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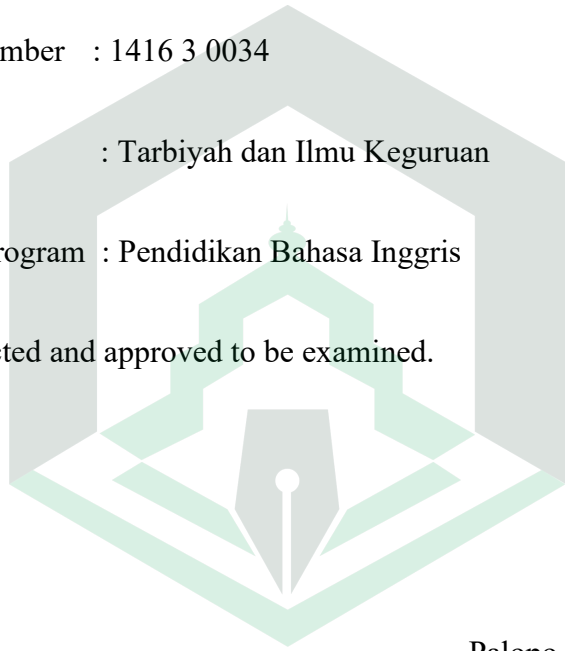
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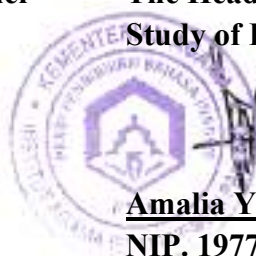
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ABSTRACT

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This thesis about ability writing skill students' through the impact of self-response of third semester in english department at iain palopo. The objective of the research is to found out finding out whether or not there is any significant difference between the writing skills of the students who are taught with the use of self-response. This research applied quasi experimental. The research was carried out in two classes, experimental and control classes. The population of this research was the third semester of English departent at IAIN Palopo. The samples of this research were two classes namely class BIG A. and BIG.B . The sampling technique in this research was random sampling. The instrument of this research was writing test. The writer gave pretest and posttest to the students. The data was analyzed by using SPSS 24. The result of this research showed that the use of story mapping technique in teaching writing recount text is effective. It could be seen from the result of calculation that the students' score in experimental class which was higher than students' score in control class. The mean score of posttest in experimental class was higher than the mean score of pretest (74.50 > 65.50). While in control class the mean score of posttest was also higher than the mean score of pretest (74.00 > 66.00). It means that there was significant difference between the students' score in teaching writing recount text.

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background

The teaching of the writing skills in the English instruction at the senior high school plays a significant role. It can be seen in the aim of the teaching and learning of English, which is to enable the students to communicate in English orally and in the form of written language in order to face the development of science and technology in the global era (Depdiknas, 2006). Therefore, the teaching of writing skills can facilitate the students to communicate in English in the form of written language.

According Richards and Renandya the writing skill is a difficult productive skill. Therefore, it is acceptable that students often made errors and mistakes in writing or produced low quality of writing products. There are several aspects that affect the students' writing.¹ First of all, writing requires a set of complex skills. The students need to be able to spell the English words, to master English grammatical and punctuation rules. They also need to be able to construct the words into sentences and arrange the sentences into neat arrangement and coherent paragraphs. The second aspect is that the students do not re-read the texts that they have just written. They do not revise their writing products. When they do not respond and revise the texts, they will not find out the lapses and illogical sequence in their paragraphs. As a result, they cannot improve the quality of their

¹J.C Richards, and Renandya, W.A. *Methodology of Language Teaching: a Anthology of Current Practice*. (England: Cambridge University Press. 2002), p. 303

texts. From the researcher's observation of third semester of English Department at IAIN Palopo did not re-read or try to revise their texts before they submitted them to the Writing lecturers. Therefore, they often made mistakes or errors that actually could be avoided if they re-read their texts. Some of the mistakes or errors that they made were inorganization of the text, not enough details to support the main idea, and improper tenses. Furthermore, some of the students were dependent to the Writing lecturer. They were only editing their text when the Lecturer asked them to have peer-editing. Sometimes, the lecturer read their first drafts and then gave some responses of the texts and asked the students to revise it. However, the Writing lecturer could not always edit and respond to the students' texts.

Therefore, the students should be taught to be less dependent to the lecturer in editing and responding to their writing products. To help the students revise and to respond their texts, self-response is needed to improve the quality of their writing. Self-response is one of the revision strategies. It is conducted in the revision stage. It is giving feedback to the students' writing products by the individual students after they write a text. In doing self-response, the students re-read their texts in order to reflect what they had already written. Based on the problems which are found in the teaching of the writing skills in the third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo, it is regarded to be necessary to reveal the effectiveness of self-response in improving the writing skills of third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo.

There are some components which can influence the teaching and learning of the writing skills in the English instructions. Those are related to the student, the lecturer, the writing aspects, and the learning strategy of the writing skills.

The first category is the problem related to the students' writing skill mastery. The students' mastery of the writing skill is varied from low to high. According to the writing lecturer of third semester of English department IAIN Palopo, some of third semester students are not good at writing. Their writing skill mastery is lower than the other language skills mastery. He said that the teaching of the writing skill is more complicated than the teaching of reading or listening skills. Therefore not all of his students can write competently.

The second is the role of the lecturer as a facilitator. In this role, the lecturer offers guidance in helping the students involve in the thinking of the process of writing. From the interview done by the researcher with the Writing lecturer, the Writing lecturer said that he needed to teach students several things in writing. He needed to teach the organization of a certain genre, the types of the tenses used in the text, and the types of the sentences used in the text. Furthermore, the lecturer needs to teach them the strategy to revise their writings. However, not all the lecturer teach effective strategy. Moreover, there are aspects of writing the students need to master in order to be able to write comprehensively. These aspects are grammar, coherence, cohesion, in revising the text and punctuation. Some of the students sometimes forgot that, for

example, a narrative text is written in the past form. Therefore, they wrote the narrative texts in mixed verb forms, present and past forms. Furthermore, some of third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo could not write coherently or cohesively. They had difficulties in composing a text that is coherent and cohesive. Moreover, some of the students applied inappropriate punctuation. For example, they forgot to put a comma after the connecting words.

The last problem is that the students' learning strategies of the writing skills need improvement. One of the strategies that they know is peer editing. According to the lecturer, he sometimes asked the students to do peer-editing after the students finished their writing. However, peer-editing is not the only strategy to improve one's writing. Therefore, the students need to be introduced to other strategies in order to be more comprehensive in writing. One of the strategies is self-response where they individually responding and revising their texts. Therefore, they can rely on themselves in responding to their text and their friends when a second opinion is needed.

A. Problem Statement

Based on the limitation of the problem, the problem can be formulated as follows:

1. Is there a significant difference between the writing skills of the students who are taught with the use of self-response and those who are not in third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo?

B. Objective of The Research

This study is aimed at finding out whether or not there is any significant difference between the writing skills of the students who are taught with the use of self-response and those who are not in third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo.

C. Significance of The Research

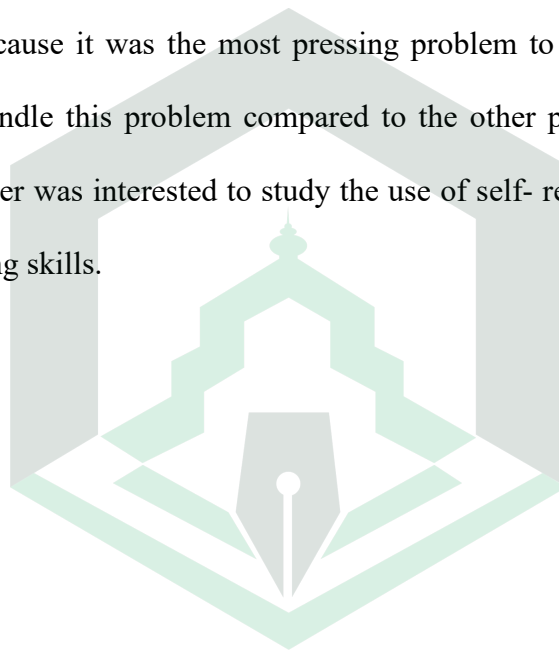
To get the general understanding about the topic, the researcher provides the definition of terms this research as follows:

1. Perception is the process of receiving, differentiating, and giving meaning to the stimulus received by the sense device, so that it can give conclusion and interpret to the particular object observed.
2. Reading technique means of techniques used by teachers to achieve maximum result at the time of teaching in a particular section of the lesson.
3. Reading is a process of constructing meaning from written texts.

