

OH, PERFIDIOUS ALBION !

Pay attention to **BE CAREFUL OF** these false friends in English!

“**Pourquoi faire simple quand on peut faire compliqué?**” This could be an English proverb it seems! False friends certainly don't make speaking English simple. To help you navigate the troubled waters of English, here's a list of my 15 favorite mistakes, collected during my 10 years of working with French professionals just like you.

False friends you may have already met :)	Your true English friends
At work, we have the opportunity to do English formation .	At work, have the opportunity to do English training .
Last year, our benefits increased, despite the crisis.	Last year, our profits increased, despite the crisis.
I like to profit from the weekend to do sports and relax.	I like to take advantage of the weekend to do sports and relax.
Our company offers a lot of advantages : discounted activities and a free cafeteria.	Our company offers a lot of benefits like discounted activities and a free cafeteria.
We realized two important projects last year.	We did two important projects last year.
We have factories implanted in 5 countries.	We have factories present in 5 countries.
It's a big investissement to create a new product.	It's a big investment to create a new product.
In our market, there's a lot of concurrence .	In our market, there's a lot of competition .
Our society is one of the biggest in Grenoble.	Our company is one of the biggest in Grenoble.
It's our politic to encourage employee initiative.	It's our policy to encourage employee initiative.
When I was a student, I did a stage in Ireland.	When I was a student, I did an internship in Ireland.
I'll send you some more information eventually .	I'll send you some more information if you need it .
I've been in my actual job for 6 years now.	I've been in my current job for 6 years now.
You didn't send me the good file.	You didn't send me the right file.
I'm always working on it, but it'll be finished tomorrow.	I'm still working on it, but it'll be finished tomorrow.

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