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This study is mainly intended to find out whether the English textbook used for the third year student of junior high school “*Passport to the World 3, Fun and Easy English Book for Grade IX for Junior High School Student*” is compatible with indicators of the language skills suggested by School Level – Based Curriculum.

In line with the objectives of the research, the writer used a descriptive research. In collecting the data, she used document as data source. The data were analyzed by these steps: (1) presenting the materials, (2) comparing the materials, (3) giving the percentage, (4) judging whether the English textbook is appropriate with School Level – based Curriculum, (5) drawing conclusion.

The result of the analysis shows that the percentage of the appropriateness of the skills developed in the textbook is 55, 38%. It means that in developing the language skill the textbook is fairly good or compatible with the School Level – based Curriculum. The language skills which are developed in the textbook are involved: the compatibility of listening materials is 59, 09% or fairly good with the indicators of School Level – based Curriculum, the compatibility of speaking materials is 68, 75% or good with the indicators of School Level – based Curriculum, the compatibility of reading materials is 44, 44% or fairly good with the indicators of School Level – based Curriculum, the compatibility of writing materials is 59, 09% or fairly good with the indicators of School Level – based Curriculum. This research implies that the textbook entitled “*Passport to the World 3, Fun and Easy English Book for Grade IX for Junior High School Student*” is fairly good materials to support the teaching-learning process. The materials of listening, reading, and writing are not adequate. This English textbook needs the other materials to support the teaching-learning activities.

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