

Stressing what you want to say



- Add extra stress (Betonung) to these sentences.
- Have a look at the **example in the first line** of the table to understand how to do the exercise.

Unstressed sentence		Sentence with extra stress added.
Example I need a hot shower now.		Example I really need a hot shower now. OR What I need now is a hot shower.
1 I think that Cary likes Tom a lot.	1	I think that Cary does like Tom a lot. OR I think that Cary really likes Tom a lot.
2 [annoyed]: You always take my mp3-player.	2	You' re always taking my mp3-player.
3 Sarah, not Tom broke the window.	3	It was Sarah, not Tom, who broke the window
4 Please come on Saturday.	4	Please do come on Saturday.
5 Teacher: You haven't done your HW. ► Ted: Yes, I did it.	5	... ► Ted: Yes, I did do it.
6 ► I'm useless with computers. I can't even send an e-mail.	6	► I'm absolutely useless with computers.
7 You don't need make-up. ► You need some sleep.	7	You don't need make-up. ► What you need is some sleep.
8 I'm really tired of this: ► You never clean up after you.	8	... ► You' re never cleaning up after you.
9 A: I can't believe she said that. ► B: Yes, she said it.	9	... ► B: Yes, she did say it.
10 We met on Tuesday, not on Wednesday.	10	It was on Tuesday that we met (not on Wednesday).

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