

Hamburg International Speakers
 Grammarian's Report
 21 November 2018

Word or phrase	Comment
1. <u>spice up</u> the evening	good language use
2. You won't have the <u>necessity</u> to...	You won't need to... You won't have to... It won't be necessary for you to...
3. I recommend <u>to you</u> to note the example	I recommend that you note the example I recommend noting the example Noting the example is recommended
4. He <u>escalated</u> Mt. Everest	He ascended Mt. Everest (more formal) He climbed Mt. Everest
5. Tonight's timekeeper, <u>which</u> is Julian	Tonight's timekeeper, who is Julian
6. On the occasions <u>where</u> we meet in here	On the occasions when we meet in here
7. I <u>hardly could</u> get enough	I could hardly get enough
8. Welcome <u>in</u> our club.	Welcome to our club.
9. I am excited <u>incredibly</u> to be here.	I am incredibly excited to be here.
10. I didn't use <u>too much</u> my legs	I didn't use my legs too much.
11. She didn't care <u>how</u> it looked <u>like</u> .	She didn't care how it looks. She didn't care what it looked like.
12. What I've just <u>described you</u>	What I've just described to you
13. Next time, we'll meet in the <u>saloon</u> .	Next room, we'll meet in the large/front room. (<i>Saloon</i> is generally a bar).
14. <u>After this triathlon, I have continued</u> training.	Ever since this triathlon, I have continued training. After this triathlon, I continued training.
15. I was <u>having some</u> fear	I was experiencing/feeling fear.
16. I started to <u>get</u> into the lake	I started to dive/jump/wade/go into the lake.
17. I had a <u>training during</u> four months.	I had four months of training. I had training that lasted four months. I had training for four months. I had a four-month training period.
18. Let me give you a <u>tip</u> of advice.	Let me give you a piece of/a bit of advice. Let me give you some advice. Let me give you a tip.