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(Gerard Thorne)

“Where ever you go, go with all of your heart”

(Confucius)

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This research is proposed to describes the form and the meaning of the register used in the fitness magazine.

The research is a descriptive qualitative research. The forms of the data are word and phrase. In collecting the data, the writer uses documentation method, visits the fitness centre, reads fitness magazine and makes a list of fitness registers. Registers are set of language terms associated with discrete occupational or social groups. The writer takes the data from the Bodybuilding and Adiraga magazine. In analyzing the data, the writer tries to identify the form of the fitness register by classifying the data into the form of word and phrase. Secondly, classify the register into six categories of meaning.

After analyzing the register, the writer finds the forms of register. They are 1) simple word 36 items (55, 38%), 2) compound word 15 items (23, 07%), 3) derivation word 6 items (9, 23%), 4) phrase 12 items (12, 30%). The writer finds the six relation of meaning of register; they are 1) 6 registers (9,23%) belong to the register meaning which is narrower than the real meaning, 2) 6 register (9,23%) belong to the register which is broader than the real meaning, 3) 12 registers (18,46%) belong to the register meaning that shares some features of meaning, 4) 12 registers (18,46%) belong to the register meaning which is identical to the real meaning, 5) 9 registers (13,84%) belong to the register meaning which is different with the real meaning, 6) 20 registers (30,76%) belong to the new word which has no real meaning.