4. Teachers' perception on teaching reading technique is the teacher's response to the techniques used in teaching reading to facilitate material acceptance so that the teaching and learning process becomes efficient.

D. Scope of The Research

Based on the problems above, this research was limited to reveal the effectiveness of the learning strategy of the writing skills i.e. self-response in improving the students' writing skill. The researcher chose to study this problem because it was the most pressing problem to be solved. It was also easier to handle this problem compared to the other problems. Furthermore, the researcher was interested to study the use of self-response in the teaching of the writing skills.



CHAPTER II

REVIEW OF RELATED LITERATURE

A. Previous of Research Finding

There are some previous of the research related with this research, these are :

Indra Galih, 2013 write a study *The Use Of Mind Mapping Strategy To Improve Students' Ability In Writing Procedure Text of Semarang State University*. This research is a action research. The students were given some treatments and writing tests in order to obtain a description about students' ability in writing procedure text. The results showed that The mean of the pre-test was 57.78, the mean of the writing test in second cycle was 63.214, and the mean of the post test was 80.681. By comparing the result of the three tests, I concluded that mind mapping method could give better achievement for the students in producing procedure text. The analysis of the questionnaire and observation also supported the fact that mind mapping method was appropriate to be implemented in teaching learning writing procedure text. Besides, Mind mapping method could be applied not only in writing procedure text, but also other texts which were taught both in senior and junior high school.²

Zainuddin, 2016 write a study *The Impact Of Personality: Extrovert Vs. Introvert On The Ability In Syntax In Essay Writing at medan state university*. This research is a quantitative research.the result of study The findings of this study indicated that there was a significant difference in the scores for syntax

²Indra, galih (2013) *The Use Of Mind Mapping Strategy To Improve Students' Ability In Writing Procedure Text*,(jawatimur : semarang,2013),p.6.

between extrovert and introvert learners. In this study, introvert EFL learners did better than extrovert EFL learners in constructing sentences (syntax). Thus, both groups still have an equal chance to improve their ability in a learning foreign language particularly in writing skills but extrovert EFL learners must pay more attention to using good syntax because they tend to be careless and less correct in constructing their phrases when doing a writing task.³

Indra Ratna Mulianingsih (2014) write a study *An Error Analysis Of Students' English Writing at Second Grade of SMK Bakti Purwokerto* . This research is a Descriptive research.the result of study The findings of this The result of analyzing the data could be concluded in the following explanation. Firstly, the students' writing ability in SMK BaktiPurwokerto at grade XI could be reflected in this result: none of the student (0%) belonged to very good category, the students who belonged to good category is 43.05%, enough category 25%, bad category 30.55%, and fail category 1.38%. Secondly, the types of error and the percentage of each type were explained in the following explanation. The type of error was divided into grammatical error and lexical error. The types of grammatical error which was influenced by mother tongue, from the highest to the lowest frequency of occurrence were as follow: (1) error in tenses (25.44%), (2) omission of TO BE (18.89%), (3) addition of TO BE (13.35%), (4) error in composing interrogative sentence (8.81%), (5) error in using article (7.05%), (6) error in using preposition (6.80%), (7) omission of subject (6.04%), (8) error in possessive case (4.78%), (9) misordering in composing adjective phrase (3.02%),

³Zainuddin (2016) *The Impact Of Personality: Extrovert Vs. Introvert On The Ability In Syntax In Essay Writing*, (medan : medan,2016).p.158.

(10) error in using pronoun (2.26%), (11) omission of main verb (1.15), (12) the substitution of auxiliary (1.26%), (13) error in using adverb (0.75%). Next, the types of lexical error were as follow: (1) inappropriate word with the context (42%), (2) spelling (25.8), (3) part of speech (8.60%), (4) wrong diction (8.60%), (5) Indonesian word (7.52%), (6) wrong term (6.45%), (7) plural (1.07%). From this facts, it could be concluded that the influence of Bahasa Indonesia gave the impacts for students' writing.⁴

A research by Xian Chen (2009) showed that self-response is quite effective as a strategy in revising the students' draft. The students could improve their writing skill because of the opportunity they get in analyzing their own texts. Therefore, the quality of students' texts was better,

Moreover, according to Hyland (2006), self-response could improve the students' writing skill. When the students were revising their own texts, they can express their doubts and intentions of their texts. Therefore, they would rethink of what they have written. Consequently, their writing skill was better because of the improvement of their critical thinking in conveying ideas and messages on their texts

B. Some Pertinent Ideas

1. The Writing Skill

This section is divided into two parts. The first part is about the definition and description of the writing skills. The second part is about the compositional nature of the writing skills in writing pedagogy.

⁴IndraRatnaMulianingsih (2014) *An Error Analysis Of Students' English Writing at Second Grade of SMK Bakti Purwokerto*, (purwokerto, 2014), p.3.

2. The Definition and the Description of the Writing Skills

A writing skill is the ability to make letters or other symbols on a surface, especially with a pen or pencil on paper (Hornby, 1974: 996); it also deals with the ability of communicating messages by making signs, forming letters and words, and joining them together to make sentences on a page; moreover, it is the competence of encoding the message or meaning into words in various genres (Harmer, 2007: 323); and the ability of translating ideas into linguistic symbol in print (Schunk, 2009: 424). In conclusion, a writing skill is the ability of forming letters and words, and constructing them into sentences and paragraph in various genres on a page in order to communicate one's ideas and messages.

A writing skill is divided into subskills or microskills (Brown, 2001: 343; Gower et al, 1995:113; Richards and Schmidt, 2002:293). Therefore, the students need to master those microskills of writing in order to master the writing skills.

The first skill that the students have to master is handwriting or forming letters skill (Gower et al, 1995:113). They have to be able produce graphemes of English (Brown, 2001: 343). Therefore, first they need to be able to write English alphabets. They have to know the difference of the capital letters and the small letters, especially those whose native-language orthography is different from English (Harmer, 2007:324).

The second is the spelling skill (Gower et al, 1995:113). They have to be able produce orthographic patterns of English (Brown, 2001: 343). Therefore, they need to be able to spell English words correctly. Some students have difficulty in

spelling. It is because the correspondence between pronunciation of a word and the way it is spelled is not always clear (Harmer, 2007:324). Misspelling will not influence the readers' understanding of the text. However, it will influence their judgment of the writer's lack of care or education (Harmer, 2007:324). Poor spelling can also show the writer's lack of consideration for the reader (Graves, 1983: 183 via Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 21). Therefore, the writers need to pay attention to the spelling so that the readers will not misjudge the writer.

In addition, the students need to possess the punctuation skill (Gower et al, 1995:113). Using punctuation correctly is an important skill in writing (Harmer, 2004: 49). The writers should follow the punctuation of the language they write in so that they will not disobey the well-established convention. It is because the disobedience of the well-established convention makes a piece of writing look awkward to some readers (Harmer, 2007:325). Moreover, if one does not use commas or full stops correctly, his or her writing will be difficult to be understood by the readers (Harmer, 2004: 49).

Furthermore, the students need to master the sentence constructing skill (Gower et al, 1995:113). They have to be able to produce an acceptable core of words and use appropriate word order patterns (Brown, 2001: 343). This skill involves in combining words into phrases or sentences. Therefore they need to know the basic rule of combining words. For example, they need to know that noun phrases include the attendance of articles, possessive, quantifier, and numerals (Hinkel, 2004: 67). Moreover, in order to write sentences, they must

know that English sentences apply the basic rule of a subject followed by a verb, which is followed by an object (Hinkel, 2004: 65).

