



## On the common names of yellow wild flowers in romanian and english – a contrastive approach

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Many of the common names of plants are the expression of what the people saw in them at the moment of naming them. The present paper is a contrastive approach of the names of yellow wild flowers in English and Romanian. Its aim is to shed some light on how various aspects were taken into consideration in the process of naming flowers: the colour, the shape or the use played an essential role in this respect.