

CLAN Check Examples

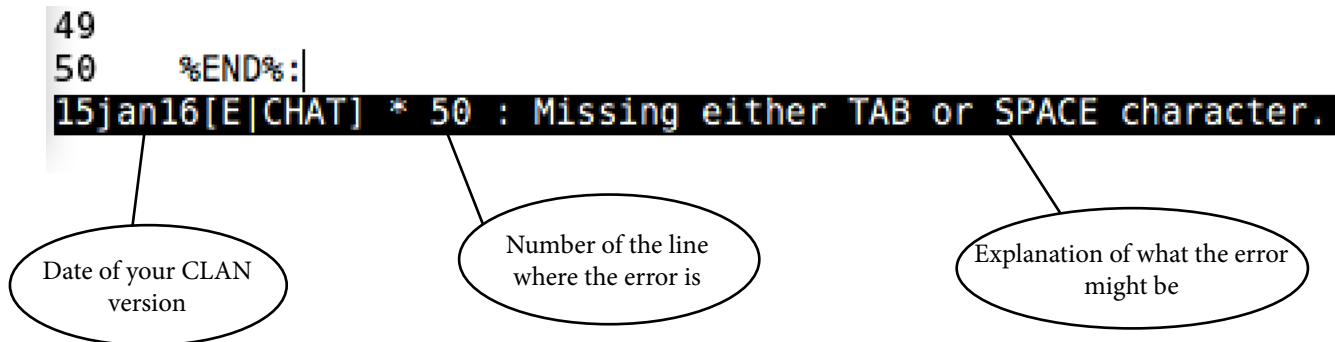
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How to use 'CHECK'

You can check your transcript for errors if you press “esc + L”. Then CLAN will show an error message at the bottom of the window (like the one below). You have to fix the error and press “esc + L” again to find the next error. Once you fixed all errors, the error message will say “Success no errors found”.

How to read the error messages:



Example 1 - Missing either TAB or SPACE character

The error message is: “Missing either TAB or SPACE character”. The actual problem is that the header tier is written wrong (%END%). It should be written: “@End”, and it should not be followed by a tab or space or anything else.

Problem

```
45 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do
46     if r hes gonna be xx 1 •
47 *YEL: loh if uses a save (.) and he is saved does he
48 *LEF: yea::h (0.2) saves on the back •
49
50 %END%:|
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 50 : Missing either TAB or SPACE character.
```

Solution

```
46     if r hes gonna be
47 *YEL: loh if uses a s
48 *LEF: yea::h (0.2) saves
49
50 @End
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 50
```

Example 2 - Illegal role

The error message is: “Illegal role. Please see “depfile.cut” for list of roles.”. The problem here is that the role “Student” is written with a lower case “s” instead of an upper case “S”.

Problem

```
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 student, UK unidentified student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh r who do i choose 1 •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 4 : Illegal role. Please see "depfile.cut" for list of roles.
```

Solution

```
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「 choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」 •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 4
```

Problem

```
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「 choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」 •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 4 : Illegal role. Please see "depfile.cut" for list of roles.
```

Solution

```
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「 choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」 •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 4
```

Example 3 - Click here when ready to continue

The error message is: “Click here when ready to continue”. The problem here is that the program wants you to add/change participants via “Tiers” --> “ID headers”. You don’t have to worry about it. The program adds and changes the ID headers automatically. Just click on “Click here when ready to continue”.

Problem



Solution

```
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: en|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: en|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: en|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: en|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: en|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「 choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」 •
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hh hh ha ha h •
```

Example 4 - Please use “eng” language code instead

The error message is: “Please use “eng” language code instead”. The problem here is that the language code is written wrong. The wrong code is “en” and the right code is “eng”.

Problem

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: en
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: en|change_me_later|GIR||||Student||
7 @ID: en|change_me_later|LEF||||Student||
8 @ID: en|change_me_later|RIG||||Student||
9 @ID: en|change_me_later|YEL||||Student||
10 @ID: en|change_me_later|UKN||||Student||
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「choo:se 1」
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 2 : Please use "eng" language code instead.
```

Solution

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: en|change_me_later|GIR||||Student||
7 @ID: en|change_me_later|LEF||||Student||
8 @ID: en|change_me_later|RIG||||Student||
9 @ID: en|change_me_later|YEL||||Student||
10 @ID: en|change_me_later|UKN||||Student||
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「choo:se 1」
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 14
```

Example 4.1 - Language on @ID tier does not match anything on @Languages tier

The error message is: “Language on @ID tier does not match anything on @Languages tier”. The problem here is that the @Languages tier was changed to something different than written in the @ID tier (see problem above). The solution is to delete the @ID tiers and press “esc + L” again. Then the program will replace the wrong ID headers with the right ones.

