

THE LONDON PROPERTY MARKET

(intonation or « sentence stress »)

1) Highlight the keywords in the sentences and translate them into French (no automatic translator allowed!!!!)

2) Listen and underline the stressed words

1) (with the average) London house prices smashing through the £400,000 barrier, the pressure for people to get a foot on the property ladder before it's too late has never been so intense.

2) But as those competing with thousands of others in the same boat, first-time buyers are also having to contend with cash-rich foreign investors.

3) In this cut-throat marketplace, who's going to come out on top?