

Linguistics : semantics of language.

- question of what "meaning" is, relates to linguistics, and the "meaning" of words.
- think of words as having meaning corresponding to a palette of colors, a region of colors, & not just one specific color.
- meaning as a reference, means that we can eval. truth of meaning but that truth may not always be capital T.
- Difference in sense / reference. (ie: referring to same entity using different words).

Priming: concept of words influencing categorizing given the appearance of other words (ie: is cat recognized if dog is already seen?)
↳ "tassele?"
↳ utensils / cutlery?

- Describing meaning in use.
(mentioning of the film titled "Arrival" in context of language.)
- Semantics (about structure, application of logics).

★ (thesis idea: working w/ learning languages → mistakes in grammar / incorrectness as a way of communicating ideas? / using them as some sort of input / data?)

(Humans = goal of inference. How to help teach this → ?)
(in foreign language.)

- For instance: Is the window open? implies I am cold? → depends. There is an importance of determining why the question is asked.

★ A logic of communication, different in all languages & persons, so we wish to teach/learn this better.
(Are there cultural elements? ie: Asking a question indirectly could be a request in cultures like Asia.)

Semantics, can it be automated?

- Argument Predicate structure (one / two place predicates)

Set theory Problem: how to define the set? (list properties.)

(enumerate properties that restrict & define.)

- World knowledge: info regarding & the word itself, but the world that it is defined in.

meronym: part-of-relation. (trunk part of tree)

toponym and entailment (trp. Particular type of, entail: implies act.)