

Components and Domains of Language

Form	Content	Use
Phonology (the sound system of a language; the rules of speech sound use) Morphology (the rules of word structure; how morphemes are used to convey meaning)	Semantics (the meaning of words and phrases)	Pragmatics (how language is used socially, including narrative and discourse)
Syntax (the rules of sentence structure; word order and grammatical rules)		

DISCLAIMER: Take an individual's communication modality and sensory-motor differences into consideration when thinking about how they demonstrate their language knowledge across these domains.

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