Problem


```
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: en|change_me_later|GIR||||Student||
7 @ID: en|change_me_later|LEF||||Student||
8 @ID: en|change_me_later|RIG||||Student||
9 @ID: en|change_me_later|YEL||||Student||
10 @ID: en|change_me_later|UKN||||Student||
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: 「choo:se 1」
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 6 : Language on @ID tier does not match anything on @Languages: tier.
```

Solution

```
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6
7 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
8 *GIR: 「choo:se 1」
9 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh 「who do i choose」
10 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hh hh ha ha h
11 (0.4)
12 *RTG: yeah 「you have to choose somebody has to have the right answer」
```

1. Remove the @ID headers
2. Press “esc + L”
3. Click “Click here when ready to continue”

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student
4 Student, UKN unidentified
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR||||Student||
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF||||Student||
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG||||Student||
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL||||Student||
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN||||Student||
11
12 @Media: Are You Smarter 3, video
```



Example 5 - Utterance delimiter must be at the end of the utterance

The error message is: “Utterance delimiter must be at the end of the utterance”. The problem here is that there is a period in front of the “h” instead of the special character for inhalation. The solution is to replace the period with the special character for inhalation.

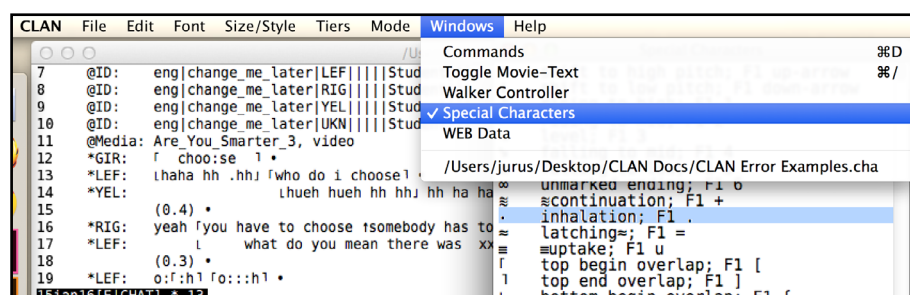
Problem

```

11 @ID: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh [who do i choose1 •
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose tsomebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF: L what do you mean there was xx J •
18 (0.3) •
19 *LEF: o:f:h1 [o:::h1 •
15]an16[E[CHAT] * 13 : Utterance delimiter must be at the end of the utterance.

```

Solution



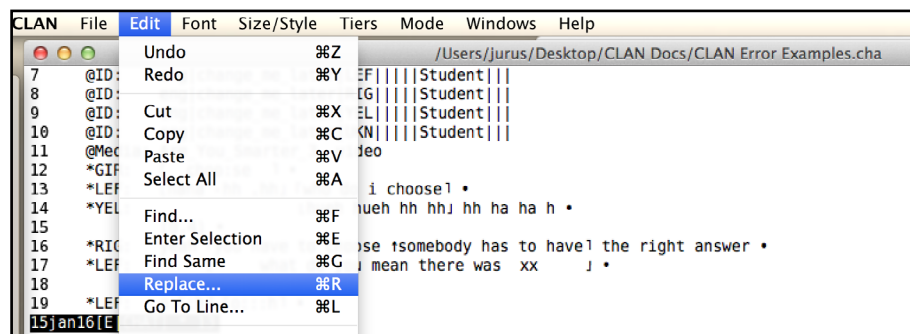
The screenshot shows the CLAN software interface. The 'Windows' menu is open, and 'Special Characters' is selected. The list of special characters includes 'unmarked ending; F1', 'continuation; F1 +', 'inhalation; F1', 'latching; F1 =', 'uptake; F1 u', 'top begin overlap; F1 [', 'top end overlap; F1]', and 'bottom begin overlap; F1 {'. The 'inhalation; F1' character is highlighted.

1. Remove the period in front of the “h”
2. Go to “Windows” and “Special Characters”
3. Double click “inhalation”
4. Select and copy the special character
5. Go to “Edit” and “Replace”
6. Enter a period in “Replace”
7. Paste the special character for inhalation in “with”
8. Click “Replace” to replace the periods in front of the “h”
9. Be careful not to replace the periods in the pauses!

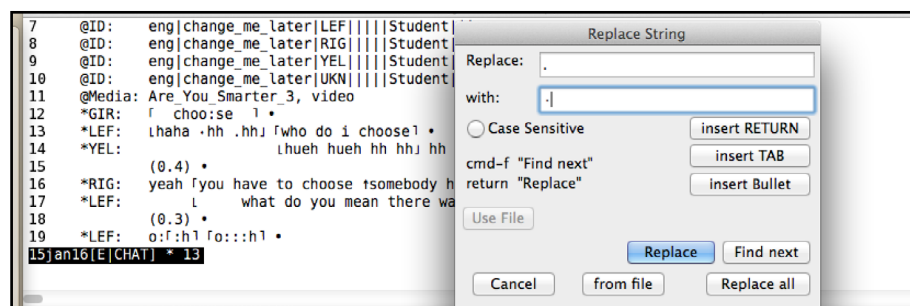
```

