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This study is driven by the significance of self-regulated learning (SRL) within academic writing, particularly among EFL learners. In the context of thesis writing, SRL is considered a crucial factor in enabling students to effectively manage themselves. However, an in-depth understanding of the application of SRL in the context of thesis writing still remains limited. This research aims to address this gap by exploring an in-depth understanding of how self-regulated learning (SRL) can be applied in the context of thesis writing and how individuals engage in the process. This study employed a qualitative methodology with a narrative inquiry design and the results were analyzed by thematic narrative analysis. Results show that self-regulated learning in writing a thesis can be divided into three stages: forethought phase, performance phase and self-reflection stage. English as a Foreign Language (EFL) students exhibited various self-regulated learning (SRL) strategies during all three phases of thesis writing, from cognitive, metacognitive, management and motivational perspectives. The findings of this study indicate that students can effectively address the challenges encountered during thesis writing by employing appropriate SRL strategies.

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Kata kunci: Strategi regulasi diri, Penulisan skripsi, Bahasa inggris sebagai bahasa asing, Strategi belajar

Penelitian ini dilatarbelakangi oleh pentingnya self-regulated learning (SRL) dalam konteks penulisan akademik, khususnya bagi siswa EFL (English as a Foreign Language). Dalam proses penulisan skripsi, SRL dianggap sebagai faktor kunci yang membantu siswa mengelola diri mereka sendiri secara efektif. Namun, pemahaman mendalam tentang bagaimana SRL diterapkan dalam konteks penulisan skripsi masih terbatas. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk menjembatani kesenjangan tersebut dengan mengeksplorasi pemahaman mendalam tentang bagaimana SRL dapat diterapkan dalam konteks penulisan skripsi dan bagaimana individu terlibat dalam proses tersebut. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif dengan desain narrative inquiry dan analisis menggunakan thematic narrative analysis. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa proses self-regulated learning dalam menulis skripsi terdiri dari tiga tahap, yaitu fase forethought, fase performance, dan fase self-reflection. Siswa EFL menggunakan berbagai macam strategi SRL dalam menulis skripsi mereka pada setiap fase. Strategi tersebut meliputi strategi kognitif, metakognitif, manajemen, dan motivasi. Kesimpulan dari penelitian ini adalah bahwa siswa dapat mengatasi masalah yang muncul selama penulisan skripsi dengan menerapkan strategi SRL yang tepat.

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“So, surely with hardship comes ease. Surely with ‘that’ hardship comes ‘more’ ease.”

(Asy-Syarh [94]: 5-6)

Embrace the good things in your life with gratitude. Turn the bad things into lessons by becoming stronger!

(B.J. Habibie)

“It’s not always easy, but that’s life! Stay strong, because the best is yet to come!”

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1.	Yunus verse 101: قُلْ أَنظِرُوا مَاذَا فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَمَا تَفْنَى الْعَابِتُونَ وَالنَّذْرُ عَنْ قَوْمٍ لَا يُؤْمِنُونَ	Say (Prophet Muhammad), "observe what is in the heavens and the earth." The signs and warnings (to avert the punishment of Allah) are of no avail to those who do not believe.	Katakanlah (Nabi Muhammad), "Perhatikanlah apa saja yang ada di langit dan di bumi!" Tidaklah berguna tanda-tanda (kebesaran Allah) dan peringatan-peringatan itu (untuk menghindarkan azab Allah) dari kaum yang tidak beriman

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