



LANGUAGE  
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# Quizlet in ESP courses

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## Outline

- Quizlet.com
- my ESP courses
- using Quizlet in the courses
- final inspiration with apps

## Masaryk University Language Centre

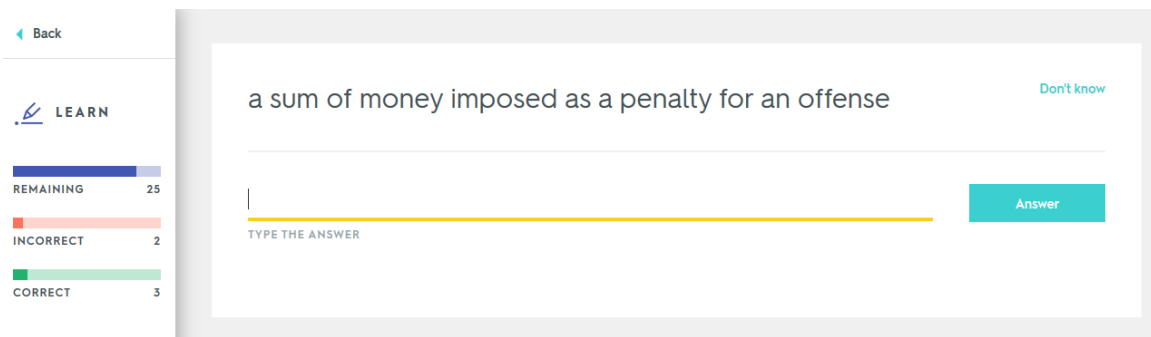
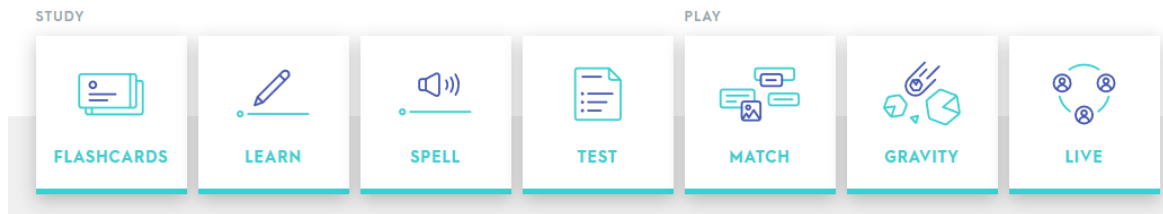
- university unit, departments at 9 faculties
- English, German, French, Spanish, Russian, Czech for foreigners, Latin
- Courses:
  - faculty specific:
    - Language for Academic Purposes
    - Language for Specific Purposes, e.g. **English for Lawyers**, Business English, Medical English, IT English, **English for Mathematicians...**
  - university courses:
    - Presentation skills, academic writing, English Autonomously ...



## Quizlet.com

- „flash-card“ application (online, mobile)
- various options – wordlists, games, ...
- feedback – progress, statistics
- import, export

# Quizlet – individual work

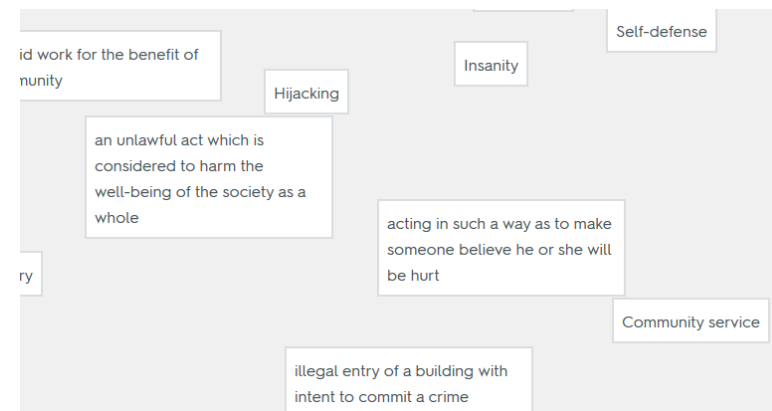


3. being forced to commit a crime because of threats that you or someone else will be harmed if you do not

