chest**. (**quitar de encima / desahogarse**).

"I had to get it off my chest."

To **rant** (and rave) **about** **+object**: (to speak or shout at length in an angry way.)

The **workings** of the **company**

to **disclose** / **divulge** (**divulgar**)

truthful

To **get down** to **doing** **+object**. (**ponerse a hacer algo**)

To **get down** and **shake** **a** **leg**. (to dance) (**mover el esqueleto**)

to **feel down** (ill /sad)

THE **weather** **get's** **me** **down**. (makes me depressed)