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**THE ROLE OF FORMS OF ADDRESS IN SHAPING INTERPERSONAL
RELATIONSHIPS**

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Annotatsiya:

Mazkur maqolada murojaat shakllarining shaxslararo munosabatlarni shakllantirishdagi o'rni tahlil qilinadi. Ingliz tilidagi murojaat birliklarining pragmatik, sotsiolingvistik va madaniy xususiyatlari ko'rib chiqiladi. Shuningdek, badiiy asarlar va kundalik muloqotdan olingan misollar asosida murojaat shakllarining hurmat, yaqinlik, ijtimoiy masofa va kommunikativ samaradorlikni ifodalashdagi ahamiyati yoritiladi

Kalit so'zlar:

murojaat shakllari, pragmatika, sotsiolingvistika, shaxslararo munosabatlar, kommunikatsiya, ingliz tili.

Аннотация:

В данной статье анализируется роль форм обращения в формировании межличностных отношений. Рассматриваются прагматические, социолингвистические и культурные особенности единиц обращения в английском языке. Также на примерах из произведений искусства и повседневного общения подчеркивается важность форм обращения в выражении уважения, близости, социальной дистанции и эффективности коммуникации.

Ключевые слова:

формы обращения, прагматика, социолингвистика, межличностные отношения, коммуникация, английский язык.

Annotation:

This article analyzes the role of address forms in the formation of interpersonal relationships. The pragmatic, sociolinguistic and cultural characteristics of address units in the English language are considered. It also highlights the importance of address forms in expressing respect, intimacy, social distance and communicative effectiveness, based on examples from works of art and everyday communication.

Key words:

forms of address, pragmatics, sociolinguistics, interpersonal relationships, communication, English language

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Language is the most important means of communication between people. The forms of address used in the process of communication are of particular importance in expressing and regulating social relations between interlocutors. Forms of address are not only a means of information exchange, but also a pragmatic unit that expresses the relationship, respect, and closeness of people to each other. Therefore, in modern linguistics, forms of address are considered one of the important objects of research in sociolinguistics and pragmatics. [7: 25]

Address forms are one of the important pragmatic tools of language, which play an important role in expressing and regulating social, cultural and psychological relations between people. In each society, address forms are selected depending on the age, gender, social status, profession and degree of mutual closeness of the participants in the communication. Therefore, address forms serve not only as a means of exchanging information, but also as a factor that shapes and strengthens interpersonal relationships. First of all, address forms help to express respect and honor towards the interlocutor. For example, forms such as Sir, Madam, Mr., Mrs., Professor, Doctor in English indicate the level of formality and respect. The correct use of such forms contributes to the effective conduct of communication and the formation of mutual trust.

In addition, forms of address also determine the level of intimacy between people. While addressing people by first names or abbreviated forms of names among friends conveys intimacy, addressing people by last names or titles in formal situations helps maintain distance. For example, in English, although the forms John and Mr. Smith are used to refer to the same person, they reflect different levels of relationship.

Forms of address are chosen depending on the age, gender, social status, profession, and relationship between the participants in the conversation. Brown and Gilman (1960) associate forms of address with the concepts of power and solidarity. [3: 252–276] According to scholars, forms of address reflect the degree of social distance and closeness between people. For example, Mr. Darcy is a formal and respectful address. Darcy is an informal address. My dear Darcy is an address expressing closeness and sincerity.

Thus, the use of different forms of address to a person indicates a change in the nature of the relationship.

One of the main functions of forms of address is to show respect to the interlocutor. In English, forms such as Sir, Madam, Professor, Doctor are widely used in formal communication. Forms of address are also important as a means of social identification. They reflect a person's position in society, professional position or social role. For example, addresses such as Professor Brown or Captain Miller emphasize the status of the interlocutor and determine the attitude towards him. As a result, the participants in the communication adhere to certain social norms in their relationships. For example, "Yes, Sir," said the young man politely.»

This address expresses recognition of the high status of the interlocutor and showing respect to him.

Addresses also indicate the level of intimacy between people. Addressing someone by their first name often indicates a friendly relationship. Here is an example from J. K. Rowling's "Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone": "Harry, come here," Hagrid called.

Here, Hagrid's use of Harry's name indicates a warm relationship between them. [5: 58]

Formal addresses, on the other hand, serve to maintain distance between the participants in the conversation. Here is an example from Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice": "Mr. Bennet replied that he had not."

In this example, the form "Mr. Bennet" indicates formality and adherence to social norms. [1: 12]

The right form of address increases the effectiveness of communication. The wrong form of address can lead to communicative failure. Also, the wrong form of address can cause discomfort, misunderstanding or even conflicts in communication. Therefore, when choosing forms of address, it is necessary to take into account the communicative situation, cultural environment and individual characteristics of the interlocutor. For example, a student addressing his professor as: "Hey, John!" may be considered inappropriate in English culture. On the contrary, the form: "Professor Johnson, may I ask a question?" corresponds to communicative ethics.

In fiction, forms of address are an important tool for revealing the relationships between characters. Here is an example from Charlotte Brontë's "Jane Eyre": In the play, Jane often addresses Rochester as "Mr. Rochester". This form reflects the social distance between the characters. As their relationship develops throughout the play, the emotional content of the addresses also changes. [2: 147]

In William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet", Juliet's words to Romeo, "My only love sprung from my only hate!" express a strong emotional attachment. [6: 90]

Such examples can be found in Uzbek literature. If we were to list such examples, there would be many. But we will give an example from Abdulla Qodiriy's

"Days Past", which is considered the first novel in Uzbek literature. In Abdulla Qodiriy's novel "Days Past", the use of addresses such as "bek", "aka", "hazrat" by the characters reflects the social relations of that time. In particular, the addresses between "Otabek" and "Yusufbek hoji" serve to express family respect and hierarchical relations. [4: 45–48]

In conclusion, forms of address are an important linguistic tool for shaping interpersonal relationships. They express the social status, mutual proximity and communicative purpose of the participants in the communication. The analysis of forms of address in English and Uzbek shows that they play an important role in expressing concepts such as respect, sincerity, solidarity and social distance. In works of fiction, forms of address appear as an effective stylistic tool for highlighting the character and mutual relations of the characters. Forms of address are an important linguistic and pragmatic tool for the formation and development of interpersonal relationships. They express concepts such as respect, sincerity, social distance and status, ensuring the successful conduct of communication. Therefore, the study of forms of address is one of the relevant scientific issues for the fields of linguistics, sociolinguistics and pragmatics

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