The students need to master the grammatical skill. They must possess competence of using an acceptable grammatical system (Brown, 2001: 343). Grammar is the rules which structure a language (Kane, 1988: 13). Grammar is an essential part of language use (Frodesen in Celce-Murcia, 2001: 234). For writers, it is an important component of language because they need it to communicate the meaning of their writing precisely and effectively (Celce-Murcia, 2001: 234). Without a grammatical system, the readers will not be able to understand the message of the writing clearly.

Moreover, the students must be able to use cohesive devices in the written discourse (Brown, 2001: 343). A piece of writing needs to be cohesive to be truly comprehensible (Harmer, 2004: 22). A writing product can be said cohesive when the sentences are well connected (Ruetten, 2003: 18). To help the sentences and the elements bind together, the writers need cohesive devices (Harmer, 2004: 24). It is needed because the readers need to know what is being referred to and how the phrases and sentences relate to each other (Harmer, 2004: 24). Therefore, the writers need to master this micro skill so that they can produce good writing in order to help the readers understand the meaning unmistakably. They need to have the competence of using the convention of the written discourse (Brown, 2001: 343). They need to be able to use the structure and vocabulary appropriate to the formality and style of the text (Gower et al, 1995: 113). Different purposes of writings are expressed in different styles and

writing constructions or genres (Harmer, 2004:17). A job application letter will be constructed differently from a poem. They have different characteristics and patterns. In conclusion, students need to have the topic, the conventions and style of the genre, and the context in which their writing will be read if they want to write within a particular genre (Harmer, 2007: 327).

From the previous paragraphs, it can be concluded that writing is a productive skill (Spratt, Pulverness, and Williams, 2005:26). It is not always a natural gift; it is a learned skill (Langan, 2005: 12). It involves formulating language rather than receiving it.

3. Writing Pedagogy

Writing requires specialized skills; those skills are not naturally developed in every student (Brown, 2001: 335). They need to learn this specialized skill in order to be able to compose a good text. Therefore, the writing pedagogy focuses on students to learn the compositional nature of writing skills; those are skills on how to generate ideas, how to organize them coherently, how to revise the text for clearer meaning, and how to edit the text (Brown, 2001: 335). The detailed explanation will be presented below:

1. How to generate ideas

It involves forming an internal representation of information to be used in creating a text (Schunk, 2009: 426). In generating the ideas, the students consider three main issues in planning what to write (Harmer, 2004: 4). The first is that they think about the purpose of writing the text. Second, they must think about the audience they are writing for. The last is that they must consider the content

structure of the text. One of the examples of the activities of generating ideas is brainstorming.

Brainstorming is similar to free writing; the goal is to think creatively (Berne, 2009:45). In this activity, the students make a list of examples, characteristics, and descriptors on a topic or an idea (Berne, 2009:46). In other words, the students noted down the ideas in the form of words or phrases and decide which word or phrases that are going to be the topic sentence or the supporting ideas (Harmer, 2004: 88). However, there are a variety and style of note making. One student may prefer different varieties from the other (Harmer, 2004: 88). The figure below shows the form of brainstorming.

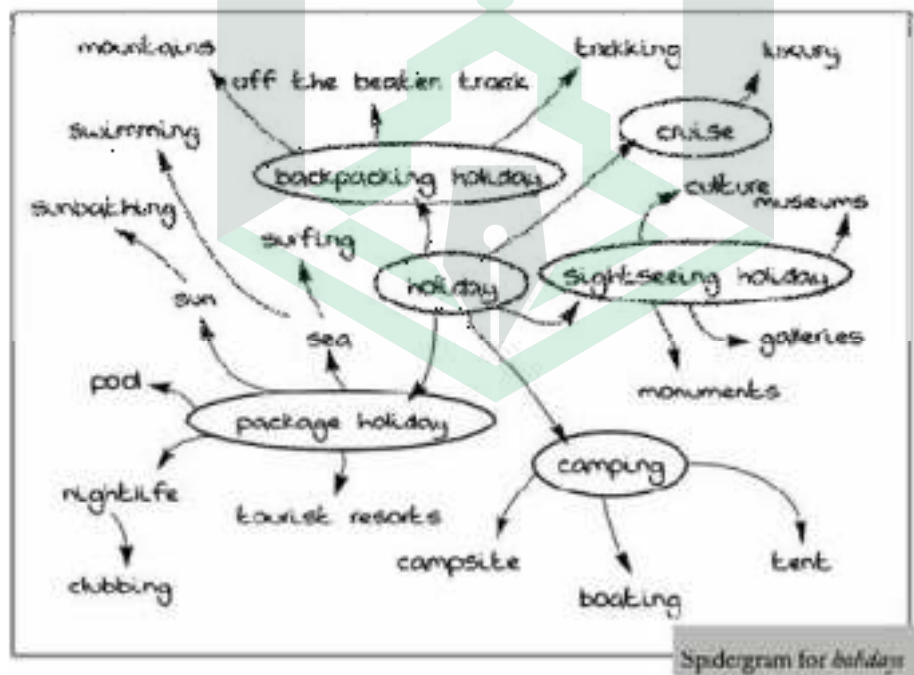


Figure 1. Spidergram or mind-map form of brainstorming

(Harmer, 2004: 89)

In making the spider gram or mind-map, the students write a topic in the center and then generate a web of ideas from that (Harmer, 2004: 89). The following figure shows another form of brainstorming.



Figure 2. Ordered points form of brainstorming

(Harmer, 2004: 90)

Some students may prefer ordered points form than spider gram. In doing ordered points, the students simply make a list of the topic and subtopics of their writing.

2. How to organize ideas coherently

A writing product needs to be coherent to be truly accessible for the readers (Harmer, 2004: 22). A coherent text will make the readers feel at ease in reading it. Use of major cohesive devices (Harmer, 2004: 24). The information or messages written in a coherent text must flow smoothly and hand in hand between them. Therefore, the writers need to be able to sequence the information or messages of their writing logically to make their products comprehensible (Harmer, 2004: 25). Therefore, the readers can get the information conveyed in the

text. In a coherent text, the ideas are arranged logically (Ruetten, 2003: 16). For a text to have coherence, it needs to have some internal logic in which the readers can follow with or without the use of major cohesive devices (Harmer, 2004: 24). The information or messages written in a coherent text must flow smoothly and hand in hand between them. Therefore, the writers need to be able to sequence the information or messages of their writing logically to make their products comprehensible (Harmer, 2004: 25).

2. How to revise the text for clearer meaning

In revising the text, the students review their work (Urquhart and McIver, 2005:11). It is done to improve the content and the organization of ideas of the text so that the writer's goal is made clearer to the readers. In revising the text, they reflect on what they have written in their texts, reconsider their choice of words and the arrangement of the sentences so that they can convey what they intended to say on their writing products (Lindemann, 1995 in Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 17). The students modify what they have already written in order to make their writings better (Strickland, 2007: 314). There are several things that will help the students to revise their text. One of them is some guidelines on what needs to be revised (Richards and Renandya 2002:351). The guidelines can be in the form of questions related on how the students conveying the message on their writing. To help the students recognize what should be revised, the distance time between drafting and revising is given (Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 19-20). If they have opportunities to detach themselves sufficiently from their writing, they will be able to see the textual changes that would help improve their written messages.

3. How to edit the text

In editing the text, the students are engaged in tidying up their texts as they prepare the final draft evaluation by the teacher. They are reading thoroughly to their writings, looking for errors and fixing them (Strickland, 2007: 316). Those errors they are looking for in this stage are errors on forms. They concentrate on the mechanics (Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 21). It means, they have to focus on the grammar they apply in their text. Applying good grammatical system will enable the readers understand their writing precisely and effectively (Celce-Murcia, 2001: 234). They also need to make sure that their sentences have appropriate punctuation. If they do not follow a well-established punctuation rules, their writing will look awkward for some readers (Harmer, 2007: 325). Moreover, they must check the spelling of words in their text. It is because proper spelling will give a better impression to the readers.

