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Abstract

Robianto : “*The Students’ Problem In Making Sentences of Simple Present Tense (A research conducted at the eighth grade 4 students of SMP Negeri 1 Tapa of Bone Bolango Regency, in the 2012/2013 Academic Years)*, English department, Faculty of Letters and Culture, Universitas Negeri Gorontalo. First advisor Dr. Syarifuddin Ahmad, M.Pd and second advisor Rahmawaty Mamu, S.Pd., M.Pd

This research focuses on sentences of simple present tense in descriptive paragraph. The methodology of this research is descriptive method. The researcher found 13 kinds of the students’ problem in making sentences of simple present tense and the totals of the problem is 621. The kinds of the problem are verb disagrees with the subject, wrong word choice, wrong word spelling, additions of unnecessary elements, sentence construction, no subject in sentence, no verb in sentence, no preposition, no question mark, no conjunction, no object in Sentence, no possessive adjective, wrong word order. These kinds of the students’ problem are caused by interlingual transfer error and intralingual transfer and developmental error. 3 kinds of the problem are caused by interlingual transfer error and 10 kinds of the problem are caused by intralingual transfer and developmental error. The major problems are verb disagrees with subject and wrong word choice which are categorized into interlingual transfer error. The minor problem is sentence construction which is categorized into intralingual transfer and developmental error.

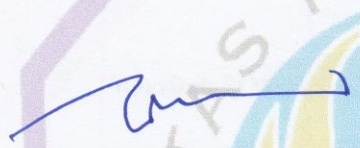
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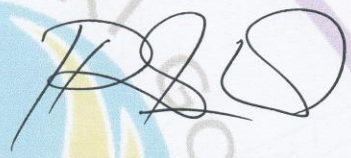
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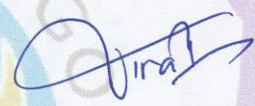
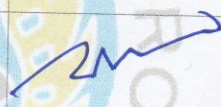
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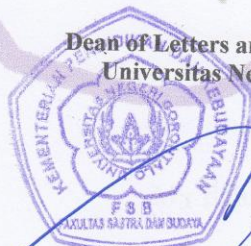
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