

2017-11-16 Thursday Joanna Wojtowicz Marek Connell English notes 1

To feel **knackered**. (**agotado**)

(a knackery=where They used to kill horses when they were old and tired)

I'm **beat**. (**vencido**)

I'm **knackered** (**molido**)

It took 20 minutes to get to the **centre**.

Musicien

Thomas Stanko is worth **checking out**.

Search for it **on** the Internet.

Look it **up** **on** the net.

Look **for** it **on** the net.

check it **out** **on** the net.

"It's not my cup of tea." (A saying)
(**un dicho**)

(It's not something I like.) (**no es lo mio**)

"Heavy metal music is not my cup of tea."

Whatever **rock**s your **boat**. (**que te anima/si te mola**)

How ~~to~~ can I say "it's a **little** **heavy**"

Indulgent (to allow yourself to enjoy the pleasure of something.)

(**complacer, consentir, mimar**)

to **indulge** in **guilty** **pleasure**.

[**FOUKES**]

fɒ'kʌs

→ **verb+ing**

To

[**FOUKEST**]

is

on

→ **+object**

be

fɒ'kʌsəd

is

on

→ **+object**

Pricey (expensive)

~~Tempora~~ **Temporary**

You can take in the whole **experience**.

Dialogue

Allusions

an expression designed to call something to mind without mentioning it explicitly; an indirect or passing reference.

"an **allusion** to Shakespeare"

To get

around

about

on

foot

by

car

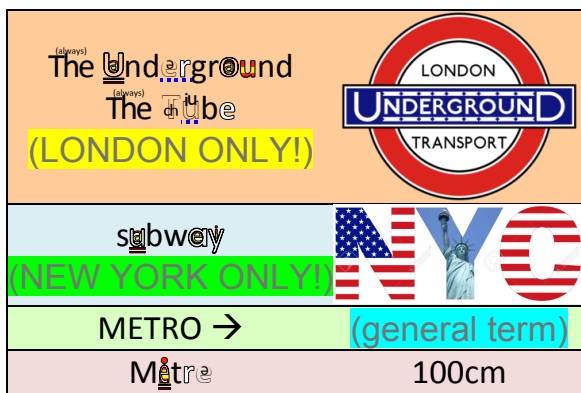
bike.

(to travel)

To get **around** (an **obstacle**). (**evadir**)

To get **around** to **verb+ing** **+object**.

(to find the time to do something)



The cuttest

A long-sleeved T-shirt

[campeni] company

It's like spending 10 hours searching for something.

There were They had everything in there.

I'm interesting interested in it.

My roots (raíces) are o i s a a t i s

set in the other side of the pond (el estanque).

a very poor person.
"he died a pauper"

× bardzo biedna osoba.
"zmarł jako żebrak"

In the near distant future.
foreseeable (previsible)

In the foreseeable (previsible) (do przewidzenia)

A grand = (£/€/ \$) 1000

3 grands = (£/€/ \$) 3000

20K [keis] = 20,000

"My car cost me 7 grand" (7 thousand)

"I earn 150k a year"

My car has got 56thousand kilometers on the clock.



It costs an arm and a leg. (un riñón/ ojo de la cara)

Organ

He needs to improve this qualification.

No'mad

To tie yourself (down) to +object.

I know London like the back of my hand (mano).

To pay through the nose for +object.

(to pay an excessive amount of money for something)

It's a stone's throw away. = Not far. (≈ a tiro de piedra)

A sleepy (dormido) town.

Only for to sleep.

English Food



Cod (bacalao) & chips



Sunday roast (asado)



English breakfast



pie and mash (potato)



Christmas Dinner

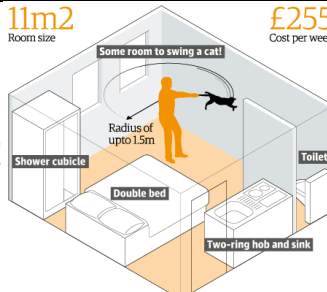


Beans on toast



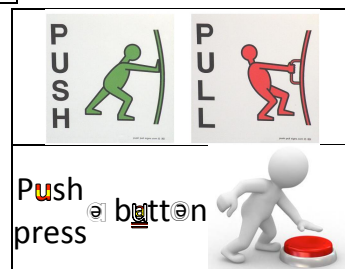
Jacket potato

There is enough space to swing (columpiar) a cat!



To be spoilt for choice
(estropeado para opción/Muchas opciones para elegir)

My mum's number.
Information
Computer
I try to do this as best as I can.
Efficiency



To get to your destination
To arrive at

I'm spending 8 hours before in front of my computer.

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

Opponent (Przeciwnik)

You're recovering game-aholic.

Bright (brillante/inteligente)

To	get	hooked on +object.
	become	addicted to +object
(estar enganchado)		
The book hooked me in. (me engancho)		

A cowboy (el vaquero) electrician
(los piratas/ sinvergüenzas)
A jack of all trades is a master of none.
(aprendiz de todo, maestro de nada)
Jack the lad (un chaval).

It's worth it.	(vale la pena)	👍
not	(no vale la pena)	👎
It's worth verb+ing (+object)	!	?
Is it worth my while.		
It's worthwhile	(bien gastado)	