10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh [who do i choose1 •
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose tsomebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF: L what do you mean there was xx J •
18 (0.3) •
19 *LEF: o:f:h1 [o:::h1 •

```



The screenshot shows the CLAN software interface. The 'Edit' menu is open, and 'Replace...' is selected. The 'Replace...' option is highlighted in the menu.



The screenshot shows the 'Replace String' dialog box. The 'Replace' field contains a period (.), and the 'with' field contains the inhalation special character (F1). The 'Case Sensitive' checkbox is unchecked. The 'cmd-f "Find next"' button is selected. The 'Replace' button is highlighted.

```

10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh [who do i choose1 •
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose tsomebody has to have]

```

Example 6 - Item 'xx' is illegal

The error message is: “Item ‘xx’ is illegal”. “xxx” can be used to replace unintelligible words. The problem here is that there are only 2 x’s instead of 3. The solution is to use 3 x’s for every word that is unintelligible.

Problem

```
13 *LEF:  [haha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •
14 *YEL:  [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15        (0.4) •
16 *RIG:  yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF:  L    what do you mean there was  xx    ] •
18        (0.3) •
19 *LEF:  o:[h] [o::h] •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 17 : Item 'xx' is illegal.
```

Solution

```
12 *GIR:  [ choo:se ] •
13 *LEF:  [haha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •
14 *YEL:  [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15        (0.4) •
16 *RIG:  yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF:  L    what do you mean there was  xxx    ] •
18        (0.3) •
19 *LEF:  o:[h] [o::h] •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 17
```

1. Replace the “xx” with “xxx”.

Example 7 - Tier is not declared in depfile file

The error message is: “Tier is not declared in depfile file”. The problem here is that the dependent tier is written in capital letters, when it should be written in lower case letters: “%com:.”

Problem

```
23 *LEF:  L    @you@    ] •
24        (0.3) •
25 %COM:  Three boys laughing hysterically •
26        (0.4) •
27 *YEL:  .hh d- hh variable≈ •
28 *LEF:  ≈alright •
29 *GIR:  [oh he saved you so you get a thousand dollars] •
30 *YEL:  L    hueh hueh huhh hh    hh hh hh hh hh    ] •
31 *GIR:  @i knew it@ but i couldn't remember it too quickly so i put ex hh
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 25 : Tier is not declared in depfile file.
```

Solution

```
22 *YEL:  [right] •
23 *LEF:  L    @you@    ] •
24        (0.3) •
25 %com:  Three boys laughing hysterically •
26        (0.4) •
27 *YEL:  .hh d- hh variable≈ •
28 *LEF:  ≈alright •
29 *GIR:  [oh he saved you so you get a thousand dollars] •
30 *YEL:  L    hueh hueh huhh hh    hh hh hh hh hh    ] •
31 *GIR:  @i knew it@ but i couldn't remember it too quickly so i put ex hh
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 25
```

1. Replace “%COM:.” with %com:.

Example 8 - This item must be followed by SPACE or end-of-line

The error message is: “This item must be followed by SPACE or end-of-line”. The problem here is that the special character for latching needs to be followed by a space in the second line.

Problem

```
24        (0.3) •
25 %com:  Three boys laughing hysterically •
26        (0.4) •
27 *YEL:  .hh d- hh variable≈ •
28 *LEF:  ≈alright •
29 *GIR:  [oh he saved you so you get a thousand dollars] •
30 *YEL:  L    hueh hueh huhh hh    hh hh hh hh hh    ] •
31 *GIR:  @i knew it@ but i couldn't remember it too quickly so i put ex hh
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 28 : This item must be followed by SPACE or end-of-line.
```

Solution

