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EXPRESSIVE POWER OF SENTENCE STRUCTURE: PARALLEL CONSTRUCTIONS, INVERSION, AND RHETORICAL QUESTIONS IN ENGLISH

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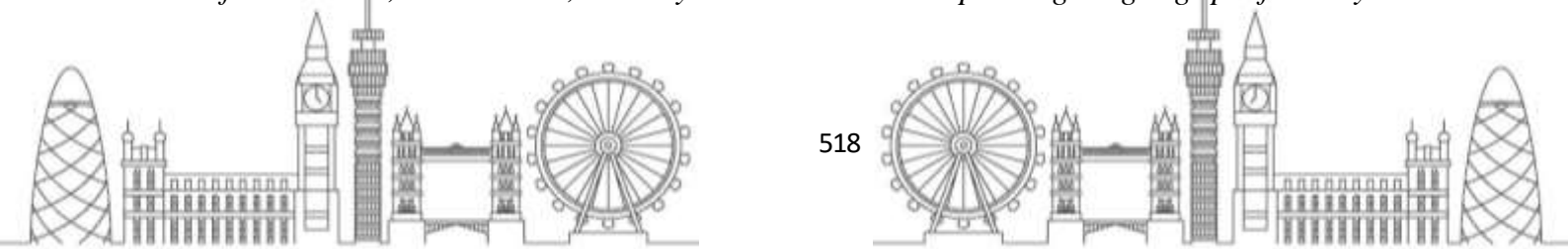
Annotatsiya, mazkur maqolada ingliz tilida gap tuzilishining ifodaviy imkoniyatlari tahlil qilinadi. Xususan, parallel konstruksiyalar, inversiya va ritorik savollarning nutqdagi ta'sir kuchini oshirishdagi o'rni ko'rib chiqiladi. Ushbu sintaktik vositalar yordamida muallif yoki notiq fikrni yanada ta'sirchan, ravon va esda qolarli shaklda yetkazishi mumkinligi misollar orqali asoslanadi. Tadqiqot jarayonida badiiy matnlar va ommaviy nutqlardan olingan namunalar tahlil qilinib, ularning uslubiy ahamiyati o'chib beriladi. Maqola natijalari ingliz tilini o'rganishda ham, nutq madaniyatini rivojlantirishda ham muhim manba bo'lib xizmat qiladi.

Kalit so'zlar: gap tuzilishi, parallel konstruksiya, inversiya, ritorik savol, sintaksis, ifodaviylik, uslubiy vosita.

Аннотация, в данной статье рассматриваются выразительные возможности синтаксической структуры английского языка. Особое внимание уделяется параллельным конструкциям, инверсии и риторическим вопросам как средствам усиления эмоционального и смыслового воздействия речи. На основе анализа художественных текстов и публичных выступлений раскрывается их стилистическая роль и практическое значение. Делается вывод о том, что данные синтаксические приемы способствуют более яркому и убедительному выражению мысли. Материалы исследования могут быть использованы в процессе изучения английского языка и развития речевой культуры.

Ключевые слова: структура предложения, параллельные конструкции, инверсия, риторический вопрос, синтаксис, выразительность, стилистика.

Abstract, this article explores the expressive power of sentence structure in the English language. It focuses on parallel constructions, inversion, and rhetorical questions as important stylistic devices that strengthen the emotional and semantic impact of speech. The study is based on the analysis of literary texts and public speeches, highlighting how these syntactic tools help to make ideas clearer, more persuasive, and memorable. The findings show that effective use of sentence structure plays a significant role in both written and spoken communication. The results of the research may be useful for students, researchers, and anyone interested in improving language proficiency.





