

PHILOLOGY

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Lexical-semantic group “warrior” in German (diachronic aspect)

It is discussed the linguistic units that make up the lexical-semantic group "warrior" in the German language. Based on the analysis of lexicographic sources, the etymological analysis of these lexemes is carried out, which makes it possible to study the history of their appearance in the German language, as well as to describe the processes of further development of their meanings up to the present time. As a result of the study, the time and ways of the appearance of these lexical units were presented, the main directions of the development of their meaning were studied, such as narrowing, expansion, complete disappearance of the word, complete disappearance of the meaning of "warrior", limitation of use in modern language to a certain context.

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