

CHAPTER V

CLOSURE

A. Conclusion

Finally, in this chapter, the researcher draws a conclusion of the research that fits the theory and the findings of the existing data. Based on the findings and discussion, it can be concluded that one way Indonesian X users simplify English words is by following phonetic spelling that is acceptable in Indonesian.

Language and the internet are ever-evolving phenomena, language adaptation in digital spaces is a dynamic process influenced by social and cultural factors. Indonesian X users demonstrate this by utilizing phonetic spellings to oversimplify English. This practice follows distinct patterns, revealing a creative approach to language simplification. Phonetic spelling among Indonesian X users utilized various methods, including the use of commonly used words, abbreviations, and acronyms. Additionally, techniques like letter removal and letter substitution further showed how Indonesian X users adjust English to suit their needs in online communication.

According to the study that has been conducted, Bahasa Indonesia has some influences on simplified English spelling, especially how English as a foreign language is done. For some EFL learners, Bahasa Indonesia phonetic spelling system will be “a bridge” between the complexity of English spelling and the ability to learn English language that will develop if its based on perseverance in learning.

As long as Indonesian X users find joy of using English with the help of simplification method created by themselves, then the researcher thinks it is possible that this will become a new media and tactic in English teaching and learning.

Furthermore, the emergence of new online linguistic features is primarily evident in the areas of phonetics and morpho-syntax. These changes highlight the role of social media in driving innovations in language use; how users experiment with pronunciation and its written forms. The evolution reflects how language continues to evolve and adapt to the unique demands of the digital era.

B. Suggestion

Based on the results and conclusions, the suggestions that the researcher can provide are:

1. For other researchers who want to conduct similar research :

Although theory and data are not always aligned, the researcher hopes that this can open up opportunities for other researches. This study focused on online linguistics, particularly in exploring phonological, morphological, and syntactic features. The researcher hopes that other linguistic features that are not highlighted will have the opportunity to be studied by future researchers, so that it can provide a more comprehensive understanding of language dynamics in digital space. The researcher also wishes that this study will provoke other fields that are in line with this research to expand. Moreover, in this digital era, it broadens opportunities for sociolinguistic and netnographic research in the future.

2. For the field of education :

The researcher hopes that this study will inspire new discussion topics in lecture activities, particularly in some courses such as Introduction of Educational Linguistic, Sociolinguistics, Semantics and Lexicology, and Morpho-Syntax. This expectation aligns with the observation that the current generation of English Education students at UIN Antasari Banjarmasin demonstrates strong proficiency in utilizing social media and the internet. With the growing availability of English-language resources and applications on the internet, the researcher hopes that students will find English an engaging and enjoyable subject to explore and learn