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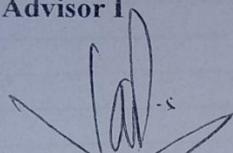
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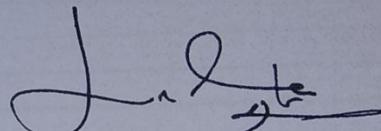
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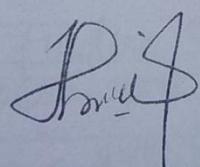


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The problems of the research were: how is the use of pre-reading activities in teaching reading comprehension and how are students' responses toward pre-reading activities in learning reading comprehension.

The subjects of the research was the lecturer of English lesson and the students at lower level 41, 51 and 79 PPB (Language Development Center) of State Islamic University of Antasari Banjarmasin with 25 students each class and total number of students of class 75 students. The object of the research is using pre-reading activities in reading comprehension at lower levels of PPB (Language Development Center) of State Islamic University of Antasari Banjarmasin academic year 2016/2017.

To collect the data, the researcher used the techniques of observation, interview, and documentary. Then all of the data that have been collected were processed using descriptive qualitative method.

The result of the research was lecturer used pre-reading activities. The lecturer prepared all of that was related to today's lesson, brainstorming, explained more about the material using pre-reading activities, the students response the rules of pre-reading, the students exercised, the lecturer asked students about the text through the title before the passage and the students answer according to their opinion, read the text, find difficult words and translate, and answered the question by using pre-reading. The students' responses toward pre-reading activities were happy and enthusiastic.

## ***ABSTRAK***

**Mega Sylvia Widya Octriyani** 2017. Penggunaan Teknik Pre-Reading dalam Pemahaman Membaca. Skripsi. Jurusan Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris. Fakultas Tarbiyah dan Keguruan. Pembimbing: (I) Drs. Saadillah, M.Pd (II) Afifah Linda Sari, M.Pd.

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Rumusan masalah dari penelitian ini adalah: bagaimana penggunaan aktifitas pre-reading dalam mengajar pemahaman membaca? Bagaimana respon siswa terhadap aktifitas pre-reading dalam pembelajaran pemahaman reading.

Subjek dalam penelitian ini adalah dosen Bahasa Inggris pada level bawah dengan jumlah siswa 25 orang tiap kelas dan total 75 siswa. Objek penelitian ini adalah penggunaan teknik pre-reading dalam pemahaman membaca serta respon siswa di PPB (Pusat Pengembangan Bahasa) Universitas Islam Negeri Antasari Banjarmasin tahun ajaran 2016/2017

Dalam pengumpulan data, penulis menggunakan teknik-teknik seperti observasi, wawancara, dan dokumentasi. Kemudian seluruh data yang telah terkumpul diproses menggunakan metode deskriptif kualitatif.

Hasil dari penelitian ini adalah bahwa guru menggunakan *pre-reading activities*, guru mempersiapkan semua yang berkaitan dengan pelajaran hari ini, pemanasan dan menjelaskan lebih lanjut tentang materi dengan menggunakan teknik pre-reading, siswa mendengarkan penjelasan tentang aturan teknik pre-reading ini, siswa latihan mengerjakan, dosen bertanya tentang tema bacaan sebelum membaca teks dan siswa menjawab berdasarkan pendapat mereka, membaca teks, mencari kosakata sulit dan menterjemahkannya, dan menjawab pertanyaan pada teks dengan menggunakan pre-reading. Tanggapan siswa terhadap teknik pre-reading yaitu bahagia dan antusias.

## **MOTTO**

“Never judge a situation that you’ve never been in. Be careful who you trust; the devil was once an angel.”

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