THE USE OF PICTURE TO IMPROVE STUDENTS' ABILITY IN WRITING

DESCRIPTIVE TEXT

(*A research conducted in eighth grade C at SMP Negeri 6 Gorontalo 2019*)

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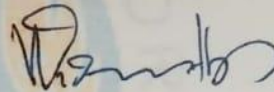|	
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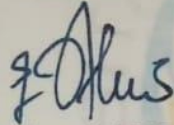
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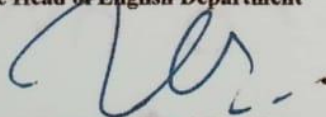<u>Sri Agriyanti mestari S.Pd., M.Ed.,TESOL.</u>
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ABSTRACT

The aim of this research is to find out whether the students' writing in descriptive text can be improve after using picture media. The population of this research is the student in eighth grade of SMPN 6 Gorontalo, and the sample is 33 students' in VIII c class. This research uses pre-experimental design with one group of pre - test, and post-test. The results of this study showed the mean score of pre - test is 43% and the mean score of post -test is 86.36 %. Moreover, the hypothesis of this study found the result of if $t_{count} \leq t_{table}$ It means that H0 accepted $-15.2 \leq 2{,}05$. Therefore, it concluded used picture media improved the student's ability in writing descriptive text of VIII c class in SMPN 6 Gorontalo.

Key words: Writing Students ability, Picture, Descriptive text.

Penerapan gambar untuk meningkatkan kemampuan siswa dalam menulis teks deskriptif

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ABSTRAK

Tujuan penelitian ini yaitu untuk mengetahui apakah tulisan siswa dalam teks deskriptif bisa ditingkatkan setelah menggunakan media gambar. Populasi dalam penelitian ini yaitu siswa pada kelas delapan SMPN 6 Gorontalo, dan sampelnya yaitu 33 siswa di kelas VIII c. Penelitian ini menggunakan rancangan pra-eksperimen dengan one group pre-test and post-test. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa nilai rata-rata pre-test adalah 43% dan nilai rata-rata post-test adalah 86.36%. oleh karena itu, hipotesis dalam penelitian ini menemukan hasil bahwa jika $t_{hitung} \leq t_{tabel}$. Hal ini berarti bahwa H0 diterima -15.2 $\leq$ 2.05. Sehingga, dapat disimpulkan bahwa penggunaan media gambar meningkatkan kemampuan siswa dalam menulis teks deskriptif di kelas VIII c SMPN 6 Gorontalo.

Kata-kata kunci: Kemampuan Menulis Siswa, Gambar, Teks Deskriptif