4. Self-Response

This part is divided into three sections. The first section is the description and nature of self-response. The second is the importance of self-response. The last is the steps of doing self-response. Some samples materials are included in the presentation sections.

a. The Description and Nature of Self-Response

In the process of writing, self-response is categorized as one of the revision strategies which are conducted in the revision stage. Self-response is giving feedback to the students' writing products by the individual students after they compose a text (Richards and Renandya, 2002: 317; Peñaflores in Richards

and Renandya, 2002:350-351; Harmer, 2004: 112). In doing self-response, the students re-read their texts in order to reflect what they had already written.

There are three important aspects of self-response. The first is the position of writers as readers. The second is the decision the writers make on the final revision. The third is feedback.

b. Writers as readers

In self-response, students place themselves in the position of readers and make commentaries about any uncertainties and concerns during their writings (Charles, 1990: 292). The students should act as the audience of their products. It is done because their point of view and readers' point of view are not always the same.

To be able to place themselves as readers, they should know the audience of their text. The writing must be written specifically for them (Gray et al, 1990: 36). To know who the readers are, the writer should answer some questions related to who the readers are. The questions are listed as follows:

1. Who will read the text?
2. How old are they?
3. How can I capture their interest?
4. What main ideas do I want for them?
5. How much do they already know about this subject?
6. What reasons or examples can I use that will be appropriate for this audience?

Figure 3. Question lists about who will the readers are (Gray et al, 1990:36)

Therefore, to be able to place themselves in the readers' position, the students need to consider the questions above. Moreover, they need to try to read their text in the reader's point of view and find out whether their works can capture the reader's attention (Charles, 1990: 292; Foster, 1996: 19).

c. Final revision decision

The fundamental importance of the students' self-response in writing is that writers make their own final revision decision (Foster, 1996: 7). In self-response, the students make the decision how they will revise their writing products. When they do this, they rethink, reconsider, and reshape their text, wrestling with the worry created by what they intended to say and the words that actually found their way to the page (Lindemann, 1995 in Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 17). Then the students make changes what they have already written in order to make their writing better (Strickland, 2007: 314).

Their final revision decision is more effective compared to the teacher's or other students' response (Brinko, 1993 cited in Hyland and Hyland, 2006:92). It is because they are the writer of their products and they are the only one who knows precisely what meaning they want to convey in their writings.

d. Feedback

One of the important parts of self-response is feedback. There are two kinds of feedback; feedback on forms and feedback on content. The feedback on forms deals with identifying and correcting mistakes on syntax, concord, and collocation (Harmer, 2004: 108-109). In giving feedback on forms, the students mark the mistake or error they have made. The teacher gives them an error

checklist to help them correct their mistake. The feedback on content is about reacting on the ideas and how they communicate their ideas and general meaning of their composition (Harmer, 2004: 5 & 112). However, in responding to the students' writing product, the feedback on content is given more emphasize (Harmer, 2004: 112). It consists mainly of remarks on drafts that usually point out problems and offer suggestion for improvement.

The following paragraph presents the example of both feedback types. The following figure is the example of the checklist on feedback on form.

1. Noun endings: some pencil, a books
2. Articles: this is classroom
3. Subject verb agreement: I goes to school
4. Verb tenses: I arrive yesterday

Figure 4. Error checklists (Ferris in Richards & Renandya, 2002: 330)

The example of the feedback on content is presented in the figure below.

I enjoyed your draft composition very much. I liked the description of your grandparents. They sound like interesting people. In some ways they are the most interesting part of your story.

I have one or two suggestions to make:

- How about starting the composition with this description of your grandparents' house? It would be a good way of to the topic.
- I would include the bit about your sister and the dog. It gets in the way of your story.
- Be careful with your use of past tense verbs. Check whether you should use the past simple (I was) or the past continuous (I was running).

Figure 5. Feedback on content (Harmer, 2004: 113).

Therefore, in giving feedback on forms, the students must analyze the word order of their writing products, grammatical agreement, and the word choice of the writing products in order to correct the errors or mistakes they had made. In

giving feedback on content, the students make some notes and analyze their writing works closely so that they can make their writing better.

C. The importance of Self-response

There are some advantages that can be achieved by doing self-response. The first is that the students can improve their writing products by doing self-response.

The second is that it gives the students a sense of independence. The last is that it makes the students aware of the importance of the process of writing. The following paragraphs will explain the points further.

1. Improving writing products

Students can make their own revisions without a response or feedback from others and improve their writing significantly (Hyland and Hyland, 2006: 92). Students can improve the quality of their products by doing self-response. It is because they are the author of their writing products and they know precisely what meaning they want to convey in their writing. It is expected that teachers will give the students the opportunity to revise their products instead of ignoring their ability to analyze their writing.

Response or feedback is more effective when information is gathered from the subjects themselves as well as others (Brinko, 1993 cited in Hyland and Hyland, 2006:92). When the students respond to their own writing, they are having a conversation with the other self (Murray, 1982 cited in Bardine and Fulton, 2008:149). This other self regulates the writing process by reviewing the student's

work and acting as a critic, providing the student with distance to view the work objectively and assess what needs to be improved or changed.

Moreover, self-response becomes a powerful method for the development of students' writing ability in all subjects when it emphasizes revision with specific areas (Foster, 1996:7). Teachers of certain school subjects often ask the students to write a paper or a report on science, social studies and language arts. When the students respond to their writing assignment individually, they will be able to make better works. This achievement however cannot be achieved if the students do not know the criteria to revise their own writing.

2. Sense of independence

Any form of feedback should be to move students to a more independent role where they can critically evaluate their own writing and intervene to change their own processes and products where necessary (Hyland and Hyland, 2006:92). By doing self-response, the students independently monitor their performance and are involved directly in deciding what needs to be done (Brown, 2004: 270). Therefore they will gain responsibility towards what they have written. Moreover, by doing self-response, they will be forced to analyze their work that will give them an opportunity to be more autonomous in revising their writing products (Bardine and Fulton, 2008:149). Therefore, giving feedback on their own writing product gives the opportunity to them to develop their autonomous learning.

3. Raising the awareness of the importance of the writing process

The revision strategies (one of them is self-response) that student writers impose on themselves continue to be a concern of process oriented

teaching in the writing classroom (Bardine and Fulton, 2008: 149). Response to a first draft is the most important part of the writing process for developing writers (Freeman, 2003:65). It is because the students need to be made aware of the process of writing. The process oriented teaching in the writing classroom applies the process of writing. By doing self-response to revise their own writing, students will realize that revising is needed to be done even by the experienced writers. Therefore, they will be concerned to respond their writing and improve the quality of them. Moreover, when they were asked to write something, they will make an attempt to improve their writing before they submit it.

D. The steps of doing self-response

There are three major steps of doing self-response. The first is writing the draft. The second is responding to the draft. The last is rewriting the draft. These steps are related to the process of writing since self-response is one of the revision strategies.

1. Writing the draft

The self-response is one of the revision strategies where the process oriented teaching in the writing classroom is emphasized (Bardine and Fulton, 2008: 149). Therefore, the students must apply the first steps of the process of writing; drafting.

In drafting, the students formulate their ideas into words and putting them on the paper (Urquhart and McIver, 2005:16). They write the message they want to convey fluently without giving too much attention on grammar and spelling.

This is one of the samples of a draft that was made by a student.

When I got to Smith Farm Camp, I didn't fit in. I'm from the City. I'd never seen a pig. A week passed, and a pig was ready to have babies. Becky, a second year farmer, was my partner. The farm leader, Sue, asked us to take turns caring for it. Becky talked, but I didn't say much. Finally she said, "Eric, don't you ever talk?" I told her how I felt. Her questions pulled out shy feelings buried inside me. I talked on and on. She listened. Then she said, "I was shy, but the farm helped me it can help you too. The pig started to have her first family. Becky ran to get sue. Before they got back, however, I greeted six piglets. At lunch Becky announces, "Eric delivered six baby pigs!" People crowded around me for the story. I felt so good. Now I was a farmer.