```
24      (0.3) •
25 %com: Three boys laughing hysterically •
26      (0.4) •
27 *YEL: .hh d- hh variable≈ •
28 *LEF: ≈ alright •
29 *GIR: 「oh he saved you so you get a thousand dollars」 •
30 *YEL: L hueh hueh huhh hh hh hh hh hh hh J •
31 *GIR: ei knew ite but i couldn't remember it too quickly so i put ex hh
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 28
```

1. Make a space after the special character for latching

Example 9 - Blank lines are not allowed

The error message is: “Blank lines are not allowed”. The problem here is that there is a blank line above @End. Solution: Remove the blank line.

Problem

```
51      if 「hes gonna be xxx」 •
52 *YEL:      loh if uses a save」 (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
53 *LEF: yea::h (0.2) saves on the back •
54 |
55 @End
56
57
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 54 : Blank lines are not allowed.
```

Solution

```
52 *YEL:      loh if uses a save」 (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
53 *LEF: yea::h (0.2) saves on the back •
54 @End
55
56
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 53
```

Example 10 - Unmatched (found in the word

The error message is: “Unmatched (found in the word”. The problem here is that there is a second bracket missing to indicate the pause. Solution: Add the second bracket.

Problem

```
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0.5 •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait 「what is it (.) do you keep」 going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh」 •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if 「hes gonna be xxx」 •
52 *YEL:      loh if uses a save」 (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 45 : Unmatched ( found in the word.
```

Solution

```
42 *LEF: xxxxx •
43      (1.4) •
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0.5) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait 「what is it (.) do you keep」 going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh」 •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if 「hes gonna be xxx」 •
```

1. Add the second bracket to the pause: (0.5)

Example 10.1 - Unmatched (found in the word

The error message is: “Unmatched (found in the word”. The problem here is that there is a space between the number and the second brackce. Solution: Remove the space

Problem

```
43      (1.4) •
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0.5 ) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if [ hes gonna be xxx ] •
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
15]an16[E[CHAT] * 45 : Unmatched ( found in the word.
```

Solution

```
42 *LEF: xxxxx •
43      (1.4) •
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0.5) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if [ hes gonna be xxx ] •
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
```

1. Remove the space

Example 10.2 - Unmatched (found in the word

The error message is: “Unmatched (found in the word”. The problem here is that there is a comma instead of a period between the numbers. Solution: Replace the comma with a period.

Problem

```
43      (1.4) •
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0,5) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if [ hes gonna be xxx ] •
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
15]an16[E[CHAT] * 45 : Unmatched ( found in the word.
```

Solution

```
42 *LEF: xxxxx •
43      (1.4) •
44 *LEF: hh hh hh •
45      (0.5) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard# •
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if [ hes gonna be xxx ] •
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
```

1. Replace the comma with a period

Example 11 - This character must be used in pairs

The error message is: “This character must be used in pairs. See if any are unmatched.”. The problem here is that the double questionmark character needs to be used at the beginning and the end of an unclear utterance. Solution: Add the special character at the end of the unclear utterance.

Problem

```
45      (0.5) •
46 *LEF: #game is hard •
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# •
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] •
49 *RIG: °six seven eight° •
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51      if [ hes gonna be xxx ] •
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going •
15]an16[E[CHAT] * 46 : This character must be used in pairs. See if any are unmatched.
```

Solution

```
42 *LEF: XXXXX *
43 (1.4) *
44 *LEF: hh hh hh *
45 (0.5) *
46 *LEF: #game is hard# *
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# *
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] *
49 *RIG: ^six seven eight^ *
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51 if [ hes gonna be xxx ] *
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going *
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 46
```

1. Add the special character at the end of the unclear utterance.

Example 12 - Expected characters are: @ % * TAB SPACE

The error message is: “Expected characters are: @ % * TAB SPACE”. The problem here is that the speaker tier misses the asterisk “*”. Solution: Add the asterisk “*” in front of the speaker abbreviation.

Problem

```
46 *LEF: #game is hard# *
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# *
48 YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] *
49 *RIG: ^six seven eight^ *
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51 if [ hes gonna be xxx ] *
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going *
53 *LEF: yea:h (0.2) saves on the back *
54 @End
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 48 : Expected characters are: @ % * TAB SPACE.
```

Solution

