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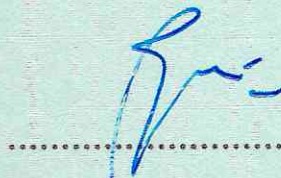
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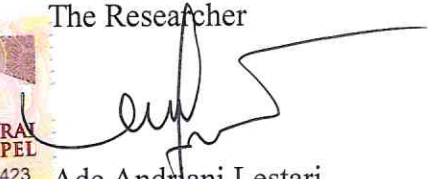
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## ABSTRAK

### **Ade Andriani Lestari, 2022. Kemampuan Siswa Dalam Parafrase Teks Laporan Program Studi Bahasa Inggris Semester Enam Universitas Pasir Pengaraian**

Menulis adalah tindakan komunikasi, itu dianggap sebagai kemampuan yang perlu dipelajari dan dilatih untuk dikembangkan. Peneliti tertarik untuk menganalisis kemampuan parafrase mahasiswa semester enam Program Studi Bahasa Inggris Universitas Pasir Pengaraian dalam memparafrasekan teks laporan. Tujuan penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui kemampuan mahasiswa dalam parafrase teks laporan di semester enam Program Studi Bahasa Inggris Universitas Pasir Pengaraian.

Metode penelitian ini adalah deskriptif kuantitatif. Penelitian deskriptif kuantitatif merupakan suatu pendekatan untuk menguji teori-teori objektif dan mendeskripsikan fenomena. Sampel penelitian ini adalah 28 siswa. Dalam mengumpulkan data, peneliti menggunakan tes menulis. Dalam menganalisis data, peneliti menggunakan komponen-komponen dalam parafrase yaitu: Kualitas, Ringkas, Reformulasi Linguistik, Penggunaan Bahasa dan Kutipan.

Dari hasil analisis menunjukkan bahwa kemampuan mahasiswa dalam parafrase teks laporan pada semester enam Program Studi Bahasa Inggris Universitas Pasir Pengaraian dengan nilai 10,32 termasuk dalam kategori kurang baik. 3 siswa (11%) memiliki nilai baik, 11 siswa (39%) memiliki nilai sedang, 10 siswa (36%) memiliki nilai kurang, 4 siswa (14%) memiliki nilai sangat kurang. Mereka membutuhkan banyak latihan untuk kemampuan parafrase mereka.

***Kata kunci : Menulis, Parafrase, Teks Laporan***

## **ABSTRACT**

### **Ade Andriani Lestari, 2022. Students' Skill in Paraphrasing of Report Text At Sixth Semester English Study Program University of Pasir Pengaraian**

Writing is an act of communication, it is considered as a skill that needs study and practice to be developed. The researcher was interested in analyzing the students' skill in paraphrasing of sixth semester students of the English Study Program at University of Pasir Pengaraian in paraphrasing of report texts. The purpose of this study was to determine the students' skill in paraphrasing of report texts in the sixth semester of the English Study Program at University of Pasir Pengaraian.

The methodology of this research was descriptive quantitative. Descriptive quantitative research was an approach for testing objective theories and describing the phenomenon. The sample were 28 students. In collecting the data, the researcher used writing test. In analyzing the data, the researcher used the components in paraphrasing they are: Quality, Conciseness, Linguistic Reformulation, Language Use and Citation.

The research finding showed that the students' skill in paraphrasing of report text in the sixth semester of English Study Program at University of Pasir Pengaraian was with a score of 10,32 in the poor level. 3 students (11%) had the good level, 11 students (39%) had the fair level, 10 students (36%) had poor level, 4 students (14%) had very poor level. This mean that students' paraphrasing skill was very low. They needed a lot of practice in order to develop their paraphrasing skills.

***Key words : Writing, Paraphrasing, Repor Text***

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