

**DESCRIPTION OF THE KNOWLEDGE AND PREPAREDNESS
OF SANTRI IN DISASTER FIRE AT BOARDING SCHOOL**

GEMOLONG MTA MIDDLE SCHOOL

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ABSTRACT

Background: The World Fire Statistic Report (NFPA) states that 7-8 million people worldwide have experienced fire incidents, and 5-8 million people have suffered accidents due to fires. The National Disaster Management Agency (BNPB) revealed that in the period from January 1 to December 31, 2019, there were 924 out of 3,814 disaster cases in Indonesia located in Central Java. Meanwhile, there were 645 cases of fire incidents in Central Java. In Sragen Regency, there were 14 fire cases reported from January to February. The lack of a subject related to fire disasters in the curriculum at the Islamic boarding school is identified as the reason behind the students' limited knowledge about fire disasters. Objective: To understand the level of knowledge and preparedness of students in facing fire disasters at the Islamic Boarding School of SMP MTA Gemolong. Method: This research employs a quantitative descriptive approach. The sampling technique used is Stratified Random Sampling with Slovin's formula, resulting in a sample size of 75 students from the dormitory of SMP MTA Gemolong. Data collection is conducted through questionnaires. Results: The findings of this research indicate that the majority of students possess good knowledge regarding fire disasters. Moreover, the majority of students demonstrate good preparedness in facing fire disasters. Conclusion: The conclusion drawn from this study is that students residing in the dormitory are already informed about fire disasters and are adequately prepared to handle them.

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