

## PHILOLOGY

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### **The heart and the soul as parts of men inner world in Russian, English and German idioms**

The names of body parts often have the same associations in different languages. Many researchers argue that in all the languages studied, the heart is associated with feelings, the head – with intelligence, the hand – with movements, the mouth and tongue – with speech. However, different nations interpret the names of body parts differently, as each nation has its own way of thinking and its own world perception. Of particular interest are phraseological units. Idioms are of great importance for intercultural communication, as they create barriers in communication between representatives of different nations and languages, correct perception and interpretation of statements.

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