Figure 6. Sample of a draft (Gray et al, 1990:161)

Students do not have to be especially cautious about their word choice or strict about the fundamentals of grammar, for their main concern while drafting is transferring the intended message from the unformulated thoughts in their heads to more definitive words on a page that can be referred to at a later time (Urquhart and McIver, 2005:16).

2. Responding to the draft

In this stage, the students are requested to read their draft after they have finished it. They are asked to read aloud to themselves what they have written several times (Freeman, 2003:73). By reading aloud, the students may hear problems or inappropriateness in their drafts that they cannot see. When they found out problems, they will be asked by the teachers to note them on their writing.

When the students are responding to their own writing, the teacher hand them some sample questions as guidelines to the students (Richards and Renandya, 2002:351). The questions are about the organization of the text, details, and information. At this stage, the students read their writing products and take notes their response based on the guidelines. When the students respond to their own writing they are having a conversation with the other self (Murray, 1982 cited in Bardine and Fulton, 2008:149). With the aid of the question lists, they will know what it needs to be conversed with the other self. This other self-controls the writing process by reviewing the student's work and acting as a critic, presenting the student with the distance to consider the work objectively and assess what needs to be improved or changed (Bardine and Fulton, 2008: 149).

Some of the questions to aid the students in responding to their drafts are Presented below.

1. What are you writing about?
2. What is the purpose of writing the text?
3. What is the general statement of your writing?
4. What are the arguments of your writing?
5. What is the strength of your writing? 6. What is the weakness of your writing?

Figure 7. Question checklist (Richards and Renandya, 2002: 318 & 355)

Moreover, to help the students recognize what should be responded, the teachers ask the students to have some distance time between drafting and revising (Urquhart and McIver, 2005: 19-20 and Freeman, 2003:73). By waiting for sometime, their mind will be fresh so that they can read their writing in a

different point of improve their written messages if they have opportunities to disengage themselves sufficiently from their writing. View. Furthermore, they will be able to see the textual changes that would help.

3. Rewriting the draft

At this stage, the students rewrite their drafts. They rewrite them based on the feedback they have written previously. Therefore, they can produce clearer and meaningful writing products at the end of the lesson.

This is a sample of the final writing product of a student after the first draft Being revised.

The Day I Delivered Pigs

When I got to Smith Farm Camp, I didn't fit in. I'm from the City. I'd never seen a pig.

A week passed, and a pig was ready to have babies. The farm leader, Sue, asked us to take turn caring for it. Becky, a second year farmer, was my partner.

Becky talked, but I didn't say much. Finally, she said, "Eric, don't you ever talk?"

"I feel awkward," I said "I don't fit in here." Her questions pulled out shy feelings buried inside me. I talked on and on. She listened. Then she said, "I was shy, but the farm helped me. It can help you too.

" The pig started to have her first family. Becky ran to get Sue. Before they got back, however, I greeted six piglets. At lunch, Becky announced, "Eric delivered six baby pigs!" People crowded around me for the story.

I felt so adept! Now I was a farmer. I had begun to fit in, thanks to a pig and my friend Becky.

Figure8. Sample of final draft (Gray et al, 1990:165)

After writing the final draft, the students will submit their writing products to the teacher. Later on, the teacher will respond and assess their final writing products.

E. Conceptual Framework

As discussed above, a learning strategy is one of the elements affecting the teaching and learning of the English writing skills. The selection of the appropriate strategy is important in determining the successful of its process. The appropriate strategies can influence the students' performance in the writing skill.

Self-response is one of the revision strategies where the students give feedback to their own writing products in order to improve the quality of their writing. In self-response, the students place themselves in the readers' position and decide the final revision decision from their own feedback.

Self-response is designed to improve their writing products by evaluating them after they have finished composing them. Moreover, it is designed to improve their independence in responding to their own writing. Therefore, they will not always depend on their English teacher in responding their texts. In addition, it is designed to improve the students' awareness of the importance of the writing process. As a result, they will realize that in writing they need to re-read and respond to their compositions so that they will have better writing products.

There are two groups in this study. They are the control class and the experimental class. In doing the self-response, first, the students of the experimental class write the draft. The purpose of writing the draft is to convey their ideas on the paper freely. After that, they respond to their draft. It is done in order to make their writing more logic and comprehensible. The last step is that they rewrite their draft based on their responses. On the other hand, the students of

the control class do not receive the treatment. The teaching of the writing skills in this class focuses on the writing product.

As mentioned before, choosing of appropriate strategies is important in determining the improvement of the students' writing skills. There are several skills the students need to achieve in order to master writing skills. Some of them are the spelling skill, combining words and punctuation skills, the grammatical skill, and skills on convention of written discourse and genres. Hence, self-response can arouse the students' mastery of those skills when it is implemented in the writing pedagogy. There are several compositional natures of writing skills in writing pedagogy. First, the students are taught to generate ideas. Second, they learn how to organize them coherently. Third, they are taught to revise their texts. The last is that they learn how to edit the text.

Based on the consideration above, a conceptual framework is constructed on the relationship between students' writing skill and the effect of the use of self-response. This conceptual framework is aimed at concentrating the research study on the problem concerned. The implementation of the strategy involves the researcher, the English teacher, and the students of third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo in the academic year of 2009/2010.

The correlation between the self-response and the students' writing skills is presented below.

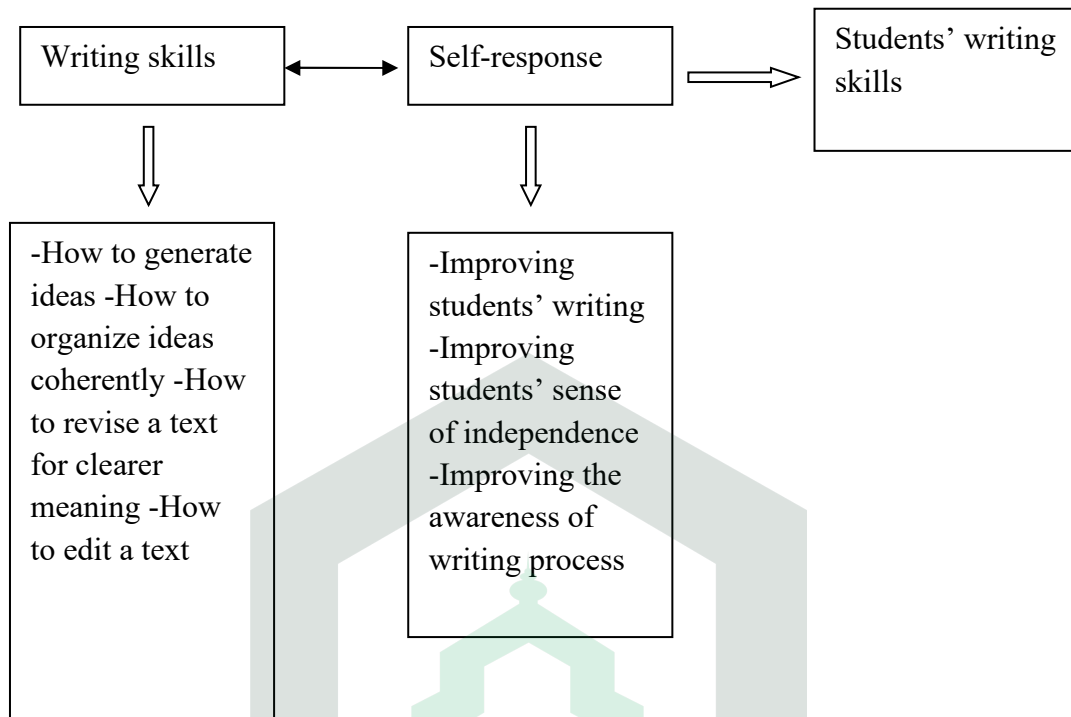


Figure 9. The conceptual framework

From the figure above, the writing strategy applied in this study is expected to give a contribution in improving the students' writing skills. It is because, based on the theory presented previously; self-response will give some benefits to the students' writing skill.

