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Reading is a basic skill to learn a language. Learning English at school, the skill which is studied divided into four aspects: reading, writing, listening, and speaking. In this case, the students found had difficult in listening English words. Therefore, the writer interested to do a research about listening.

The objective of this research is to find out whether or not there is a significant difference of the reading ability of recount text to the eighth grade students of MTs N 1 Kudus in 2015/2016 academic year before and after being taught by using herringbone technique.

This research was an experimental research used one group pre-test and post-test design. The population used in this research is eighth grade students of MTs N 1 Kudus in 2015/2016 academic year and the sample used in this research is the students of VIII F class. This research involved two variables; an independent variable that is the use of herringbone technique and dependent variable that is the reading ability of recount text. The researcher compares the result of pre-test and post-test score to be analyzed by using t-test.

Before taught by using Herringbone Technique the students got the minimum score 36, the maximum score 80, the mean score is 58.6 and the standart deviation is 12.39. While, the result of the Reading Ability of Eighth Grade Students VIII F Who is Taught After by Using Herringbone Technique of MTs N 1 Kudus in 2015/2016 Academic Year has the minimum score is 56, the maximum score is 96, the mean score is 77.67 and standart deviation is 9.87. it was found t-observation (t_0) 11.78 and t-table (t_t) 2.021 in the level of significance 0.05, degree of freedom (df) 38. In this case, t-observation is higher than t-table (t_0 > t_t). So, the null hypothesis (t_t) is rejected and the alternative hypothesis (t_t) is accepted. It means that there is significant difference between the reading ability of the eighth grade students of MTs N 1 Kudus before and after being taught by using herringbone in 2015/2016 academic year.

Based on the result of the research, it proves that Herringbone Technique is an effective technique to teach reading recount text. The researcher expects to the English teacher more creative and innovative in using technique. So, the students will more interest in teaching learning process.

ABSTRAKSI

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Membaca adalah kemampuan dasar untuk mempelajari ilmu bahasa. Dalam mempelajari bahasa Inggris di sekolah, ketrampilan yang dipelajari dibagi menjadi 4 aspek: membaca, menulis, mendengarkan, dan berbicara. Dalam hal ini, siswa ditemukan agak mendapat kesulitan untuk mendapatkan informasi dalam membaca kata berbahasa Inggris. Oleh karena itu, penulis tertarik untuk melakukan penelitian mengenai aspek membaca.

Tujuan penelitian ini adalah untuk menemukan apakah ada perbedaan yang signifikan antara kemampuan membaca pada kejadian dan peristiwa (recount text) siswa kelas VIII MTs N 1 Kudus pada tahun ajaran 2015/2016 sebelum dan sesudah diajarkan dengan menggunakan Herringbone technique.

Penelitian ini adalah penelitian experiment dengan menggunakan satu kelompok dengan pre-test dan post-test. Populasi yang digunakan dipenelitian ini adalah siswa kelas VIII F MTs N 1 Kudus pada tahun ajaran 2015/2016 dan sampel yang digunakan dipenelitian ini adalah siswa kelas VIII F. Penelitian ini melibatkan dua variabel ; variabel bebas yaitu Herringbone Technique dan variabel terikat yaitu kemampuan membaca pada recount text. Peneliti membandingkan hasil nilai pre-test dan nilai post-test untuk dianalisa menggunakan t-test.

Sebelum mengajar menggunakan Herringbone Technique para siswa mendapatkan nilai minimum 36, nilai maksimum 80, nilai rata-rata 58.6 dan standar deviasi 12.39, sedangkan hasil dari kemampuan membaca pada recount text siswa kelas VIII F MTs N 1 Kudus pada tahun ajaran 2015/2016 sebelum menggunakan Herringbone Technique sesudah menggunakan Herringbone Technique memiliki nilai minimum 56, nilai maksimum 96, nilai rata-rata 77.67 dan standar deviasi 9.87, dengan demikian memiliki t-observasi (t₀) 11.78 dan t-tabel (t₁) 2.021 dengan tingkat signifikan 0.05, degre of freedom (df) 38, dalam hal ini, t-observasi lebih tinggi dibandingkan dengan t-tabel (t₀>t₁). Jadi, null hypothesis (H₀) di tolak dan alternative hypothesis (H_a) di terima. Dapat di katakan bahwa terdapat perbedaan yang signifikan antara kemampuan membaca pada recount text siswa kelas VIII MTs N 1 Kudus pada tahun ajaran 2015/2016 sebelum dan sesudah menggunakan Herringbone Technique.

Berdasarkan hasil penelitian, membuktikan bahwa Herringbone Technique merupakan tehnik yang efektif untuk mengajar membaca recount text. Peneliti berharap guru bahasa inggris lebih kreatif dan inovatif dalam menggunakan tehnik. Sehingga, siswa akan lebih tertarik dalam proses belajar mengajar.

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