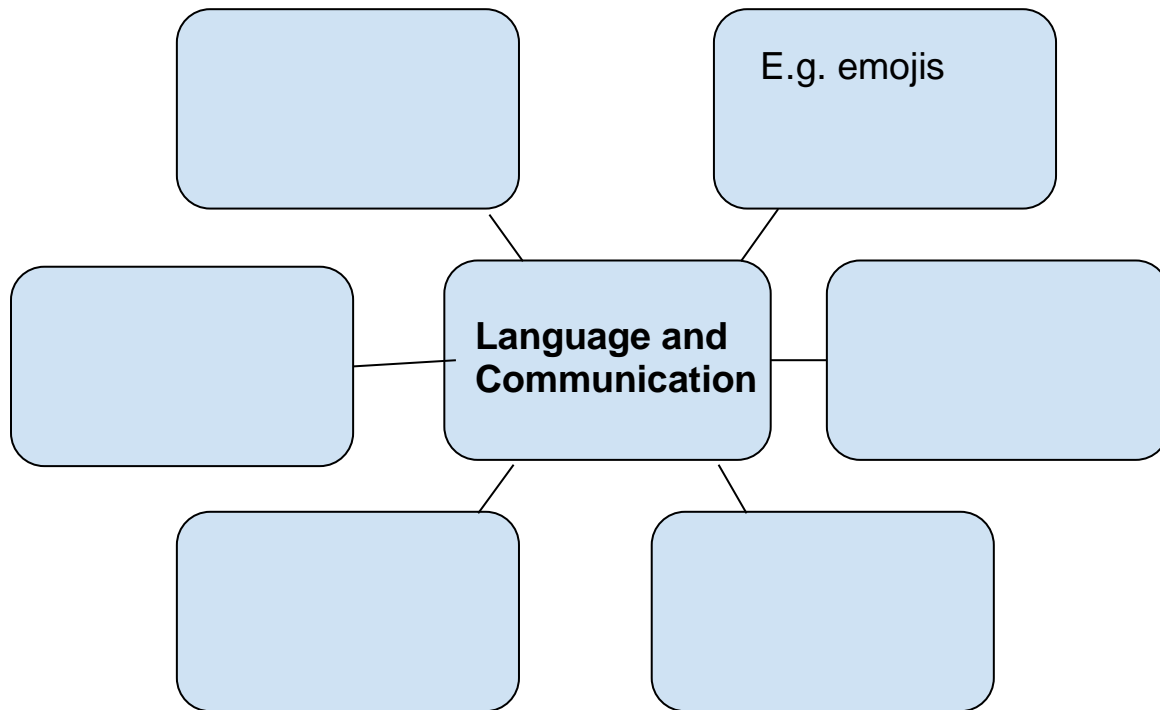


Worksheet 1.1: Introduction to Linguistics Worksheet (1/2)

Define what language is:

In pairs, discuss what types of 'language and communication' you can think of. What forms do they take? You can add in more boxes if needed.



What is linguistics?

Worksheet 1.1 Introduction to Linguistics (2/2)

Match up the descriptions to the areas of linguistics.

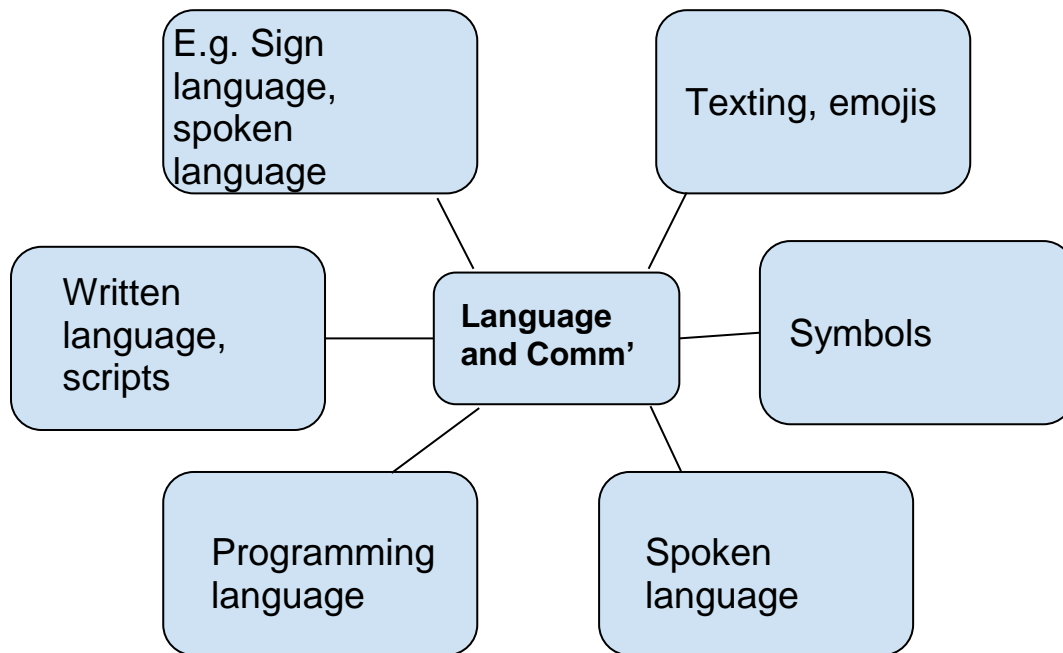
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| 1. Study of the meaning of words | a. Psycholinguistics |
| 2. Study of grammar | b. Phonetics |
| 3. Study of how babies learn language | c. Semantics |
| 4. Study of how to we learn another language | d. Neurolinguistics |
| 5. Study of language in context | e. Historical linguistics |
| 6. Study of the structure of words | f. Second language acquisition |
| 7. Study of language in society | g. First language acquisition |
| 8. Study of the sounds of language | h. Machine translation |
| 9. Study of language over time | i. Pragmatics |
| 10. Study of using a computer to translate from one language to another | j. Syntax |
| 11. Study of the psychological aspects of language | k. Sociolinguistics |
| 12. Study of language and brain structure | l. Morphology |

SOLUTION Worksheet 1.1. Introduction to Linguistics

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E.g. Human communication such as speech, writing, or gesture.

In pairs, discuss what types of 'language and communication' you can think of. What forms do they take? You can add in more boxes if needed.



What is linguistics?

The scientific study of language

Match up the descriptions to the areas of linguistics.

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