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Classroom interaction is part of communication among teacher and students occurred within the classroom. To interact in the classroom, teacher and students talks are needed. The interaction can balance if teacher and students have a same opportunity to talk in the classroom. Unfortunately, most of classroom interaction are dominated by teacher's talk. Thus, as a teacher, choosing kind of talks in the classroom is important. As one of teacher's talks types, the use of teacher's of questions is deemed as the appropriate way to encourage the students response and create a balance interaction in the classroom.

This leads the researcher to conduct the research in SMKN 1 Pelaihari, exactly at Multimedia-2. The teacher got difficulty to interact with the students in the classroom. Thus, the teacher always try to give question to encourage the students response in order to create an interaction in the classroom. This research focuses on two research questions; 1) What type of questions does the teacher tend to use in classroom interaction at SMKN 1 Pelaihari? 2) What are the questioning techniques used by the teacher in classroom interaction at SMKN 1 Pelaihari?. To answer those two research questions, the researcher used qualitative method by observing the classroom, and interviewing the English teacher. The result showed that the teacher tend to use convergent question in the classroom.

There were 45 convergent questions used in asking the students in the classroom. The result also showed 8 questioning techniques used by the teacher in asking the students in the classroom. They are adapting questions on student ability level, asking questions logically and sequentially, phare question clearly and specifically, asking questions on variety of levels, following up student responses, giving student time to think when responding, using questions that encourage wide student participation, encouraging student questions.

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**Kata Kunci :** Interaksi Kelas, Pertanyaan Guru, dan Teknik Bertanya

Interaksi kelas merupakan bagian dari komunikasi antara guru dan siswa yang terjadi di dalam kelas. Untuk berinteraksi di dalam kelas, diperlukan pembicaraan guru dan siswa. Interaksi dapat seimbang jika guru dan siswa memiliki kesempatan yang sama untuk berbicara di dalam kelas. Sayangnya, sebagian besar interaksi kelas didominasi oleh pembicaraan guru. Oleh karena itu, sebagai seorang guru, pemilihan jenis pembicaraan di dalam kelas sangatlah penting. Sebagai salah satu tipe ceramah guru, penggunaan pertanyaan guru dianggap sebagai cara yang tepat untuk mendorong respon siswa dan menciptakan interaksi yang seimbang di dalam kelas.

Hal inilah yang mendorong peneliti untuk melakukan penelitian di SMKN 1 Pelaihari tepatnya di Multimedia-2. Guru mengalami kesulitan untuk berinteraksi dengan siswa di dalam kelas. Oleh karena itu, guru selalu berusaha memberikan pertanyaan untuk mendorong respon siswa agar tercipta interaksi di dalam kelas. Penelitian ini berfokus pada dua pertanyaan penelitian; 1) Jenis pertanyaan apa yang cenderung digunakan guru dalam interaksi kelas di SMKN 1 Pelaihari? 2) Bagaimana teknik bertanya yang digunakan guru dalam interaksi kelas di SMKN1 Pelaihari?. Untuk menjawab kedua pertanyaan penelitian tersebut, peneliti menggunakan metode kualitatif dengan mengamati kelas, dan mewawancara guru bahasa Inggris. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa guru cenderung menggunakan pertanyaan konvergen di dalam kelas.

Ada 45 pertanyaan konvergen yang digunakan dalam bertanya kepada siswa di kelas. Hasil penelitian juga menunjukkan 8 teknik bertanya yang digunakan guru dalam bertanya kepada siswa di kelas. Mereka mengadaptasi pertanyaan pada tingkat kemampuan siswa, mengajukan pertanyaan dengan jelas dan spesifik, mengajukan pertanyaan secara logis dan berurutan, mengajukan pertanyaan pada berbagai tingkatan, menindaklanjuti tanggapan siswa, memberi siswa waktu untuk berpikir ketika merespons, menggunakan pertanyaan yang mendorong partisipasi siswa yang luas, mendorong pertanyaan siswa.

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*Jangan supan belajar, yang penting usahanya. Tuhan*

*menilai usaha, bukan hasil*

*(Do not be shy to learn, the important thing is the effort. God  
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