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This final project is dedicated with affection, love, and gratitude to:

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ABSTRACT

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This study was aimed to find out whether students’ speed reading had significant correlation with students’ reading comprehension at class XI ips1 of MAN Pematang in academic year 2016/2017. The sample of this study were XIips1 with the total number of students was 37. The design of this study was correlational study which intended to know the correlation between students’ speed reading and their reading comprehension. The result of the study showed that the correlation score between students’ speed reading and their reading comprehension at MAN Pematang resulted 0.605. This gained score was in range between 0.41 – 0.60 which was in category of fair correlation. The result indicated that the correlation between students’ speed reading and their reading comprehension was in fair level. It means that students’ reading comprehension could be moderately influenced by their speed reading performance. From this result the hypothesis (H₀) of this study which stated that “There is no a correlation between the students’ speed reading and their reading comprehension level of the MAN Pematang.” was rejected”

Keywords: *Correlational study, speed reading, reading comprehension*

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Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui apakah terdapat korelasi yang signifikan antara membaca cepat dengan kemampuan membaca pada siswa kelas XI ips1 MAN Pemalang pada tahun akademik 2016/2017. Sampel penelitian ini adalah XI ips1 dengan jumlah total siswa adalah 37. Desain penelitian ini adalah penelitian korelasional yang bertujuan untuk mengetahui hubungan antara kecepatan membaca siswa dengan pemahaman bacaan mereka. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa nilai korelasi skor antara kecepatan membaca siswa dan pemahaman bacaan mereka adalah 0,605. Skor yang diperoleh ini berada di kisaran antara 0,41-0,60 yang dalam kategori korelasi berada pada kategori korelasi sedang. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa korelasi antara kecepatan membaca siswa dan pemahaman bacaan mereka berada pada level yang wajar. Ini berarti bahwa kemampuan siswa dalam memahami bacaan cukup dipengaruhi oleh kinerja kecepatan membaca mereka. Dari hasil ini hipotesis (H0) dari penelitian ini yang menyatakan bahwa "tidak terdapat korelasi antara kecepatan membaca siswa dan tingkat pemahaman membaca mereka pada MAN Pemalang." Ditolak

Kata kunci: *Penelitian korelasional, membaca cepat, pemahaman membaca*

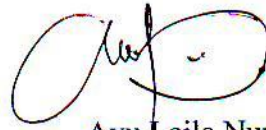
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