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This study investigates the impact of using Artificial Intelligence (AI) as an assistant on students' writing achievement in teaching descriptive text. This study aims to determine whether AI improves students' writing skills and identify the challenges faced by students when learning descriptive text through traditional techniques. Conducted at SMA Negeri 9 Medan, this study highlights issues such as limited vocabulary and difficulty in expressing ideas. This study used an experimental design involving two classes from grade X that were randomly selected: X-3 as a control group using conventional teaching methods and X-5 as an experimental group using AI (ChatGPT). The sample consisted of 30 students in each class. Data were collected through pre-test and post-test assessments to measure students' writing skills before and after the treatment. The assessment instrument included a rubric to evaluate descriptive writing, focusing on clarity, detail, imagery, organization, and overall effectiveness, then all data were processed using SPSS to conduct a t-test independent sample test which then The findings showed a significant increase in the average score of the experimental group from a pre-test average of 45.77 to a post-test average of 86.67, compared to the control group scores of 42.80 and 76.07, respectively. These results indicate that the use of AI significantly improved students' descriptive writing skills while reducing common challenges associated with traditional learning methods. Consequently, the null hypothesis was rejected, which confirmed that AI positively affects students' writing skills in a descriptive context. The implications of this study suggest that integrating AI into educational practices can improve student engagement and writing proficiency, especially in subjects such as descriptive texts. This study contributes to the understanding of the role of AI in language learning and provides practical insights for educators who want to improve their teaching methodologies.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Study

The rapid development of Artificial Intelligence (AI) has become a crucial factor in transforming educational paradigms, especially in the field of language learning. Ali (2020) explained that Artificial Intelligence (AI) is a system that, similar to other technologies we use daily, will gradually become invisible to the human eye for various human tasks. As a result, human dependence on AI may become commonplace. Artificial intelligence facilitates the creation of advanced educational systems that provide intelligent guidance in language learning, thus revolutionising the field.

According to the explanation from Aldabe et al., (2023) Roll & Wylie, (2016), AI has played a significant role in developing language learning chatbots and virtual conversation partners, revolutionizing how learners improve their language skills beyond traditional tutoring systems. These AI-driven creatures provide captivating and genuine conversations, allowing learners to fully engage in realistic conversational environments and actively enhance their language abilities. Moreover, AI is a beacon for promoting multilingualism and linguistic inclusion by removing language barriers and fostering a culture of multiple languages in education. Advances in AI have led to the development of advanced translation and language understanding systems that offer instant translation and interpretation services (Aldabe et al., 2023; Roll & Wylie, 2016).

AI-powered writing tools have gained recognition for their ability to help students create essays, provide advice on grammar and style, and help develop material. This technology has demonstrated its value as a valuable resource for students, especially by offering quick feedback and improving writing skills (Gayed et al., 2022). Students from different places increasingly utilize AI technology to improve their writing procedures. AI-based tools significantly assist various aspects of scientific writing, including language refinement, grammar verification, and editing (Alharbi, 2023; Dale & Viethen, 2021).

According to Farrokhnia et al.,(2023), these tools can assist students in identifying and correcting language issues, there by improving the overall clarity and coherence of their compositions; essay writing by students in academia is an essential component of intellectual communication, demonstrating their understanding, analytical skills, and research aptitude. While important, these techniques are fraught with obstacles that often arise when students struggle to organise their essays. It also involves finding effective ways to formulate logical arguments and ensure clarity and synthesis, conducting thorough and detailed literature reviews, and ensuring the authenticity and accuracy of citations.

AI-based learning modes can help educators effectively convey the target language and inspire students to engage with the material. This approach fosters a learning environment that embraces and utilizes technological advancements, ultimately enhancing the educational experience across multiple disciplines. As a result, students are more likely to be engaged and attentive during learning. The

effectiveness of teaching activities depends on students' engagement with the subject and their motivation to learn.

English language teaching in Indonesia is becoming increasingly important due to the implementation of the Independent Curriculum Policy. This policy allows educational institutions to create a curriculum more suited to local needs, allowing teachers and policymakers to customize learning materials based on student needs and preferences. However, implementing English in this policy is not as smooth as think including teachers and students, have many obstacles because English is a foreign language in Indonesia, hindering its daily application. English education is still stagnant, relying on traditional teaching approaches without innovation. The absence of change or new development in teaching methods results in low student enthusiasm, aptitude and attachment to English.