F. Hypothesis

Based on the above stated theory, the hypothesis of this research is formulated as follows.

There is a significance difference between writing skills of the students who are taught with the use of self-response and those who are taught without it.



CHAPTER III

RESEARCH METHOD

A. Method and Design

1. Method

This research will apply a quasi-experimental research design. Quasi experimental is involve two groups of students with pre-test and post-test design. According to Ary et al, quasi experimental is experiment research design that has lack randomization of group.⁵ Quasi experimental needed two similar groups as the sample of the research. As Latief states that quasi experimental research is the research which takes sample from two different classes in the same grades which has similarity.⁶ The classes are experimental group and control group.⁷

2. Design

This research design used the following formula:

PRE-TEST	TREATMENT	POST-TEST
O_1	X	O_2

Where:

O_1 = Pre-test

X = Treatment

O_2 = Post-test

⁵Donald Ary, Jacobs, LC, and Razavieh, *an Introduction to Research in Education: Third Edition* (New York: CBS College Publishing, 1985) 302.

⁶M. Adnan Latief, *Tanya Jawab Metode Penelitian Pembelajaran Bahasa* (Malang: UNM Press, 2010) 120.

⁷Ibid 121-171.

B. Population and Sample

1. Population

The population of the study is the third semester of English department at IAIN Palopo in the academic year of 2020/2021 consisting of two classes. The researcher took two classes as the sample of the study, one as a control class and the other as an experimental class. To decide which classes that were used as the sample; the researcher wrote the name of the four classes on four pieces of paper and then asked someone to pick two pieces of paper randomly. Then, the researcher threw a coin to decide which one is the control class and which one is the experimental class. Each class consists of 10 students

2. Sample

The researcher was applied random sampling technique. In this case, the researcher takes two classes namely class BIG. And BIG.B at the at IAIN Palopo in the academic year of 2020/2021 as the sample. The totally students of consist in 2 class are 20 students. Both of classes was divided into two class, they are Experimental Class and Control Class that consist of 10 students for each class.

C. The Instrument of the Research

The instrument of this research is writing test, the researcher was used test to measure the students' writing ability to before and after giving treatments. In this case, writing ability test is objective test.

D. The Procedure of the Research

1. Pre-test

The researcher was asked to the students to write recount text with the theme “the most memorable experience” in the first meeting. It is used to know the previous mastery of students writing before giving treatment. The researcher gave 60 minute to write.

2. Treatment

After conducting the pre-test, then proceed with giving actions consisting of Experimental class and Class Control, while the procedures are as follows:

a. Experimental class

1. Greeting:

The teacher greeted the students and asked how they were.

2. Warm up:

The teacher asked some questions related to the theme and the teaching materials of the day. Moreover, she also gave some introduction of the teaching material.

3. Main activity:

1) The teacher gave the students the input text of the material that was going to be taught.

2) The teacher and the students discussed the text. In addition, the teacher elicited some questions related to the text.

3) The teacher explained the function of the text and the generic structure of the text. She also explained about how to generate good paragraphs.

4) The students did some exercises and composed a text.

5) The teacher helped the students to respond their own text and gavethem some checklists. The students responded their own texts.

6) The teacher helped the students to revise their texts based on theirresponse

4. Closing:

The teacher concluded the lesson and checked the students' comprehension.She said good bye to the students.

b. Control class

1. Greeting:

The teacher greeted the students and asked how they were.

2.Warm up:

The teacher gave some introduction of the teaching materials. He asked somequestions related to the theme and the teaching materials of the day.

3. Main activity:

1) The teacher gave the students the input text of the material thatwas going to be taught.

2) The teacher and the students discussed the text. In addition, theteacher elicited some questions related to the text.

3) The teacher explained the function of the text and the genericstructure of the text. He also explained about how to generate goodparagraphs.

4) The students did some exercises and composed a text.

5) The teacher asked the students to check the spelling and the use ofthe tenses of their texts.

6) The teacher helped the students to correct the misspelling and inappropriate tenses in their texts.

4. Closing :

The teacher checked the students' comprehension and concluded the lesson. He said good bye to the students.

3. Post-Test

After completing, then continue the next step, namely giving a post-test by giving a test that is similar to the pre-test but with a different picture to find out the improvement after getting action through students writing ability.

E. The Technique of Data Analysis

After collecting data by conducting the pre test, treatment, and post test which involve some instrument, then the researcher focused on the data analysis. To analyze the data, the research used the program SPSS version 24. The data collected by the research would be tabulate into mean score, standard deviation, and standard error deviation.

In analyzing the data which had been collected, the researcher had determined the scoring classification by including of content, organization, language use, vocabulary, and mechanics. This scoring uses ELS composition

Criteria	Score	Level
Content	30-27	Excellent to very good Communicative, focused, main ideas, have topics that are relevant to the material
	26-22	Good to average Focus, unsubstantial, is limited to story development, relevant topics but lacking in detail and too general.
	21-17	Fair to poor story development is very limited, ideas are confusing and disconnected, topics are not relevant to the story
	16-13	Very poor Not organized, very confusing, very limited information, irrelevant and not enough to be evaluated
Organization	20-18	Very good Expression ideas are very fluent, well-organized stories, good introduction, good placement of details, and strong conclusion.
	17-14	Good to average Good expression ideas, organized stories, incomplete story sequences, placement of details
	13-10	Fair to poor Less logical ideas, transition is very weak, lack of direction, with detailed ideas
	9-7	Very poor Not organized, confusing, incomplete, not enough to evaluate
Vocabulary	20-18	Excellent to very good Effective words, choice and the usage, specific and accurate
	17-14	Good to average The language communication, errors in the choice of words / idioms but have no effect, some words may lack of precision
	13-10	Fair to poor The language is not communicating, many repetitions, often wrong in the choice of words / idioms and their use,

	9-7	Very poor Lacking in English vocabulary, words usage are wrong, colorless, many wrong spelling and not enough to evaluate
Language use	25-22	Excellent to very good Complex construction, some function errors, prepositions, tenses.
	21-18	Good to average Simple complex construction, errors in functions, prepositions, pronouns, tenses.
	17-11	Fair to poor Problem with construction, dominated by grammar errors, does not communication.
	10-5	Very poor Does not communication, cannot be understand and evaluate

Table 1.1 Scoring uses ELS Composition

The researcher classified the students' pretest and posttest by using classification score rubric below:

Table 1.2 classification rubric score

A	90 – 100	Excellent
B	80 – 89	Good
C	70 – 79	Adequate
D	60 – 69	Inadequate
E	>60	Unacceptable

The data were analyzed by using SPSS ver. 24. It would be tabulated into independent sample test, mean score, standard deviation, and standard error deviation.

CHAPTER IV

FINDINGS AND DISCUSSION

A. Findings

The aim of the study is to find out the effect of self-response on the students' writing skills. This chapter presents the findings of the study that are divided into three sections. The first section is the descriptive analysis. The second is the inferential analysis. The last section is the discussion.

