CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the Study

Reading is a receptive skill besides listening. This is acquired to be learned. Reading is believed to be the most imperative especially in Learning English as foreign language. A situation in which most English learners discovered themselves in reading is mind reason why students learned it. Without solid reading proficiency, second language readers cannot do with English-speaking counterpart. Field, Aebersold, (1997) emphasize that acquisition of reading ability in second language is priority for million students, and there is growing demand for effective reading course and high-quality foreign language reading material. Indonesia is the country that regarding English to be imperative part of all students' education attempts putting the best efforts to enlarge English characteristic so that students followed the development in the world and complete it to get better life.

Students of 12th grade of Automotive Engineering study program at SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa utilized textbook is presented by government by the title "Bahasa Inggris" published by "Pusat Kurikulum dan Perbukuan Balitbang, Kemendikbud RI 2016". It is revised from curriculum 2013. From data of this research, that showed reading material is not appropriate with students' needs.

According to observation above, we knew that reading material of procedure text is not relevant. Reading materials like: "How to make dipped

chocolate strawberry", "How to operate Photoshop, and "How to breed leopard geckos" are not relevant for students' of automotive engineering. Because of the topics are not relevant with their program. Meaning of function of ESP can reduce problems. Adaptation of reading text to be related to students' needs and program is particularly application ESP. (Richards, 2001: 28) argued the concern to construct language course more relevant to students' needs lead the period to emergence of ESP.

By using it, the teachers will analyze each student' need and design apropriate reading materials for them. So, the students will get relevant materials based on their program. Text will be more interesting and students will expand their own knowledge.

From those explanations, researcher is interested to expand procedure text of twelve students at SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa and hopefully it can assist learning reading process particularly to expand and also develop students' skills in reading for the future.

B. The Problem of Study

The problem of this study is: "How is the developed English Reading Materials in Procedure Text for Twelfth Grade Students of Automotive Engineering Study Program at Smk Swasta Cerdas Bangsa?



C. Objective of Study

As described in earlier explanation, this study objective is to expand procedure text in reading material which are appropriate for students of twelfth grade of Automotive Engineering Study Program at SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa.

D. Scope of Study

This research just focused on developing appropriate materials for 15 twelfth grade students of Automotive Engineering Study Program at SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa. Scope of the study is on the procedure text about how to do something about automotive engineering study program.

E. The Significance of Study

This research result expected to present much contribution to following educational stakeholders. This research finding is expected not only to be helpful but also relevant

A. Theoretically

The research present some information and theories about developing specific reading materials, particularly procedure texts for vocational schools based on their study program that can be used for further studies.

B. Practically

a. English Teacher

Development of the materials is goaled to assist the teachers go have more relevant materials utilized to teach students of twelfth grade student of SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa.

b. To the students

This research material will assist students of twelve grade of SMK Swasta Cerdas Bangsa to obtain sufficient exposures dealing with several steps in order to be completed, because objective followed by series of steps oriented in achieving goals.

c. Other Researcher

This research result can be applied as sources of reference from future research.