Four areas are often studied when learning English: listening, speaking, reading and writing. These skills are utilized to develop students' strategic language competencies and enhance their passion for learning English. Writing is one of the most essential skills for academic development. As with any other ability, writing skills cannot be achieved without a learning process.

Students need basic skills to create ideas, identify goals, organized thoughts, and form coherent sentences. Students are introduced to various means and methods to create quality writing. However, some children experience difficulties in their writing skills. Students sometimes face some writing difficulties due to limited vocabulary and difficulty expressing their ideas, thus hampering their writing skills.

Therefore, one of the materials that hone students' writing skills was chosen: learning about descriptive text, which is very important to improving students' writing skills. Explanatory text is literature depicting a specific person, place, or item. Students can use simple present tense and adjective clauses while composing descriptive texts. The purpose of descriptive writing is primarily to provide information (Panjaitan & Elga 2020).

From the explanation above, descriptive text learning is a process that allows students to effectively describe objects or things visually. Therefore, as teachers, we must be able to provide different teaching and be more able to explore different learning media so that there is no monotonous learning and the development of student ideas and apply to students the importance of opening up to developing technology but must remain on things that make a difference.

As a prospective teacher, what must be done is to deliver learning materials to students that they can receive well and quickly. Exploring different ways of delivering material and providing an atmosphere different from what is usually done is very important. Mastery of learning support applications in this day and age must be introduced. This is now known as learning using artificial intelligence, which can be used to deliver and work on questions during learning, and it is essential to be introduced to students.

In the field of rapid technological advances today, it is schools that play an essential role, which requires schools as educational institutions to actively utilize technology, especially for the teaching and learning process in the classroom, because technological learning will move according to the needs of the times. Technological advances and easy access to more modern learning applications in

the school environment must have a significant impact on the progress of learning development in the classroom so that later, there will be more and more learning applications like this that can explore more exciting learning and not just stick to one way of teaching.

However, it was seen that when conducting observations at SMA Negeri 9 Medan school, the application of more varied learning applications has not been appropriately implemented. The delivery of material is still carried out in the same way. However, the teachers are still using traditional methods, such as using picture models as one way to teach, so this makes students have when learning to write, such as the inability to organize their ideas into a coherent essay because of a lack of understanding of vocabulary. A limited vocabulary might make it more difficult for students to articulate ideas exactly and clearly.

One of the most common issues students face while writing descriptive text is a lack of understanding of English tenses. This lack of knowledge might result in sentences that are incomprehensible or unconstitutional in specific situations. Students may use unclear vocabulary or repetition if they lack the words to express their ideas clearly. In writing, an extensive vocabulary enables the expression of variety and depth. Without it, students could find it challenging to explain what they mean to say or to distinguish between similar ideas. Students cannot select and develop the topic sentence due to a lack of writing activities in writing their paragraphs. Without practice, students might be unable to provide relevant supporting facts, examples, or explanations for their topic sentences. This can result in paragraphs that seem disconnected or lack depth.

Based on the problem description above, researchers will analyze descriptive text learning activities using artificial intelligence as a teaching aid at SMA Negeri 9 Medan. Therefore, the researcher raised the author's research title to "The Effect of Using AI as an Assistant on Students' Writing Achievement in Teaching Descriptive Texts."

1.2 The Identification of the Problem

Based on the background above, the problems will be identified as follows:

1. Teachers at school are still using traditional methods, such as picture models, to teach descriptive text, which may not be effective for students
2. Student achievement taught using AI would be better than that taught using the traditional method.
3. The students have difficulties in writing descriptive text.

1.3 The Scope and Limitation

The scope of this research is related to writing and is limited to the use of AI in writing descriptive text at ten grades of SMA Negeri 9 Medan 2023/2024 Academic.

1.4 The formulation of the problem

Based on the background above, the problem of this research was formulated as follows:

1. Is there any significant effect of using AI on students writing skills in descriptive text?

2. Which is higher, the student's achievement taught using the AI method or the students' achievement taught using the traditional method in writing the descriptive text?
3. What are the difficulties for students in learning descriptive text using the Traditional methods?