1. The analysis students' speaking score in pretest and posttest.

a. Pre-test

In this section, the researcher showed the complete score of students in writing ability in pre-test, the mean score and standard deviation of students, and the rate percentage of students' speaking score in pre-test. The researcher would present them in the tables and calculate the score by using SPSS 24. For more clearly, at first the researcher would show the complete students' score writing ability in pre-test. It was tabulated by following table:

1. The students score of experimental class

a. The students' pre-test and post-test result

Table 1.1 the students' pre-test result in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequency	Percentage
Excellent	90-100	4	20%
Good	80-89	0	0%
Adequate	70-79	6	30%
Inadequate	60-69	5	25%

Unacceptable	Below 60	4	20%
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Table 2.1 shows that there are 20 students observed in experimental class before giving treatment. There are four students (20%) who get excellent score, there are no students who get got score, six students (30%) who get adequate score, five students (25%) who get inadequate score, and there are four students (20%) who get unacceptable score

Table 1.2 the students' post-test result in experimental class

Classification	Score	frequency	Percentage
Excellent	90-100	4	20%
Good	80-89	1	5%
Adequate	70-79	7	35%
Inadequate	60-69	3	15%
Unacceptable	Below 60	5	25%

The table shows that there are 20 students observed in experimental class after giving treatment. There are four students (20%) who get excellent score, one student (5%) who gets good score, seven students (35%) who get adequate score, three students (15%) who get inadequate score, and there are five students (25%) who get unacceptable score.

b. The students' pre-test and post-test result in writing

Table 2.3 the students' pre-test result in term of content in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	2	10%
Good to Average	15-26	8	40%
Fair to Poor	12-14	8	40%
Very Poor	9-11	2	10%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in content criteria most of students fair to poor score. There are two students (10%) who get excellent to very good score, there are eight students (40%) who good to average score, eight students (40%) who get fair to poor score, and there are two students (10%) who get very poor score

Table 2.4 the students' post-test result in term of content in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	4	20%
Good to Average	15-26	9	45%
Fair to Poor	12-14	7	35%
Very Poor	9-11	0	0%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in post-test especially in content criteria most of students fair to poor score. There are four students (20%) who get excellent to very good score, There are nine students (45%) who good to average score, seven students (35%) who get fair to poor score, and there are no students who get very poor score.

Table 2.5 the students' pre-test result in term of organization in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	10	50%
Fair to Poor	12-14	4	20%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in term of organization criteria most of students fair to poor score. There are no students who get very poor score, ten students (50%) who get excellent to good to average score, There are four students (20%) who good to average score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.5 the students' pos-test result in term of organization in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	10	50%
Fair to Poor	12-14	2	10%
Very Poor	9-11	8	40%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in post-test especially in term of organization criteria most of students score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, ten students (50%) who get good to average score, There are two students (10%) who get fair to poor score, eight students (40%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.7 the students' pre-test result in term of vocabulary in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	12	60%
Fair to Poor	12-14	2	10%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in term of vocabulary criteria most of students score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, twelve students (60%) who get good to average score, There are two students (10%) who get fair to poor score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.8 the students' post-test result in term of vocabulary in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	13	65%
Fair to Poor	12-14	1	5%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in post-test especially in term of vocabulary criteria most of students score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, thirteen students (65%) who get good to average score, one students (5%) who get fair to poor score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.9 the students' pre-test result in term of language use in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	9	45%
Fair to Poor	12-14	2	10%
Very Poor	9-11	8	40%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in term of language criteria most of students score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, nine students (45%) who get good to average score, there are two students (10%) who get fair to poor score, eighth students (40%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.9 the students post-test result in term of language use in experimental class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	12	60%
Fair to Poor	12-14	2	10%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that experimental class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in term of language criteria most of students score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, twelve students (60%) who get good to average score, there are two students (10%) who get fair to poor score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

2. The students score in control class

a. The students' pre-test and post-test result

Table 2.15 the students' pre-test result in control class

Classification	Score	frequency	Percentage
Excellent	90-100	4	20%
Good	80-89	0	0%
Adequate	70-79	7	35%
Inadequate	60-69	4	20%
Unacceptable	Below 60	5	25%

Table 2.15 shows that there are 20 students observed in control class. There are four students (20%) who get excellent score, there are no students who get got score, seven students (35%) who get adequate score, four students (20%) who get inadequate score, and there are five students (25%) who get unacceptable score.

Table 2.16 the students' post-test result in control class

Classification	Score	frequency	Percentage
Excellent	90-100	4	20%
Good	80-89	1	5%
Adequate	70-79	6	30%
Inadequate	60-69	4	20%
Unacceptable	Below 60	5	25%

Table 2.16 shows that there are 20 students observed in control class. There are four students (20%) who get excellent score, there are one students who get good score, six students (30%) who get adequate score, four students (20%) who get inadequate score, and there are five students (25%) who get unacceptable score

b. The students' pre-test and post-test result in writing

Table 2.17 the students' pre-test result in term of content in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	3	15%
Good to Average	15-26	8	40%
Fair to Poor	12-14	9	45%
Very Poor	9-11	0	0%

The table shows that control class students' writing skill in pre-test especially in content criteria most of students fair to poor score. There is three student (15%) who got excellent to very good score, teight students (40%) who get good to average score, nine students (45%) who get fair to poor score, there is no students who get very poor score.

Table 2.18 the students' post-test result in term of content in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	3	15%
Good to Average	15-26	9	45%
Fair to Poor	12-14	6	30%
Very Poor	9-11	2	10%

The table shows that control class students' writing skill in post-test especially in content criteria most of students. There are three students (15%) who get excellent to very good score, nine students (45%) get good to average score, six students (30%) who get fair to poor score, two students (10%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.19 the students' pre-test result in term of organization in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	13	65%
Fair to Poor	12-14	1	5%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that most of students get good to average score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, thirteen students (65%) get good to average score, one students (5%) who get fair to poor score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.20 the students' post-test result in term of organization in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	7	35%
Fair to Poor	12-14	5	25%
Very Poor	9-11	8	40%

The table shows that most of students get very ppor score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, seven students (35%) get good to

average score, five students (25%) who get fair to poor score, eighth students (40%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.21 the students' pre-test result in term of vocabulary in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	9	45%
Fair to Poor	12-14	3	15%
Very Poor	9-11	8	40%

The table shows that most of students get good to average score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, nine students (45%) get good to average score, three students (15%) who get fair to poor score, eighth students (40%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.22 the students' post-test result in term of vocabulary in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	16	80%
Fair to Poor	12-14	0	0%
Very Poor	9-11	4	20%

The table shows that most of students get good to average score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, sixteen students (80%) get good to average score, there are students who get fair to poor score, four students (20%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.23 the students' pre-test result in term of language use in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	0	0%
Good to Average	15-26	11	55%
Fair to Poor	12-14	3	15%
Very Poor	9-11	6	30%

The table shows that most of students get good to average score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, eleven students (80%) get good to average score, there are three students (15%) get fair to poor score, six students (30%) who get very poor score.

Table 2.24 the students' post-test result in term of language use in control class

Classification	Score	Frequencys	Percentage
Excellent to Very good	27-30	6	0%
Good to Average	15-26	11	55%
Fair to Poor	12-14	1	5%
Very Poor	9-11	8	40%

The table shows that most of students get good to average score. There are no students who get excellent to very good score, eleven students (80%) get good to average score, there is one students (5%) get fair to poor score, eight students (40%) who get very poor score.

3. The students mean score and standard deviation of students' pre-test and post-test and post-test in experimental class and control class

Table 2.27 the mean score and standard deviation of students' pre-test and post-test in control class

Descriptive Statistics							
	N Statistic	Minimum Statistic	Maximum Statistic	Sum Statistic	Mean		Std. Deviation Statistic
					Statistic	Std. Error	
Pre Test	20	40	90	1320	66,00	3,866	17,290
Post Test	20	30	90	1280	74,00	4,000	17,889
Valid N (listwise)	20						

From table 2.27, it can this shows indicates that the mean score of student's class control in Pre - Test is mean statistic 66.00 and standart error 3.866 and the standard deviation is 17.290. Also besides, this shows indicates that the mean score of in Post - Test is mean statistic 74.00 and standart error 4.000 and the standard deviation is 17.889.

Paired Samples Test

	Paired Differences					T	Df	Sig. (2- taile d)
	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference				
				Lower	Upper			
PreTest Peir 1 PostTest	2,00000	20,67289	4,62260	-7,67521	11,67521	,433	19	,670

Table show that the mean score of difference between control class and experimental class did not have significant difference.

