

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. The Background of the Study

Curriculum is something that needs to be considered in order to improve academic performance. Efforts to improve quality education by improving the facilities and procedures that support learning are new developments that need to be continued (Fajriyatin, 2015). The availability of this curriculum is useful for teachers and students to achieve academic goals. Good instructional materials will make it easier for teachers to lead students to success. One of the instructional materials used by the instructor is the student work assignment.

According to Damayanti (2013), Student Worksheets are one of the media that promotes English language achievement. The worksheets are usually instructional tools that focus on students' abilities and skills only by relying on the teacher's instructions. There are often physical exercises that improve student comprehension. Today, it is only considered incomplete if the teacher simply teaches without the help of a worksheet. Because through the use of worksheets students can improve their understanding and the teacher can monitor their learning.

Student worksheets are usually information that can help students complete a task. It can also help the teacher do an extra lesson in the study next to the textbook. Because the worksheet in the curriculum has been

modified for the skills to be completed which is equipped with questions and instructions with the purpose that the student can learn at his / her own level. Self (Prastowo, 2014).

The use of student reports in education can also help students understand information on their own. Student worksheets also provide more time for students to demonstrate their abilities and improve thinking processes through exploration, guessing, and reasoning. The focus of learning (Trianto, 2009: 9) is to change attitudes due to past experiences. Therefore, this student guide is intended to enhance student learning.

Each high school has a different student worksheet. They have different rules and reasons for choosing students to work. It happens because each school has its own curriculum developed by the teacher. A good work ethic of students should follow their instructions, so the teacher should consider it when selecting the worksheet. Data in students' worksheets should include four languages. The four language skills must be equal. Writing is a language skill that should be documented in the student's worksheet.

Some schools in Medan use student workbooks in teaching and learning. The role of student passports is now beginning to change, student book are only becoming partners in learning. The point is that a book is an important book in education. But now, it has become an important tool used by many educators. As a result, student work has a huge impact on teaching and learning.

Preliminary studies were conducted in Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah. Records from interviews with some students. The results showed that they were more likely to use student work instead of textbooks. At that school, each grade level has student work assignments with the same publisher. This is because the student worksheet has a few questions to discuss from them.

Theoretically, he felt that the paperwork should be necessary for good workmanship, that is, the requirements for construction, construction, and operation (Darmodjo, 1992: 41-46). , usually have paperwork. which does not comply with the above rules. In order to obtain information and an opinion on the case, the researcher published anonymous studies. Assessing Student Worksheets in Writing of MTs Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah Tembung.

B. The Problems of the Study

Based on the history of this study, reseacher questions can be developed as follows

1. What is the quality of students' worksheets form in writing skill at MTs Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah Tembung?
2. How students' worksheet is used by the teachers at MTs Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah Tembung?

C. The Objectives of the Study

1. To know the advantages of the student worksheet at MTs Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah Tembung.
2. To describe how teachers use student worksheets in learning.

D. The Scope of the Study

The scope of this study is the student worksheet in writing. In this study, the researcher focused on student worksheets used by students at MTs Al-Jam'iyatul Washliyah Tembung. The researcher examined the student worksheet in grade 8 in the first semester and the second semester.

E. The Significances of the Study

This study is expected to be useful for teachers and students in their attempt to understand the student worksheet. The results of the findings will provide important insights into:

- 1) As a theory, it would be useful to provide valuable information about the student worksheet.
- 2) Practice

For teachers, follow the instructions for the teacher when selecting English students for high school work assignments. It is also thought to help the teacher add information that would be created into the teacher material.

For students, this study should help students to obtain information about student worksheets based on additional information in the textbook.