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Introduction

Language is not only a medium for communication but also a medium for influence. The structure of a sentence may significantly influence the impact of the idea being conveyed. In English, sentence structures play a major role in the overall influence of the ideas being conveyed. There are various sentence structures that make the speech or writing more influential. Parallel structures, inversions, and rhetorical questions are some of the most influential sentence structures. Parallel structures, inversions, and rhetorical questions make the speech or writing more influential and easier to understand. Parallel structures create a sense of harmony in speech or writing. Inversion allows the speaker or writer to emphasize certain ideas in the sentence. Rhetorical questions help the speaker or writer influence the audience more. The importance of the above sentence structures may be understood in the overall influence created in English speech or writing. English speech or writing involves the use of various sentence structures. Grammar helps build the sentence, and the sentence structures make the speech or writing more influential. This article may be useful in understanding the influence created through the use of parallel structures, inversions, and rhetorical questions. Parallel structures, inversions, and rhetorical questions may be understood in the overall influence created in English speech or writing. Sentence structure is not only a grammatical concept but also a means for expression. The placement of words in a sentence can enhance the meaning, provide a rhythmic effect, and help the reader focus on the message. There are specific structural patterns in English discourse, particularly in literary works, speeches, and academic texts. Among the structural patterns, parallel construction, inversion, and the use of rhetorical questions are the most effective⁸⁴.

Parallel construction relies on the repetition of similar grammatical forms. When two or more words in a sentence are constructed in the same manner, the sentence becomes clear and easier to understand. The use of parallel construction in a sentence creates a sense of order and simplicity. For instance, in speeches delivered by politicians, it is common to hear the use of the following words: “We will work together, we will grow together, we will succeed together.” The repetition in the structure enhances the message and makes it easier to remember. Parallel construction is also used in speeches to provide a rhythmic effect. The use of repetition in the structure creates a harmonious sound because the human ear tends to follow patterns. Parallel construction in literary works helps the author create contrast or similarity between two or more ideas. The use of parallel construction in literary works helps the author connect ideas smoothly and makes the work more convincing. Parallel construction in academic works helps the author

⁸⁴ Biber, D., Johansson, S., Leech, G., Conrad, S., & Finegan, E. *Longman Grammar of Spoken and Written English*. London: Longman, 1999, p. 131.





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present ideas in a logical manner. Therefore, parallel construction is not only a stylistic device but also a means for coherence. It is important to note that the normal word order in an English sentence is subject–verb–object. Nevertheless, there are situations when the word order is altered intentionally. This is called inversion. The primary reason for using inversion is emphasis. This is because when the normal word order is changed, the reader will certainly focus on the abnormality.

Rhetorical questions in literary works may manifest emotions of doubt, surprise, and disappointment. In argumentative essays, rhetorical questions can be employed to present a new thought or point out the flaws of the opposite argument. Thus, the use of rhetorical questions can be seen to have an emotional and logical impact. If the three structural devices of parallel constructions, inversion of word order, and rhetorical questions are employed together, the impact of the message can be even stronger. Parallel constructions provide clear organization of ideas, inversion of word order adds emphasis to the ideas presented, and rhetorical questions evoke emotions in the audience. All these devices can be combined to create powerful statements. For effective communication to take place, the use of words and the sentence structure are equally important. A well-structured sentence can be very powerful and can evoke emotions of inspiration, persuasion, and even influence. Thus, the importance of learning expressive sentence structures cannot be overemphasized to students, teachers, and all those who need to improve their English language writing and speaking skills⁸⁵.

Conclusion

To conclude, it is evident that sentence structure is of significant importance in defining the expressiveness of English language speech and writing. Parallel structure, inversion, and rhetorical questions, though grammatical devices, are of great use in highlighting the message being conveyed to the audience. Parallel structure helps to provide rhythm to the speech, inversion helps to emphasize certain parts of the sentence, and rhetorical questions make the speech more engaging. It is evident from the analysis that these grammatical devices are effective in different genres of English language discourse, such as literature, academic writing, and speech-making. When these grammatical devices are used appropriately, the speaker or writer is able to convey his or her ideas clearly, logically, and emotionally. Thus, it is of great use in developing communicative competence in English. It is evident that expressive sentence structure is one of the most significant concepts in English language discourse, which shows that grammar is not just a set of rules, but also a powerful tool to express one's creativity in speech and writing.

⁸⁵ Quirk, R., Greenbaum, S., Leech, G., & Svartvik, J. *A Comprehensive Grammar of the English Language*. London: Longman, 1985, p. 1379.





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