4.11.2015

To award (someone) SOMETHING for doing.

To be awarded SOMETHING (by someone)

Vs.

Ocenovat nekoho (necim) za neco Byt ocenen necim nekym

Letos se nam podarilo byt oceneni prestizni cenou EFFE.

This year we have been awarded the prestigious EFFE award.

EFFE awarded us a prestigious prize.

[This year we have been rewarded with a big bonus.]

Edinburgh like:

Marlborough

Marlboro

Magic Chart of Verb Collocations ©

Gerund or infinitive after a modal verb???? 6 Categories:

I. Use gerund or infinitive, don't worry about it:Like, begin, start, continue, propose

II. Use just infinitive with to:

Attempt, deserve, expect, threaten, neglect, manage, fail

III. Use someone (4.pád) plus infinitive with to:
Beg, dare, encourage, invite, persuade,
convince, urge, challenge, allow, permit, force,
oblige

IV. Use someone plus infinitive WITHOUT to:

Let, make, help

V. Use only gerund (-ing)

Avoid, detest, imagine, keep on, mind, miss, put off, risk

VI. Use gerund OR infinitive, BUT the meaning is different!!!!

Go on, remember, stop, try

[Hate, regret]

11.11.15 pronunciation practice with annoying people.

Is, was, has, does, says, gives, shows,

As, because

Always, sometimes, at times

His

Yours, hers, ours, theirs

Those/these

Katka's annoying person ②:

This person is really arrogant and stupid. He cannot value my work even when I do more for him than I should. I would like t' kick him in the balls/nuts.

Iva's annoying person:

Someone who is sometimes really annoying me is my roommate. First of all, I would like to say that she's really nice sometimes. BUT! In our digs we've got some basic rules: for example,

don't interrupt other roommates with loud noises, don't leave your dirty dishes on the table. She always ignores that and she tries to make slaves out of us.

So far

Adjectives with numbers!

He has lived for 30 years. The number is a noun

He is a 30-year-old man. The number is an adjective

Adrian is 6 feet 2 inches tall.

Adrian is a 6-foot-2-inch-tall man.

The Czechoslovak government announced a new five-year plan

Michal bought a new phone for 30000 crowns. He has a 30,000-crown phone.

I don't like the type of person who tries to be funny at every moment.

18.11.15

Muzeme navstivit divadlo v patek.

Mame moznost navstivit divadlo v patek.

We can attend the theatre on Fri. ©
We have the possibility of attending the theatre

on Fri. 🕲

Because the expert is emphatically present, the performance will be more dynamic and more visually attractive, and will have other/further things that we appreciate in interpretive theater.

The level of the strong presentness of the "expert" is thus accentuated and the performance as a whole gains stonger

dynamism, visual attractivity and other parameters we normally value in a good interpretative theater.

Rovina silné prézentnosti "experta" je tak ohraničena a akcentována, celek inscenace naopak získává výraznější dynamiku, vizuální atraktivitu a další parametry, které oceňujeme u kvalitního interpretačního divadla.