AN ANALYSIS OF STUDENTS' DIFFICULTIES IN READING COMPREHENSION (A CASE STUDY OF ELEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS OF MA SHOLAHUDDIN KERANGKULON WONOSALAM DEMAK)



A THESIS Submitted as a Partial Fullfillment of the Requirements for *Sarjana Pendidikan* (S1) Degree in the Field of English Education (TBI)

> by: Uni Yulva (1810510110)

ISLAMIC INSTITUTE STATE OF KUDUS TARBIYAH FACULTY DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH EDUCATION 2023

REPOSITORI IAIN KUDUS



KEMENTERIAN AGAMA REPUBLIK INDONESIA INSTITUT AGAMA ISLAM NEGERI KUDUS FAKULTAS TARBIYAH

Alamat: Jalan Conge Ngembalrejo Bae Kotak Pos 51 Kudus 59322 Telp. (0291) 432677 Fax. 441613, 438818 email: <u>fakultas.tarbiyah@iainkudus.ac.id</u>, <u>tarbiyahiainkudus@gmail.com</u>, website: <u>www.iainkudus.ac.id</u>

APPROVAL SHEET

This follow	wing thesis:
Name	: Uni Yulva
NIM	: 1810510110
Faculty	: Tarbiyah
Study Program	: Tadris Bahasa Inggris
Title	: AN ANALYSIS OF STUDENTS' DIFFICULTIES IN
	READING COMPREHENSION (A CASE STUDY OF
	ELEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS OF MA
	SHOLAHUDDIN KERANGKULON WONOSALAM
	DEMAK)

Has actually gone through the mentoring process with a Consultant since 22 November 2021 to 16 December 2022 and approved to be able to proceed to the **Munaqosah** process.

Kudus, 16 December 2022 Consultant,

Setvohingsih, M.Pd NIP.19760522203122001

REPOSITORI IAIN KUDUS



KEMENTERIAN AGAMA RI INSTITUT AGAMA ISLAM NEGERI KUDUS FAKULTAS TARBIYAH Jl. CongeNgembalrejo. Bae. Kudus . Kode Pos 51 Kudus 59322. Telp. (0291)432677. Fax 441613.438818 Website: www.iainkudus.ac.id

APPROVAL SHEET

This 'following thesis: Name/NIM Faculty/Department Title

: Uni Yulva/1810510110 : Tarbiyah/English Education : AN ANALYSIS OF STUDENTS' DIFFICULTIES IN READING COMPREHENSION (A CASE STUDY OF ELEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS OF MA SHOLAHUDDIN KERANGKULON WONOSALAM DEMAK)

Has been accepted by the Board of Examiners of Department of English Education of Tarbiyah Faculty at Islamic Institute State of Kudus (IAIN Kudus) on January 05th, 2023, and hereby considered to complete the requirements for the degree of Sarjana Pendidikan (S.Pd.) in the field of English Education.

NAME	DATE	SIGNATURES
<u>H. Wahibur Rokhman, SE, M.Si., Ph.D.</u> NIP. 197310282002121002 Chairman/1 st Examiner	1%, 2023.	while
<u>Taranindya Zulhi Amalia, M.Pd.</u> NIP.198309192009122004 2 nd Examiner	176,2023	to
Muhammad Arif Al Hakim, M. TESOL. NID. 199306261004012021 Secretary	HTERIAN	T
Setyoningsih, S,Pd., M.Pd. NIP.197605222003122001 Consultant	17 2014	A A
Dr. M. Nur Ghufron, S.Ag., M.Si. NIP. 197811012005011002 Dean of Tarbiyah Faculty	TARBINAN MUONESI	1 i

DECLARATION

Hereby, I sincerely declare that the undergraduate thesis entitled AN ANALYSIS OF STUDENTS' DIFFICULTIES IN READING COMPREHENSION (A CASE STUDY OF ELEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS OF MA SHOLAHUDDIN KERANGKULON WONOSALAM DEMAK) is purely represented my ideas on my own words. I also declare that there are no other's ideas or words have been included. I absolutely aware that this final project is quoted or consulted the part of resources from the books and websites listed in the references.



REPOSITORI IAIN KUDUS

ΜΟΤΤΟ

Reading Without Reflecting is Like Eating Without Digesting -Edmund Burke - 1



¹ Dawn Paulson, "*Reading Without Reflecting is Like Eating Without Digesting-Edmund Burke*". World V Documents, Januari 5, 2016, <u>https://vdocuments.net/reading-without-reflecting-is-like-eating-without-digesting-edmund-burke-568c6953165c2.html?page=4</u>

DEDICATION PAGE

Alhamdulillahirabbil alamin, with full gratitude thanks to Allah Swt. With his grace and help, this thesis could be written. The writer dedicates this work to:

