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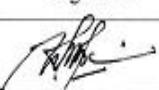
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## ABSTRACT

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Nowadays, still many teachers use technique that make their students are passive in learning process, whereas many methods and techniques that can be used to make the students are active in learning process, one of the techniques that can solve the problem is discussion technique. In the group discussion technique, the object of learning will not be achieved if the teacher does not control what the students do in group. Therefore, the teacher should know their roles when they use group discussion technique.

Based on the problems above, the purposes of this study are to know the English teachers' role in group discussion and how students' response toward group discussion. This research used qualitative research that employed descriptive qualitative method. The subjects of this research were two English teachers and forty-four students of SMAIT Ukhwah Banjarmasin.

The results showed that in group discussion, the teachers' role of English teachers at SMAIT Ukhwah Banjarmasin are facilitator, controller, resource, and organizer. Besides that, the response of students toward group discussion technique is almost all the students interested to learn English using group discussion because most of them like studying English together and exchange opinion with their friends and this technique make them enjoy the lesson.

## ***ABSTRAK***

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**Kata kunci:** Pengajaran Bahasa Inggris, Peran guru, Diskusi kelompok

Sekarang ini, masih banyak guru yang menggunakan teknik mengajar yang membuat murid mereka pasif dalam proses pembelajaran, sedangkan banyak metode dan teknik mengajar yang bisa digunakan untuk membuat murid aktif dalam proses pembelajaran, salah satu teknik mengajar yang bisa memecahkan masalah tersebut ialah teknik diskusi. Dalam teknik diskusi, tujuan pembelajaran tidak akan tercapai jika guru tidak bisa mengontrol apa yang harus dilakukan para murid dalam group. Oleh karena itu, guru harus tahu peran mereka ketika mereka menggunakan teknik diskusi kelompok.

Berdasarkan masalah diatas, tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui peran para guru bahasa inggris dalam diskusi kelompok dan bagaimana respon para murid terhadap diskusi kelompok. Penelitian ini menggunakan penelitian kualitatif yaitu metode deskriptif kualitatif. Subjek penelitian ini adalah dua guru bahasa inggris dan empat puluh empat murid SMAIT Ukhuhwah Banjarmasin.

Hasil menunjukan bahwa dalam kelompok diskusi, peran guru dari para guru bahasa Inggris di SMAIT Ukhuhwah Banjarmasin adalah sebagai fasilitator, controller, resource, and organizer. Selain itu, respon para murid terhadap teknik diskusi kelompok adalah hampir semua murid tertarik belajar bahasa Inggris menggunakan group discussion karena kebanyakan dari mereka menyukai belajar bahasa Inggris bersama dan bertukar pendapat dengan teman mereka dan teknik ini membuat mereka menikmati pembelajaran.

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