THE EFFECT OF LANGUAGE STIMULATION THROUGH THE FLASHCARD METHOD ON LANGUAGE ABILITY CHILDREN 4-6 YEARS AT RAUDOTHUL ATHFAL NURROHMAN DONOROJO PACITAN

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ABSTRACT

Background: The World Health Organization (WHO) in 2018 stated that the prevalence data for children under five with growth and development disorders was 28.7%. Indonesia ranks third with the highest prevalence in the South-East Asia Region (SEAR). Children's growth and development in Indonesia must receive serious attention, about 5-10% experience general developmental delays. One in 100 children have a language delay. The problem of language skills of children aged 4-6 years can be honed by providing language stimulation through the flashcard method. Objective: To determine the effect of language stimulation through the flashcard method on the language skills of children 4-6 years old at Raudhotul Athfal Nurrohman. Methods: Quasi Experimental Design Research with One Group Pre-test – Post-test Design, non-probability sampling technique with purposive sampling method, population 50 students, sample 33 respondents, research instrument with Denver II test. Results: after analyzing the data using the Wilcoxon test, the p value = 0.000 < 0.05. Conclusion: There is an effect of language stimulation through the flashcard method on the language skills of children 4-6 years old at Raudhotul Athfal Nurrohman.

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