1.5 The Objective of the Study

Based on the problem of the study, the aims of the study are:

1. To determine the effectiveness of using AI to change students writing skills in descriptive text.
2. To search out the students' achievement in learning descriptive text with compare the effectiveness of AI and traditional method.
3. To identify the students' difficulties in learning descriptive text.

1.6 The Significances of the Study

The significance of the study is that it will provide to be useful theoretically and practically,

a. Theoretical

This research is expected to be a reference for other researchers who want to investigate the effect of AI assistants on students' writing achievement when teaching descriptive text. This research can also explain how the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in writing for institutions or institutions can provide various significant benefits, especially in

improving the quality and efficiency of writing scientific papers.

b. Practically

1) To Researchers

The researcher hopes this study will help them improve their capacity to write descriptive text for students. The study's findings are intended to be a reference for future research.

2) To Students

The findings of this study should improve students' writing skills by making the learning process more exciting and enjoyable.

3) To English Teachers

Teachers need to use exciting techniques and media, such as Artificial intelligence. They must also create a positive classroom environment that piques students' interest in paying attention to the lesson to ensure students learn comfortably.

CHAPTER II

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

2.1 Theoretical Framework

2.1.1 Writing in English Learning

Writing in English is often challenging for foreign language learners. Writing is a crucial linguistic skill that must be acquired. When writing, concepts are expressed through well-structured, interconnected phrases to convey information effectively. Writing is the process of expressing one's thoughts through written language.

According to a study by Saddler et al. (2019), writing is challenging for native and non-native speakers. Writers must excel in various areas, including organization, content, purpose, vocabulary, audience, and mechanics like spelling, punctuation, and capitalization. Students must grasp these aspects to enhance their writing abilities. Cole & Feng (2015: 4) state that writing is a fundamental language component. When children write, their thoughts and knowledge create unique meaning. Students should focus on developing their writing skills, which may be more challenging than listening and reading. Additionally, writing is the skill that most students are least likely to master when learning a new language.

Experts from many resources give many different definitions of writing. According to Jeffrey R. Wilson (2022:3), Writing is generally seen as the act of conveying thoughts, but we will reframe it as an actual thought process. Writing does not only involve cognition. Writing is a form of cognitive process. Writing is a sequential process where the interpretation forms the basis of an argument, and

the presentation of that argument in a paper must be carried out in stages, with each phase building on the previous phase. Then, according to Durga & Rao (2018), Writing plays a vital role in conveying communication effectively, more than other forms of media. Based on the details provided, it can be inferred that writing is a communication method. Writing is one of the four essential language skills to teach. Writing is a talent that involves students articulating their thoughts, emotions, opinions, and feelings through written expression.

2.1.1.1 Purposes of Writing

Writing is an inherent and essential need for humans. However, mastering the art of writing can be challenging, causing many people to avoid writing assignments. Students need ample time to receive practical instruction, study exemplary texts as examples, engage in extensive writing and revision, explore various forms of writing, and receive ongoing support to develop their writing skills. Additionally, it is beneficial for students to understand the purpose of writing. According to Reading Rockets (2024), Writing serves several purposes.

a. To Tell a Story

Telling a story or recounting an event. Short stories, chapter books, graphic novels, and memoirs are examples of literary works you can share with children.

b. To Inform and Explain

Writing to convey information, presenting facts, or explaining something.

Here are some examples of educational materials that are suitable for students:

nonfiction books, illustrated instructional books, encyclopedias, news stories, and how-to guides.

c. To Share Opinions or Persuade

Writing to persuade readers to accept a particular perspective or engage in a specific action. You can share some examples with children: advertisements, speeches, articles, and editorials.

d. To Entertain Others

Writing to attract and entertain readers through narrative or comedic elements. Here are some examples you can share with kids: graphic novels, updated versions of traditional stories, short narratives, readers' theatre scripts, personal essays, and poetry.

e. To Describe

Writing aims to evoke vivid images and sensory sensations through complex language and by appealing to the reader's senses. Here are some examples you can share with children: poetry, personal notebooks and diaries, letters, and writing about nature.

