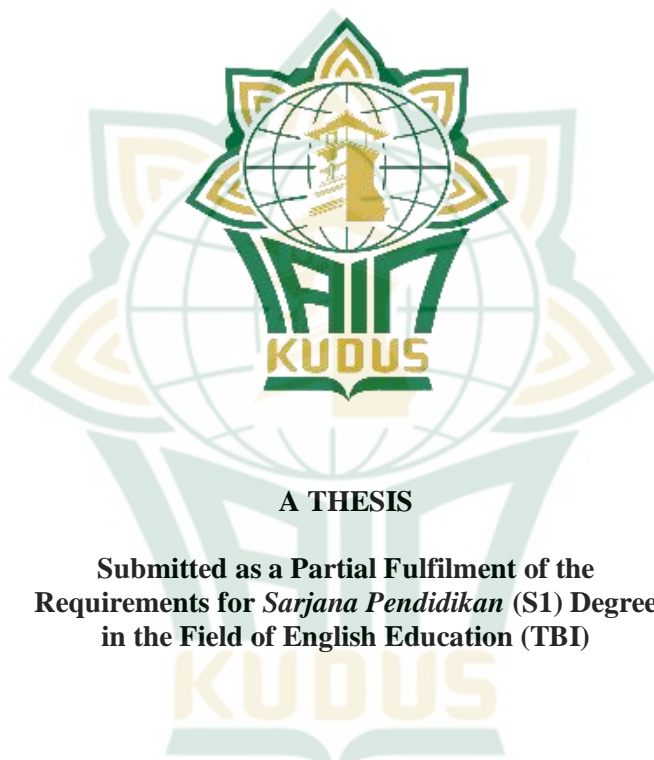


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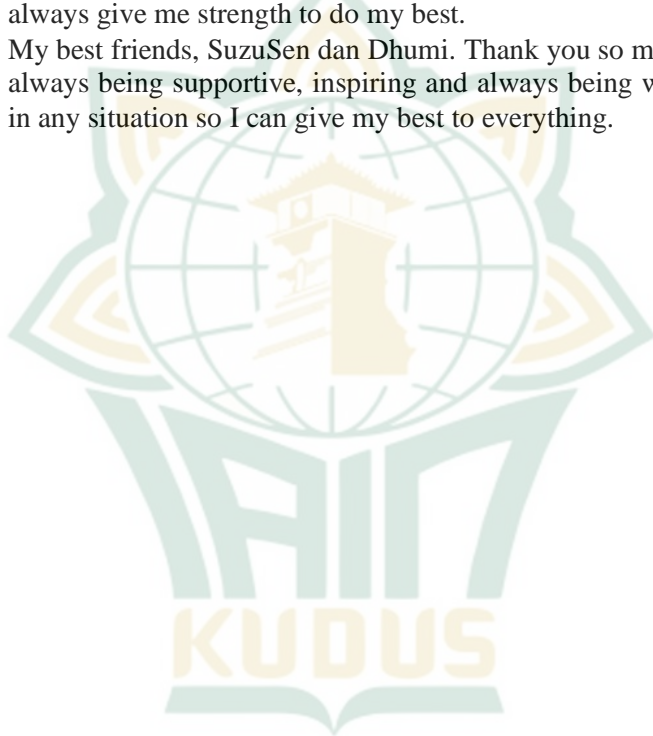
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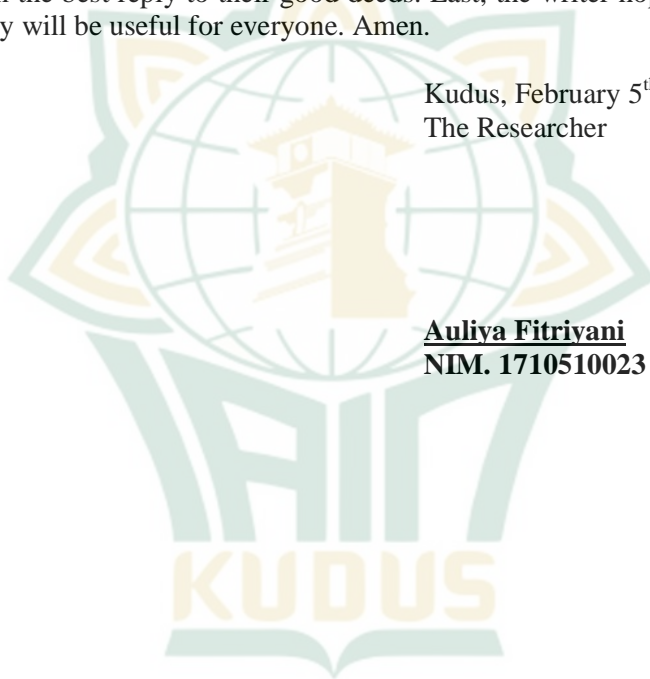
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PREFACE

The COVID-19 outbreak affected various aspects of life, starting from social, economic, cultural and so on. It also affected the education world. A lots of local governments, supported by Minister of Education and Culture of Indonesia, have implemented policies to close schools and colleges to prevent the spread of COVID-19. More than 6,000 schools ranging from early childhood education to secondary education and colleges are closed starting from the end of March.¹ Due to this condition, learning process that initially carried out face-to-face in the classroom has changed to online learning or study from home.

As a response, Minister of Education and Culture of Indonesia issued a regulation on guidelines for implementing curriculum in emergency situations as an adjustment to teaching and learning policies during the COVID-19 outbreak. These guidelines are summarized in the circular letter of Minister of Education and Culture of Indonesia Number 719 / P / 2020 about the Guidelines of Implementing Curriculum for Educational Unit in Particular Condition of COVID-19 Pandemic.

Responding to this policy, many schools conducted learning process via online, and so English learning. English teachers have been preparing several strategies to teach English language skills during the COVID-19 pandemic. Due to this reasons, the researcher is interested to study further about online teaching and learning using WhatsApp and school web portal during COVID-19 pandemic especially in exploring English language learning on private high school in Kudus, Indonesia.

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