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COGNITIVE LINGUISTICS: BASIC CONCEPTS

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ABSTRACT

Cognitive linguistics outlooks linguistic cognition as indivisible from general cognition and therefore search for clarification of linguistic phenomena according to general cognitive strategies, such as metaphor, metonymy, and blending. Grammar and lexicon are considered as divisions of a continuum and accordingly predicted to be focus to the same cognitive strategies.

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