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IMPROVING MOTIVATION OF STUDY AND SHORT WRITING SKILLS BY USING PICTURE SERIES MEDIA FOR ELEVENTH GRADE IPA ASMA MONDIAL BATAM CITY

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## ABSTRACT

The aims of this research were: 1) to improve motivation study in short story writing by using picture series media for eleventh grade IPA A of SMA Mondial Batam City and, 2) to improve short story writing skills by using picture series media for eleventh grade IPA A of SMA Mondial Batam.

This study was clasroom Action Research in two cycles. The first and the second cycles consisted of one meeting for each cycles. The steps of the research process were, 1) planning, 2) action, 3) observation and 4) reflection for each cycles. The classroom Action Research was conducted in SMA Mondial Batam City the year academic 2019/2020. This research way conducted in eight months for the process, start from January 2020 to August 2020. The subjects in this research were 26 students of eleventh grade IPA A of SMA Mondial Batam City. This subjects were boys and 13 other were girls and one collaborator teacher. The data collecting methods in this research were using the questionnaire, test and document analysis. The data analysis techniques of this research were using descriptive statistic.

The results of this research were: 1) the learning process by using picture series media improved the motivation of writing short story. In the first cycles the motivation of writing short story scores were increased from 50% describeb low category to 76,92% in the second cycles describeb in the high category. 2) the writing skills of short story scores were increased. It was showed by the result of students who goined under passing grade in preaction stage were 4 students then if increased to 13 students in the first cycles and 23 students in the second cycles. Mean of writing short story scores in preaction phase were 57,46%. It increased to 66,27% in first cycles and 88,46% in the second cycles.

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