- 1. The writer's parents, Mr. Sunoto and Mrs. Kasimah for your constant love and support
- 2. Mrs. Setyoningsih, M.Pd. as a supervising lecturer has patiently guided and provided positive direction during the process so that the writer can complete the thesis better
- 3. MA Sholahuddin Kerangkulon Wonosalam Demak who has permitted research objects and data souces in completing the thesis
- 4. All the teachers who have given their knowledge to the writer, hope the knowledge that has been given will be of benefit to the writer and those around him. Especially Mr. Ahmad Habib Musthofa, S.Pd.I. which became the driving spirit and motivation continues to grow until now
- 5. My classmate of TBI C of 2018 accompanied the writer during college. You are adorable, thanks for the experience and cooperation
- 6. Best friends like family from boarding houses and one organization, Nem Lutfi and Nem Anjar which cannot be expressed in words, because there are too many great things that have gone through together
- 7. Dek Sintya understands and helps the writer's ups and downs while in Kudus. Beb Sofa, a friend to confide in as well as an internet helper while working on his thesis. Beb Mihan and Ana, friends who care and support, Bu Anida and Dyah who is always a writer who makes it hard for her home, Miss Nuril for the best journey, and my childhood friend – big neighbor as well, mbak tyas. thank you, guys
- The Big Family of Racana Sunan Kudus Rabi'ah Al-Adawiyyah Scout IAIN Kudus, which became a writer's life organization. Especially SATKO BRIGSUS NSSI 2020, who have given many great things and colors to the writer's life
- 9. Kak Maya and Kak Ma'ruf, And the last to someone whose sentence keeps the writer going, thank you.

REPOSITORI IAIN KUDUS

ARABIC TRANSLITERATION

1. Konsonan

No	Arab	Latin		No	Arab	Latin]	No	Arab	Latin
1	i	Tidak dil- ambangkan		11	į	z		21	ق	q
2	ŗ	В		12	ى	8		22	ك	k
3	¢	Т		13	ش	sy		23	J	1
4	¢	ŝ		14	ص	ş		24	,	m
5	ε	J		15	اض	đ		25	ò	n
6	ε	b /~	4	16	6	1	A	26	9	w
7	ż	Kh		17		8		27	ĸ	h
8	2	D		18	٤			28	4	
9	à	Z	1	19	ż	g	2	29	ي	у
10	J.	R		20	L.	f				
2.	Vokal Po	end ek			4.	Diftong				
	کتبَ a = ـــــ			aba		;aí	ŝŝ	kaifa	1	
یکین i =		su'	ila		j≟ = au j	ž	haul	a		
— – u يَتْحَبُّ yażhabu										
3. Vokal Panjang										
لَّ = ā لَنَ			qäl	qăla						
	·	قِيَلُ T =	qīla							
يَقُوْلُ ٥ = ـــُـو			yaq	yaqūlu						
					2					

²Mts Darussalam, *Buku Guru Fikih Kurikulum 2013 kelas VII Mts*. Slideshare, 2014, <u>https://image.slidesharecdn.com/bukufikihviigurukurikulum2013-</u> <u>140830194320-phpapp01/95/buku-fikihviigurukurikulum-2013-8-</u> <u>638.jpg?cb=1409428216</u>

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

All praise to Allah SWT. Who has given grace ad guidance to the writer so that the writer can complete the writing in the form of a thesis entitled An Analysis of Student's Difficulties in Reading Comprehension (A Study of Eleventh Grade Students of MA Sholahuddin Kerangkulon Wonosalam Demak) hopefully this thesis which is still far from perfect can bring benefits to writers in particular and readers in general.

Sholawat and salam are always to prophet Muhammad Sallallahu Alaihi Wasallam, who has brought us from the age of ignorance to modern times full of knowledge today. Hopefully, we will always get his intercession on the day.

Thanks to Allah Swt Blessings, the writer was able to finish the preparation of this thesis smoothly to obtain a bachelor's degree (S1) in the Tadris Bahasa Inggris study program at the Tarbiyah Faculty of IAIN Kudus. The completion of this thesis is inseparable from the guidance, direction, and support of various parties. Therefore, the writer would like to thank:

- 1. Prof. Dr. H. Abdurrohman Kasdi, Lc. M.Si. As the rector of Institut Agama Islam Negeri Kudus
- 2. Dr. M. Nur Ghufron, S. Ag., M.Si. as the dean Faculty of Tarbiyah, Institut Agama Islam Negeri Kudus
- 3. Taranindya Zulhi Amalia, M. Pd. As Head of Tadris Bahasa Inggris study program at the Institut Agama Islam Negeri Kudus
- 4. Setyoningsih, M.Pd as the supervising lecturer who has provided guidance and direction so that the writer can complete the thesis better.
- 5. All lecturers and all Institut Agama Islam Negeri Kudus Employees, especially TBI Lecturers who have provided knowledge, experience, and motivation to the writer in completing this study
- 6. Principal of the MA Sholahuddin, Bapak H. M. Ali Akhmadi, S.E. along with the entire board of teachers who have given permission and assistance to the writer while carrying out the research. So that the writer can finish this thesis smoothly
- 7. Mrs.Nur Diana Sari, S.Pd. is an English subject teacher who has provided direction, experience, and also motivation during the research and data collection process
- 8. My Parents and beloved family have provided support, motivation, and very meaningful blessings. So that the writer can complete the thesis smoothly

9. All parties that the writer cannot mention by one who have helped both physically and psychologically since the implementation until the end of the preparation of this thesis Finally, the writer can finish this thesis, and the writer realizes that this thesis still has many shortcomings and is far from perfect considering the limitations that the writer has. Hopefully, this thesis can be useful for writers in particular and readers in general.

