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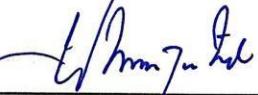
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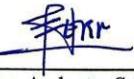
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ABSTRACT

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The present study aims to describe the challenges and strategies in managing delinquent students by English teachers in Islamic senior high school in a sidoarjo. This is done to find out the challenges of the teachers and the strategies they use to overcome these challenges. This research was conducted by using qualitative method with a case study as a qualitative design. The primary data was the statements taken from two teachers' interview and Supportive data taken from observation. The data collection techniques in this research were unstructured interview and natural observation. The technique of analysis in this research was thematic analysis.

Based on the data collected, the researchers found that there were four challenges faced by teachers, namely (1) unequal attention, (2) unequal interaction, (3) students were not active, and (4) wayward student. The strategies used by the teacher to overcome these challenges (1) praising unobedient students, (2) managing students, (3) changing student seats, and (4) using work groups. From these conclusions, the researcher offers several suggestions for dealing with the challenges faced by teachers. Teachers should use more creative strategies in developing various activities, making learning media. Regarding creativity teachers employed various mediums to make it easier for pupils to acquire and grasp the topic. Audio, visual, and audiovisual media were examples of media. Audio and visual media were the most commonly employed in ELT classes. The planning and creativity teachers become the main factors to make the class more interactive using several media.

ABSTRAK

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Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mendeskripsikan tantangan dan strategi dalam mengelola siswa nakal oleh guru bahasa Inggris di SMA Islam di sidoarjo. Hal ini dilakukan untuk mengetahui tantangan para guru dan strategi yang mereka gunakan untuk mengatasi tantangan tersebut. Penelitian ini dilakukan dengan menggunakan metode kualitatif dengan desain kualitatif studi kasus. Data primer adalah pernyataan yang diambil dari wawancara dua guru dan data pendukung yang diambil dari observasi. Teknik pengumpulan data dalam penelitian ini adalah wawancara tidak terstruktur dan observasi natural. Teknik analisis dalam penelitian ini adalah analisis tematik.

Berdasarkan data yang dikumpulkan, peneliti menemukan bahwa terdapat empat tantangan yang dihadapi guru, yaitu (1) perhatian yang tidak seimbang, (2) interaksi yang tidak seimbang, (3) siswa yang tidak aktif, dan (4) siswa yang bandel. Strategi yang digunakan guru untuk mengatasi tantangan tersebut adalah (1) memuji siswa yang tidak patuh, (2) mengatur siswa, (3) mengubah tempat duduk siswa, dan (4) menggunakan kelompok kerja. Dari kesimpulan tersebut, peneliti menawarkan beberapa saran untuk menghadapi tantangan yang dihadapi guru. Guru sebaiknya menggunakan strategi yang lebih kreatif dalam mengembangkan berbagai kegiatan pembuatan media pembelajaran. Mengenai kreativitas, guru menggunakan berbagai media untuk memudahkan siswa memperoleh dan memahami topik. Media audio, visual, dan audiovisual adalah contoh media. Media audio dan visual adalah yang paling umum digunakan di kelas ELT. Perencanaan dan kreativitas guru menjadi faktor utama untuk menjadikan kelas lebih interaktif dengan menggunakan beberapa media.

MOTTO

“Failure is not to be feared but must be conquered in order to achieve success. Success belongs to those who are ready to always fight”

~ Yana Yopianti

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