- Fine
- Duress
- Parole
- Theft

4. defendant can avoid guilt for injuring someone if he can convince the court that the force he used was reasonable to protect himself

- Life sentence
- Self-defense
- Fine
- Duress





## Quizlet – team work

STUDENTS, GO TO:

**quizlet.live**

JOIN CODE:

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**Waiting for 4+ students**

Click a name to remove a student

John  
Anna

# Quizlet – statistics

SHOW STUDY DATA FOR All students IN THE past year (6/5/16-6/5/17)

**Sometimes Missed** Students get these terms right **25%-75%** of the time ☆ Select these 54

<b>31%</b>	an accessory to a crime	spolupachatel trestného činu	☆ 🔊 ✎
<b>32%</b>	to be deprived of	být zbaven (něčeho)	☆ 🔊 ✎
<b>34%</b>	for the benefit to the community	ve prospěch společnosti	☆ 🔊 ✎
<b>35%</b>	to entertain	vzít v úvahu	☆ 🔊 ✎
<b>38%</b>	to be excused for committing the crime	být ospravedlněn ze spáchání trestného činu	☆ 🔊 ✎
<b>40%</b>	grievous bodily harm	těžké ublížení na zdraví	☆ 🔊 ✎

## Quizlet application – studies (undergraduates)

- Barr 2016: learners using Quizlet performed better than non-users on tests recycling content
- Stroud 2014: Quizlet can increase the behavioural, cognitive and emotional engagement and has the potential of creating effective vocabulary learning environment
- Phi et al 2015, business English: participants are quite motivated to learn the English vocabulary on Quizlet.com as they consider it essential and beneficial



# Quizlet “Example sentences”

## Criminal Law with EXAMPLE SENTENCES

added to English for Lawyers 2nd semester 2017



STUDY

PLAY

FLASHCARDS	LEARN	SPELL	TEST	MATCH	GRAVITY	LIVE
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SORT

Alphabetical

<p>an accessory to a crime Example sentence: She was charged as an accessory to murder.</p>	<p>spolupachatel trestného činu</p>	<p>☆ 🔊 ✎</p>
<p>accident Example sentence: Investigators are still trying to determine the cause of the accident.</p>	<p>nehoda</p>	<p>☆ 🔊 ✎</p>
<p>aggravating circumstances Example sentence: The driver drove away from the accident, this act will be an aggravating circumstance in court.</p>	<p>přitěžující okolnosti</p>	<p>☆ 🔊 ✎</p>
<p>aiding and abetting Example sentence: aiding and abetting is a legal doctrine related to the guilt of</p>	<p>napomáhání trestnému činu</p>	<p>☆ 🔊 ✎</p>

## English for mathematicians

- 2- semester optional course, B1+ (Bachelor's)
- 2-semester optional course, B2 (Master's)
- topic based syllabus
- interactive seminars: topics, vocabulary building (Quizlet Live), explanations (tutorials), presentations, ...
- out-of-class: intentional vocabulary building, video task, ...



# English for mathematicians

English for Mathematicians ...

- pokus
- TOLES Brno
- Create a class

## YOUR FOLDERS

- zaloha
- 2nd semester
- 1st semester
- TOLES
- 3rd semester
- Create a folder

## QUIZLET NEWS

IN OCTOBER 2017

8 terms | sbilova | English for Mathematicians 1st semester

**Irregular plurals - maths (students)**



IN SEPTEMBER 2017

53 terms | sbilova | English for Mathematicians 1st semester

**Mathematical terms - definitions (students)**



23 terms | sbilova | English for Mathematicians 1st semester

**Reading aloud mathematical operations (students)**



114 terms | sbilova | English for Mathematicians 1st semester

**Mathematical vocabulary I - translation (students)**



52 terms | sbilova | English for Mathematicians 1st semester

**Mathematical symbols (students)**





**Thank you for listening  
and maybe sharing your  
experience ...**



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