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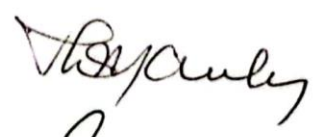
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ABSTRACT

Language is one of the important parts of life, and English is very important for life now and in the future. One of the languages taught in schools is English. English is important because it is used in various fields such as communication, economics, education, science, technology, and others. Communicative Language Teaching is an approach that emphasizes communication as its main goal. CLT uses language as a means of communication, which consists of basic skills such as listening, speaking, writing, and reading. The purpose of this study was to identify the improvements obtained by students after being taught using CLT and to identify the benefits and challenges in using CLT in learning English. The method used by the researcher is descriptive qualitative with data collection through interviews and observations. The results and conclusions of this study are an increase in the enthusiasm and motivation of most students in learning, they also feel that the use of CLT is more interesting and modern. With the group work and presentation methods given by the teacher, students will also be required to think more critically and practice their speaking and reading skills to describe an object.

Keyword: Communicative Language Teaching, Technique, Learning

ABSTRAK

Bahasa merupakan salah satu bagian penting dalam kehidupan, dan Bahasa Inggris sangat penting bagi kehidupan sekarang dan di masa mendatang. Salah satu bahasa yang diajarkan di sekolah adalah Bahasa Inggris. Bahasa Inggris penting karena digunakan dalam berbagai bidang seperti komunikasi, ekonomi, pendidikan, ilmu pengetahuan, teknologi, dan lain-lain. Communicative Language Teaching merupakan suatu pendekatan yang menekankan komunikasi sebagai tujuan utamanya. CLT menggunakan bahasa sebagai alat komunikasi, yang terdiri dari keterampilan-keterampilan dasar seperti mendengarkan, berbicara, menulis, dan membaca. Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengidentifikasi peningkatan yang diperoleh siswa setelah diajarkan menggunakan CLT dan untuk mengidentifikasi manfaat dan tantangan dalam penggunaan CLT dalam pembelajaran Bahasa Inggris. Metode yang digunakan oleh peneliti adalah deskriptif kualitatif dengan pengumpulan data melalui wawancara dan observasi. Hasil dan simpulan dari penelitian ini adalah adanya peningkatan semangat dan motivasi sebagian besar siswa dalam belajar, mereka juga merasakan bahwa penggunaan CLT lebih menarik dan modern. Dengan metode kerja kelompok dan presentasi yang diberikan oleh guru, siswa juga akan dituntut untuk lebih berpikir kritis dan melatih keterampilan berbicara dan membaca mereka untuk mendeskripsikan suatu objek.

Kata kunci: Communicative Language Teaching, Teknik, Pembelajaran