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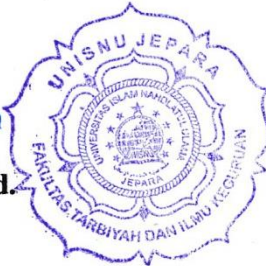
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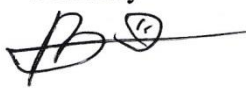
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ABSTRACT

Fitria, Yeni, 2018. The Effectiveness of Teams Games Tournament to Improve Students' Mastery of Simple Past Tense : A Quasi Experimental Research at the Eighth Grade Students of SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara in the Academic Year 2018/2019. Skripsi, English Study Program, Islamic University of Nahdlatul Ulama. Advisor : Nina Sofiana M.Pd.,

Keywords : Teams Games Tournament (TGT) technique, Simple Past Tense, Quasi-Experimental Research.

The aim of this research is to find out whether teaching simple past tense by using Teams Games Tournament technique is effective or not for junior high school students. In the working hypothesis (H_a), "There is significant difference of students' simple past tense achievement between students who were taught by Teams Games Tournament technique and students' who were taught without Teams Games Tournament technique." Meanwhile, in the null hypothesis (H_0), "There is no significant difference in the students' achievement between students who were taught by Teams Games Tournament technique and students' who were taught without Teams Games Tournament technique."

The subject of this study was the eighth grade students of SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara in the academic year 2018/2019. The number of the subject was 62 students. The design in this research was a quasi-experimental research. The data were gained by administering pre-test and post-test in writing test in the form of multiple choice. By using simple random sampling, students of VIII C were taken as the samples of the experimental group and the samples of control group was VIII B.

In the pre-test, the mean score of experimental group was 36,77 and the mean score of control group was 37,81. After the treatment, the result of post-test of the mean score of experimental group was 74,83 and the mean score of control group was 62,71.

The result of data analysis used t-test formula. From the post-test score of experimental and control, the t-value was 5,679 and the t-table of 0,05 as the significant level was 2,000 with the degree of freedom (df) 60. Then it can be stated that t-value > t-table. So the null hypothesis (H_0) was rejected and the alternative hypothesis (H_a) was accepted. It can be concluded that there was an effectiveness of Teams Games Tournament to improve students' mastery of simple past tense in junior high level especially in SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara.

ABSTRAK

Fitria, Yeni. 2018. Pengaruh Teknik Teams Games Tournament (TGT) Terhadap Penguasaan Materi Simple Past Tense: Sebuah penelitian Kuasi-Eksperimental di Kelas 8 SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara Tahun Ajaran 2018/2019. Skripsi. Jurusan Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris, Fakultas Tarbiyah dan Ilmu Keguruan Universitas Islam Nahdlatul Ulama Jepara. Pembimbing : Nina Sofiana M.Pd.,

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Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui apakah mengajar simple past tense dengan menggunakan teknik Teams Games Tournament efektif atau tidak untuk siswa smp. Hipotesis alternative (Ha), “Terdapat perbedaan yang signifikan pada penguasaan simple past tense siswa diantara siswa yang diajar menggunakan teknik Teams Games Tournament dan siswa yang diajar tanpa menggunakan teknik Teams Games Tournament.” Sementara itu, di hipotesis null (H0), “Tidak terdapat perbedaan yang signifikan pada penguasaan simple past tense siswa diantara siswa yang diajar menggunakan teknik Teams Games Tournament dan siswa yang tidak diajar menggunakan teknik Teams Games Tournament.”

Subyek penelitian ini adalah siswa kelas 8 SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara pada tahun ajar 2018/2019. Jumlah total subyek penelitian adaah 62 siswa. Desain penelitian ini adalah kuasi-eksperimental. Data didapatkan dari pre-test dan post-test pada test tulis dengan bentuk multiple choice. Dengan menggunakan teknik sampling acak paling sederhana, siswa di kelas VIII C menjadi kelompok eksperimen dan kelompok kontrol adalah siswa dikelas VIII B.

Pada pre-test, nilai rata-rata keelompok eksperimen adalah 36,77 dan nilai rata-rata kelompok kontroladalah 37,81.setelah pemberian treatmen, hasil daro nilai rata-rata post-test pada kelompok eksperimen adalah 74,83 dan nilai rata-rata pada kelas kontrol adalah 62,81.

Hasil analisis data yang menggunakan rumus uji t. Dari nilai post-test kelompok eksperimen dan kontrol, t-hitung sebesar 5,679 dan t-table pada taraf signifikan 0,05 adalh 2,000 dengan df 60. Bisa dikatakan bahwa t-hitung > t-table. Jadi hipotesis null (H0) ditolah dan alternaif hipotesis (Ha) diterima. Dapat disimpulkan bahwa teknik Teams Games Tournament sangat efektif untuk meningkatkan penguasaan materi simple past tense di tingkat smp lebih khususnya di SMPN 1 Batealit Jepara.