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Complete Guide to English! A User-Friendly Manual



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This book constitutes a complete guide to English grammar and how it is used in common conversations. It shows how the parts of English grammar fit together to produce a simple system that can be used to make communication effective and meaningful. It is intended for both native speakers of the language and those who are studying it as a foreign or second language. It takes nothing for granted and explains everything in the simplest terms possible.

With hundreds of practical exercises, the book can be used as a textbook for classroom usage, as a self-study manual, or as a reference manual of English grammar, since it contains a complete description of the language. Answers to all exercises are found at the back, as is a grammar glossary and a list of irregular verbs. This manual has in it all that someone will probably need to gain proficiency in the English language.

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Arabic Pronunciation & Accents

Geo-social Applications of the Natural Phonetics & Tonetics Method

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The principles of Natural Phonetics & Tonetics are applied to fully describe the pronunciation of Arabic, including intonation, in a precise way never found in earlier treatises, not even by native phoneticians. It includes an introduction to the Natural Phonotactics Method, which can be used for any other language, as well (without the sadly known limitations of official IPA).

The vowels, consonants, structures, and intonation of Arabic are fully described and transcribed, with many examples of words, sentences, and conversations, in addition to the intonationally integrated IPA sample passage 'The North Wind and the Sun'.

Different types of Arabic pronunciation are described, including its mediatic and international variants. Other chapters provide 6 traditional dialects, 3 diachronic stages, 25 foreign accents of Arabic, 26 concise language phonopses for easier comparisons, and the typical pronunciation of Arabic by English-speaking people. A short but useful phono-dictionary is also given.

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Fundamentos para el análisis de las habilidades comunicativas orales del alumnado de Educación Infantil

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La monografía pretende satisfacer las necesidades del profesorado de educación inicial en formación a propósito de la identificación, la descripción y el análisis de los componentes comunicativos que emergen durante los primeros años. Con una intención clarificadora, tales habilidades se ordenan, al modo tradicional, en cuatro ámbitos: fonético-fonológico, morfosintáctico, léxico-semántico y pragmático-discursivo. A lo largo del texto, se exponen los conceptos elementales para su comprensión, se asocian categorías analíticas concretas, se propone el examen de muestras de habla infantil espontánea y se aportan instrumentos de evaluación.

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Ein Sprachdenkmal des mittelägyptischen (baschmurischen) Dialekts

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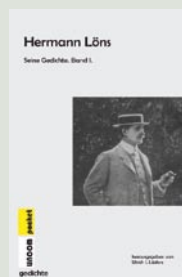
Die literarischen Denkmäler jenes mittelägyptischen Dialekts' der koptischen Sprache, der am reinsten und eigenartigsten im Fajum gesprochen worden ist und daher Fajumisch - früher fälschlich baschmurisch - genannt wird, sind von sehr geringem Umfang. Erst durch den Papyrusfund von El-Fajum gelang es, den Dialekt zu lokalisieren, der aber selbst in seinen wenigen Überresten noch immer Gruppen unterscheiden läßt, die sprachlich voneinander verschieden sind, insbesondere nach dem Gesichtspunkt, ob sie dem sahidischen Spracheinfluß näher stehen. (Re-edition. Originally published 1908 in Wien).

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Hermann Löns

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New Trends in the Psychology of Language

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The second volume of the Series Lincom Studies in Language Acquisition and Bilingualism "New Trends in the Psychology of Language" edited by Hristo Kyuchukov presents research findings in the field of applied linguistics. Juliana Stoyanova's paper is on acquisition of diminutives among Bulgarian monolingual children. The author investigated this issue for many years and she presents a coherent study how the Bulgarian children acquire this particular grammatical category form very early age. Hristo Kyuchukov, Jill de Villiers and Andrea Takahesu Tabori do a language assessment of preschool Roma children and show their research findings providing a new information about the knowledge of Roma children on some grammatical categories in the age of 3-6 years old. Beata M. Latawiec, Chris C. Latawiec and Barbara Bokus present research results from a study of teaching Polish as a L2 to adult speakers of Slavic languages in the USA context.

The paper of Katarzyna Jaworska, Agnieszka Szymanska, Marlena Bartszak and Barbara Bokus is focused on the metaphorical conceptualizations of the notions produced by adults, accounting their mood. Beata M. Latawiec discusses reading comprehension and metacognition as constructs, examines effective methods of teaching metacognitive strategies, as well as reviews evidence from a rich array of up-to-date school-based research and successful instructional paradigms in the English language context. Bill Templer's paper examines aspects of a key question in Bulgarian public education: rethinking and restructuring multicultural education through new experiments with robust bilingual education for ethnic minority pupils whose home language is not Bulgarian.

The volume could be useful for young researchers, scientist and anyone interested in the field of psychology of language.

Contents: Juliana Stoyanova: Diminutives, clusters and Prosodic Models in Bulgarian adult-child interaction - Hristo Kyuchukov, Jill de Villiers & Andrea Takahesu Tabori: Assessing Roma children in their native language of Romani - Beata M. Latawiec, Chris C. Latawiec & Barbara Bokus: Dynamic assesment of Pan-Slavic oral persuasion - Katarzyna Jaworska, Agnieszka Szymanska, Marlena Bartszak & Barbara Boku: Metaphorical conceptualization of notions: the role of mood - Beata M. Latawiec: Metacognition and a moving target of reading comprehension: effective instructional practices and paradigms - Bill Templer: Confronting linguisticism: rethinking multiculturalism and bilingual instruction in Bulgarian schools.

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