```
44 *LEF: hh hh hh *
45 (0.5) *
46 *LEF: #game is hard# *
47 *GIR: oh wait [what is it (.) do you keep] going# *
48 *YEL: L hhhh hh hh hh] *
49 *RIG: ^six seven eight^ *
50 *GIR: wait wait wait we didnt check that if he if you do keep going
51 if [ hes gonna be xxx ] *
52 *YEL: loh if uses a save] (.) and he is saved does he keep going *
```

1. Add the asterisk “*” in front of the speaker abbreviation.

Example 13 - Use TAB character instead of space character after Tier name

The error message is: “Use TAB character instead of space character after Tier name”. The problem here is that there is a space where there should be a TAB. Solution: Replace the space with a TAB

Problem

```
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se ] *
13 *LEF: [haha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] *
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h *
15 (0.4) *
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer *
17 *LEF: L what do you mean there was xxx ] *
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 11 : Use TAB character instead of space character after Tier name.
```

Solution

```
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se ] *
13 *LEF: [haha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] *
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h *
15 (0.4) *
```

1. Replace the space with a TAB

Example 14 - “@Participants:” tier is expected here

The error message is: ““@Participants:” tier is expected here”. The problem here is that Participants is written in singular instead of plural. Solutions: Write “@Paricipants:” instead of “@Participant:”

Problem

```
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participant: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se 1
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh|who do i choose|
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 3 : "@Participants:" tier is expected here.
```

Solution

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
```

1. Write “@Paricipants:” instead of “@Participant:”

Example 15 - Illegal keyword, use ‘audio’, ‘video’ or look in depfile.cut

The error message is: ““Illegal keyword, use ‘audio’, ‘video’ or look in depfile.cut”. The problem here is that the media file name has spaces. If the media file name has spaces, CLAN can’t process it. Solution: Replace the spaces with ‘-’ or ‘_’ in the @Media line and in the actual file name.

Problem

```
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are You Smarter 3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se 1
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh|who do i choose|
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 11 : Illegal keyword, use "audio", "video" or look in depfile.cut.
```

Solution

```
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se 1
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh|who do i choose|
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 11
```

1. Replace the spaces with ‘-’ or ‘_’ in the @Media line and in the actual file name.

Example 16 - Speaker is not specified in a participants list

The error message is: ““Speaker is not specified in a participants list”. The problem here is that there is a comma missing between two speakers. Solution: Add a comma between “Student” and “LEF”

Problem

```
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se 1
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh|who do i choose|
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 7 : Speaker is not specified in a participants list.
```


Solution

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
```

1. Add a comma between “Student” and “LEF”

Example 17 - Illegal character ‘Tab’ found after Tier name

The error message is: “Illegal character ‘Tab’ found after Tier name. If it CA, then add ‘@Options: CA’”. The problem here is that there is a colon ‘:’ missing in the @Languages tier. Solution: Add a ‘:’ after @Languages

Problem

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se l •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hhj rwho do i choose l •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 2 : Illegal character 'Tab' found after Tier name. If it CA, then add "@Options: CA"
```

Solution

```
1 @Begin
2 @Languages: eng
3 @Participants: GIR Girl Student, LEF Boy Student, RIG Boy Student, YEL Boy
4 Student, UKN unidentified Student
5 @Options: CA
6 @ID: eng|change_me_later|GIR|Student|
7 @ID: eng|change_me_later|LEF|Student|
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
```

1. Add a ‘:’ after @Languages

Example 18 - Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet

The error message is: “Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet”. The problem here is that there is a character in the bullet that shouldn’t be there. Solution: Open the bullet by pressing ‘esc + a’, then remove the extra character.

Problem

```
12 *GIR: r choo:se l •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hhj rwho do i choose l •
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hhj hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah ryou have to choose tsomebody has to have l the right answer •
17 *LEF: l what do you mean there was xxx J •
18 (0.3) •
19 *LEF: o:r:h l o:::h l •
20 *RIG: lright J •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 14 : Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet.
```

Solution

```
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se l •992_2112•
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hhj rwho do i choose l •992_3104•
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hhj hh ha ha h •2082_3424a•
15 (0.4) •3419_3835•
16 *RIG: yeah ryou have to choose tsomebody has to have l the right answer •3829_6411•
17 *LEF: l what do you mean there was xxx J •3941_5584•
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•

11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: r choo:se l •992_2112•
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hhj rwho do i choose l •992_3104•
14 *YEL: lhueh hueh hh hhj hh ha ha h •2082_3424•
15 (0.4) •3419_3835•
16 *RIG: yeah ryou have to choose tsomebody has to have l the right answer •3829_6411•
17 *LEF: l what do you mean there was xxx J •3941_5584•
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
```

1. Open the bullet by pressing ‘esc + a’
2. Then remove the extra character

Example 19 - Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet

The error message is: “Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet”. The problem here is that there is a character in the bullet that shouldn’t be there. Solution: Open the bullet by pressing ‘esc + a’, then remove the extra character.

