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#### **ABSTRACT**

English Club is one of the extracurricular that is highly trusted in improving English skills. The focus of the English Club is on activities that improve English skills. Based on several studies, the use of English in all activities at the English Club can increase self-confidence and serve as motivation to improve Speaking skills. This study aims to analyze the role of English Club activities in improving students' speaking skills at SMAN 2 Ponorogo.

This study used a descriptive qualitative method. The data were collected through observation, interviews, and documentation. The participants of the study were students who actively participated in English Club activities at SMAN 2 Ponorogo, totaling 12 students. The results of the study indicated that English Club activities at SMAN 2 Ponorogo have a significant role in improving students' speaking skills based on the speaking result. There are various activities that provide opportunities for students to practice speaking English actively. There are Speech, Public Speaking, etc.

However here are several inhibiting factors in improving speaking skills that occur in the English Club. This study concludes that several activities can enhance speaking skills, while some factors hinder speaking, one of which is laziness. To deal with this problem, the school should be able to provide a suitable schedule for this extracurricular. It is one of the factors of laziness also arises from the tight schedule.

**Keywords:** English Club Activities, English Club, Inhibiting Factors, Speaking Skill.

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#### ABSTRAK

English Club merupakan salah satu Ekstrakurikuler yang sangat dipercaya dalam meningkatkan Keterampilan Bahasa Inggris. Karena fokus dari English Club adalah pada kegiatan yang meningkatkan keterampilan Bahasa Inggris. Berdasarkan beberapa penelitian Penggunaan Bahasa Inggris dalam semua kegiatan di English Club dapat meningkatkan rasa percaya diri dan juga sebagai motivasi untuk meningkatkan Keterampilan Berbicara. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk menganalisis peran kegiatan English Club dalam meningkatkan keterampilan berbicara siswa di SMAN 2 Ponorogo.

Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif deskriptif. Data dikumpulkan melalui observasi, wawancara, dan dokumentasi. Partisipan penelitian adalah siswa yang aktif mengikuti kegiatan English Club di SMAN 2 Ponorogo yang berjumlah 12 siswa. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa kegiatan English Club di SMAN 2 Ponorogo memiliki peran yang signifikan dalam meningkatkan keterampilan berbicara siswa berdasarkan Speaking Result. Ada berbagai kegiatan yang memberikan kesempatan kepada siswa untuk berlatih berbicara bahasa Inggris secara aktif. Ada Speech, Public Speaking dan lain-lain.

Namun, ada beberapa faktor penghambat dalam peningkatan keterampilan berbicara yang terjadi di English Club. Penelitian ini menyimpulkan bahwa beberapa kegiatan dapat meningkatkan keterampilan berbicara, sementara beberapa faktor menghambat berbicara, salah satunya adalah kemalasan. Untuk mengatasi masalah ini, pihak sekolah harus dapat menyediakan jadwal yang sesuai untuk ekstrakurikuler ini. Karena salah satu faktor kemalasan juga muncul dari jadwal yang padat.

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Allah SWT said:

Q.S. Al-Baqarah: 286

لَا يُكَلِّفُ اللهُ نَفْسًا إِلَّا وُسْعَهَا ۗلَهَا مَا كَسَبَتْ وَعَلَيْهَا مَا اكْتَسَبَتْ ۗ رَبَّنَا لَا ثُوَّاخِذْنَا إِنْ نَسِيْنَا اَوْ اَخْطَأْنَا ۚ رَبَّنَا وَلَا يُكَلِّفُ اللهُ نَفْسًا إِلَّا وُسِعْهَا ۗ لَهُ الْفَوْمِ الْكَنْ مِنْ قَالِنَا ۚ رَبَّنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا بِه ۚ وَاعْفُ عَثَّا لَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكُورِيْنَ  $\Box$  وَاغْفِرْ لَنَا وَارْحَمْنَا ۗ اَنْتَ مَوْلُسَنَا فَانْصُرْنَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكُورِيْنَ

Meaning: Allah does not burden a person except according to his ability. He gets (reward) from the (virtue) he does and he gets (torment) from the (evil) he does. (They prayed), "Our Lord, do not punish us if we forget or we make a mistake. O our Lord, do not burden us with a heavy burden as you burdened those before us. Our Lord, do not bear for us what we cannot bear. Forgive us, forgive us, and have mercy on us. You are our protector, so help us face the disbelievers. (Al-Baqarah: 286)

Q.S. At-Talaq:2-3

ذَٰلِكُمْ ۚ لِلَّهِ ٱلشَّهَٰذَةَ وَأَقِيمُواْ مِّنكُمْ عَدْلٍ ذَوَىْ وَأَشْهُدُواْ بِمَعْرُوفٍ فَارِقُوهُنَّ أَوْ بِمَعْرُوفٍ فَأَمْسِكُوهُنَّ أَجْلَهُنَّ بَلَغْنَ فَإِذَا ۚ يَحْتَسِبُ لَا حَيْثُ مِنْ وَيَرْزُقُهُ مَخْرَجًا لَّهُ يَجْعَل ٱللّهَ يَتَّقِ وَمَن ۚ ٱلْءَاخِرِ وَٱلْيَوْمِ بِٱللّهِ يُؤْمِنُ كَانَ مَن بِهِ يُوعَظُ قَدْرًا شَنَيْءٍ لِكُلِّ ٱللّهُ جَعَلَ قَدْ ۚ أَمْرِةٍ بَلِغُ ٱللّهَ إِنَّ ۚ حَسْبُهُ فَهُوَ ٱللّهِ عَلَى يَتَوَكَّلْ وَمَن

Meaning: When they are nearing the end of their iddah, then reconcile them well or let them go well and testify with two fair witnesses among you and let your testimony be established for the sake of Allah. Thus are taught those who believe

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