Table 2.28 the mean score and standard deviation of students' pre-test and post-test in experimental class

Descriptive Statistics							
	N Statistic	Minimum Statistic	Maximum Statistic	Sum Statistic	Mean		Std. Deviation Statistic
					Statistic	Std. Error	
Pre Test	20	40	90	1310	65,50	3,871	17,313
Post Test	20	30	90	1290	74,50	4,005	17,911
Valid N (listwise)	20						

From table 2.28, it can this shows indicates that the mean score of student's class experiment in Pre - Test is mean statistic 65.50 and standart error 3.871 and the standard deviation is 17.313. Also besides, this shows indicates that the mean score of in Post - Test is mean statistic 74.50 and standart error 4.005 and the standard deviation is 17.911.

Table 4.17 The Paired Sample Test of Pre-Test and Post-Test Paired Samples Test

	Paired Differences					t	Df	Sig. (2-tailed)
	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference				
				Lower	Upper			
PreTest PostTest	1,00000	20,74913	4,63965	-8,71089	10,71089	,216	19	,832

The table show that the mean score of difference between control class and experimental class did not have significant difference

To know whether the control class and experimental class are significantly different, and also to know acceptability of hypothesis of this research, the researcher use test analysis and calculate it by using SPSS 24. The result could be shown in the table of group statistic and independent sample test

B. Discussion

Based on the research in Third semester in English BIG A and BIG B, it is found that there is a significant difference in the students writing skills between the students who were taught using self-response and those who were not taught using self-response. The writing skills of the students of the control class and the experimental class before the treatment were the same. It is based on the result of the mean score in the pre-test of the experimental and control class.

There are four writing assessment items used by researchers to analyze data, namely content, organization, vocabulary, use of language. Based on students' scores in the pretest, for both the experimental class and the control class had significant differences before give treatment. The scores of students from both classes on the post test have a significant difference. In the experimental class there are significant items written results between pre-test and post-test. In the control class pretest, it can be seen that most students get a good average score. Shows what is observed in the experimental class before being given treatment. In the pre-test there were four students (20%) who got very good scores, no students got grades, six students (30%) got moderate scores, five students (25%) got poor marks, and there were four students (20 %) who received an unacceptable grade. Students were observed in the experimental class after being given post-test

treatment. There are four students (20%) who get very good scores, one student (5%) who get good grades, seven students (35%) who get enough scores, three students (15%) who get inadequate scores, and there are five students. students (25%) who received an unacceptable grade. indicates that the observed students were in the control class. There were four students (20%) who got very good scores, none of the students got grades, seven students (35%) got enough grades, four students (20%) got insufficient grades, and there were five students (25%).) who get an unacceptable score. students were observed in the control class for the post-test. There are four students (20%) who get very good scores, there is one student who gets good grades, six students (30%) who get sufficient grades, four students (20%) who get inadequate scores, and there are five students (25 %) who received an unacceptable grade. This is because students find it easier to categorize story lines from the beginning, middle, and end, because they have been there before create your own story line.

Based on the results of the pre-test and post-test two findings were obtained, namely the mean score of the control class for the pre-test (66.00) and the post-test (74.00). the mean value of the experimental class for pre-test (65.50) and post-test (74.50). From these results it can be interpreted that students of both classes have almost the same intelligence

In the teaching and learning process of English, the use self-response is good to improve the students' writing skills. The students wrote a draft. The purpose of writing the draft is to convey their ideas on the paper freely. After that, they applied the use of self-response. They responded to their own writing

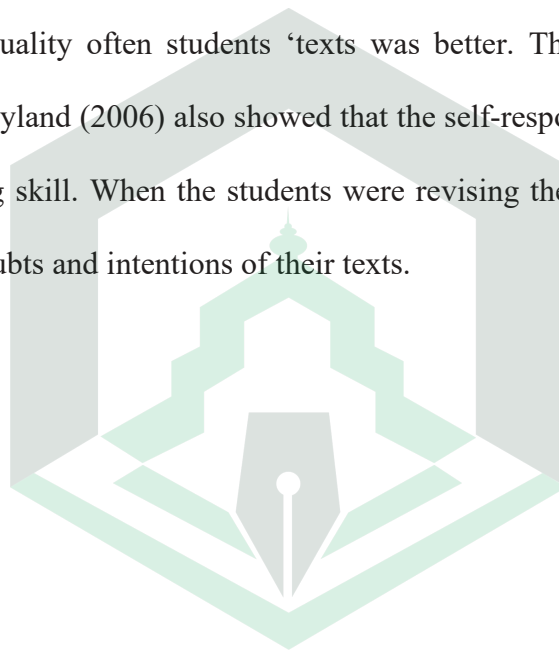
products in order to improve the quality of their writings. Then, the students revised and rewrote their writing products based on the response. Therefore, their writing skill was getting better. Moreover, their independence in responding to their own writings improved. In addition, they realize that composing a good writing needs a process.

It is different from the students who were taught using the conventional method. In this method, the students composed texts as assigned by the teacher. After they had finished writing, they submitted their texts to the teacher without responding and revising them first. Therefore, the students writing skill was not getting better because of the lack of strategies. They did not aware that composing a good text needs a process and they become product oriented minded. Moreover, they could not improve their sense of independence.

This research's findings were systemically related to the earlier research about the impact of self-respond on the students writing ability associated with the previous research findings. On the other hand, there are also differences between this research's findings and several previous researches.

The first previous research conducted by Indra Galih (2013). The result shows that students frequently used, I concluded that mind mapping method could give better achievement for the students in producing procedure text. It goes the same with Zainuddin (2016) finding, the result of study The findings of this study indicated that there was a significant difference in the scores for syntax between extrovert and introvert learners. In this study, introvert EFL learners did better than extrovert EFL learners in constructing sentences (syntax).

The other previous researches have the similarity finding with this research about the impact of self-response on the students writing ability, . Indra Ratna Mulianingsih (2014) found that result of study The findings of this The result of analyzing the data could be concluded in the following explanation. The next finding from Xian Chen (2009) also showed showed that self-response is quite effective as a strategy in revising the students' draft. The students could improve their writing skill because of the opportunity they get in analyzing their own texts. Therefore, the quality of students' texts was better. The fifth previous study conducted by Hyland (2006) also showed that the self-response could improve the students' writing skill. When the students were revising their own texts, they can express their doubts and intentions of their texts.



CHAPTER V

CONCLUSIONS AND SUGGESTIONS

This last chapter presents the conclusion taken from the research. It also presents the suggestion for teachers, students, and future researcher as well. This chapter is divided into three parts; those are conclusions, implications, and suggestion.

A. Conclusions

As mentioned in the formulation of the problems previously, this study is aimed at finding out whether there is a significant difference between students who are taught using self-response and those who are taught without self-response. With regard to the research findings and the discussion in the previous chapter, the researcher proposes some conclusions below.

1. The mean score of the pre-test and post-test of the experimental group before the treatment is given is almost the same range with that of the control group (i.e. $65.50 > 74.50$).
2. Furthermore, the mean score of the pre-test and post-test of the control group after the treatment is given is higher than that of the control group (i.e. $66.00 > 74.060$).

Implications are concluded from the research findings. The research finds that there is a significant difference on students' writing skills between students who are taught using self-response and those who are taught without self-response. In addition, this research implies that the use of self-response is

important in teaching writing.

With regard to the conclusions, this research implies that the use of self-response is capable of promoting the improvement of the students' writing skills in which it can be seen from the students' writing scores after treated using self-response. It is expected that the teachers are highly recommended to utilize self-response on the teaching and learning writing in order to improve students' writing skills.

B. Suggestion

With regard to the above conclusions, the researcher proposes the following suggestions.

1. For teachers

The researcher suggests that all teachers use the most appropriate technique in teaching writing. The researcher also suggests the teachers to employ self-response in teaching writing because it gives a chance for the students to evaluate their work so that they can improve it. It is very beneficial for them if the teachers always encourage the students to revise their writing products and be more independent than before.

2. For students

Through self-response, it is expected that students become more independent in revising their text. With the aid of the questions checklist, they will learn what to be revised in order to improve the quality of their writings.

3. For future researchers

Writing is very complex. It requires three main stages of writing such as pre-writing, whilst writing, and post writing, in order to produce good quality of writing products. It is expected that the future researchers are able to develop students' writing skills from other aspects of writing.



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