Problem

```
12 *GIR: [ choo:se l •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF: [ what do you mean there was xxx ] •
18 (0.3) •
19 *LEF: o:[h] [o::h] •
20 *RIG: [right] •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 14 : Missing or extra or wrong characters found in bullet.
```

Solution

```
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se l •992_2112•
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •992_3104•
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •2082_3424a•
15 (0.4) •3419_3835•
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •3829_6411•
17 *LEF: [ what do you mean there was xxx ] •3941_5584•
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
```

1. Open the bullet by pressing ‘esc + a’
2. Then remove the extra character

Example 20 - Current BEG time is smaller than previous’ tier BEG time

The error message is: “Current BEG time is smaller than previous’ tier BEG time”. The problem here is that the beginning time of the bullet is smaller than the beginning time of the bullet before. Solution: Retime the bullet to the right time.

Problem

```
12 *GIR: [ choo:se l •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •
15 (0.4) •
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •
17 *LEF: [ what do you mean there was xxx ] •
18 (0.3) •
19 *LEF: o:[h] [o::h] •
20 *RIG: [right] •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 14 : Current BEG time is smaller than previous' tier BEG time.
```

Solution

```
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se l •992_2112•
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •992_3104•
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •800_3424•
15 (0.4) •3419_3835•
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •3829_6411•
17 *LEF: [ what do you mean there was xxx ] •3941_5584•
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
19 *LEF: o:[h] [o::h] •6645_8107•
20 *RIG: [right] •6720_7131•

10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: [ choo:se l •992_2112•
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] [who do i choose] •992_3104•
14 *YEL: [hueh hueh hh hh] hh ha ha h •2504_3424•
15 (0.4) •3419_3835•
16 *RIG: yeah [you have to choose [somebody has to have] the right answer •3829_6411•
17 *LEF: [ what do you mean there was xxx ] •3941_5584•
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
```

1. Retime the bullet to the right time.

Example 21 - BEG time is smaller than same speaker’s previous END time by 90871 msec

The error message is: “BEG time is smaller than same speaker’s previous END time by 90871 msec”. The problem here is that the beginning time of the bullet is smaller than the end time of the same speaker before. Solution: Retime the bullet to the right time.

Problem

```
22 *YEL: [right] •
23 *LEF: [ you ] •
24 (0.3) •
25 %com: Three boys laughing hysterically •
26 (0.4) •
27 *YEL: .hh d- hh variable= •
28 *LEF: ~ alright •
29 *GIR: [oh he saved you so you get a thousand dollars] •
15jan16[E|CHAT] * 24 : BEG time is smaller than same speaker's previous END time by 90871 msec.
```

Solution

```
18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
19 *LEF: o:[:h] fo::h] •6645_8107•
20 *RIG: lright] •6720_7131•
21 *GIR: lyeah i lthink] you have to lyou have t-1 •7344_9136•
22 *YEL: lright] •7776_8171•
23 *LEF: l @you@ ] •8651_99999•
24 (0.3) •9128_9469•
25 %com: Three boys laughing hysterically •9469_13981•
26 (0.4) •13929_14297•

18 (0.3) •6347_6651•
19 *LEF: o:[:h] fo::h] •6645_8107•
20 *RIG: lright] •6720_7131•
21 *GIR: lyeah i lthink] you have to lyou have t-1 •7344_9136•
22 *YEL: lright] •7776_8171•
23 *LEF: l @you@ ] •8651_9131•
24 (0.3) •9128_9469•
25 %com: Three boys laughing hysterically •9469_13981•
26 (0.4) •13929_14297•
```

1. Retime the bullet to the right time.

Example 22 - Success! No errors found.

You're all done. Just remember to save the transcript!

No more problems!

```
8 @ID: eng|change_me_later|RIG|Student|
9 @ID: eng|change_me_later|YEL|Student|
10 @ID: eng|change_me_later|UKN|Student|
11 @Media: Are_You_Smarter_3, video
12 *GIR: l choo:se 1 •
13 *LEF: lhaha .hh .hh] lwho do i choose1 •
15jan16[E[CHAT] * 10 : Success! No errors found.
```