

# PHRASEOSEMANTIC DIMENSION OF CHINESE PROVERBS WITH THE LEXEME 吃 (EAT)

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The article deals with the semantic classification of Chinese proverbs containing the lexeme 吃 based on the phraseosemantic field method. The researched phraseological units are distributed into 10 fields. On the basis of analysis of phraseological units comprising these fields some particularities of Chinese mentality are distinguished.