2.1.1.2 Writing Principles

Ideas are the core of writing. Writing becomes challenging in the absence of ideas. The capacity to effectively organize thoughts and construct supporting sentences is crucial for producing high-quality writing. Poor organization of ideas in writing might hinder readers from comprehending the intended message. Murray (2012:14) states that the fundamental components of writing are:

a. Choosing Ideas or Topics

It is choosing an interesting topic. Subject matter that captures readers' interest can compel them to seek a comprehensive understanding of the written content. Furthermore, developing a new idea for each paragraph is unnecessary when writing multiple paragraphs. The key is to signal a new paragraph by indenting the initial line slightly, approximately one centimeter or half an inch.

b. Good Argument Structure (Coherence)

The key to excellent academic writing lies in having a well-structured argument. Well-organized concepts enhance reader comprehension and increase their likelihood of eliciting a sympathetic reaction. To gain a more exact understanding of what it entails, it is necessary to consider the concept of coherence. Coherence pertains to how the ideas are interconnected.

c. Explaining Everything and Avoiding Assumptions

The importance of providing comprehensive explanations rests not only in facilitating the reader's comprehension of your logical reasoning or argumentative framework but also in instilling confidence in your grasp of the discussed ideas. Offering comprehensive and meticulous explanations in your writing is twofold: first, it assists your reader in comprehending your line of reasoning (effective planning also contributes significantly to this). Second, it allows readers to gauge your level of comprehension regarding the ideas you are addressing.

d. Supporting Statement (Evidence)

Communicating evidence effectively is essential in academic writing. It is necessary to examine strategies that will persuade the reader of the validity and strength of your arguments. Providing solid evidence to support your claims increases the credibility of your work. As a result, when readers reach the final paragraphs or pages, they are more likely to be sympathetic to what they read and have greater trust in the integrity of your writing.

e. Concise and Relevant

Conciseness refers to expressing ideas succinctly and directly, using language efficiently, and conveying the necessary information without any unnecessary additions. It entails ensuring that each word carries significance, being meticulous in thought and language, and carefully considering and constructing.

Being relevant entails focusing on the topic, avoiding digressions, and refraining from introducing concepts that do not align with the project's objectives. Especially when engaging in in-depth discussions on complex subjects, it is straightforward to become distracted and deviate from the main emphasis or idea.

Irawati (as cited in Pohan,2017) Stated that five steps in the writing process, there are:

a. Pre-writing

Choose a topic, identify your audience and purpose, brainstorm ideas and organize information.

b. Drafting

Write your ideas in sentences and paragraphs. Follow your pre-writing plan to write a first draft of your composition.

c. Revising

Edit your writing. You make changes that will improve your writing.

d. Proofreading

In this stage, finish your editing by checking for grammar, spelling, capitalization and punctuation errors.

e. Publishing

The final stage is publishing, when you decide how to present your writing to an audience. You may add pictures or read your work aloud.

2.1.1.3 Types of Writing

Many kinds of writing have their characteristics. Zulaikah et al.(2018) It classifies four types of writing.

a. Expository

Expository writing serves the purpose of providing explanations or conveying information. The text discusses a topic objectively, refraining from expressing any personal viewpoints. The primary objective of expository writing is to give explanations. The writing style in question is subject-oriented, wherein authors primarily focus on providing information about a specific topic or issue without expressing their viewpoints. These essays or articles provide essential

information and data but do not incorporate personal viewpoints.

b. Descriptive

Descriptive writing is centered around effectively conveying the specific characteristics of a character, event, or location. The primary objective of descriptive writing is to provide detailed and vivid descriptions. Descriptive writing is a literary technique that emphasizes providing intricate details about a character, event, or place.

c. Persuasive

Persuasive writing aims to convince others to adopt your perspective. The primary objective of persuasive writing is to persuade. Persuasive writing differs from expository writing, including the author's beliefs and biases. Persuasive writing employs arguments and reasoning to sway others to align with the author's perspective. It is commonly employed in correspondence expressing dissatisfaction, promotional materials or adverts, persuasive sales pitches, introductory letters, and newspaper articles expressing personal opinions or providing editorial commentary.

d. Narrative

A narrative is a kind of communication that conveys a sequence of events or experiences. The text will typically include characters and conversations. The primary objective of narrative writing is to recount a tale. The author will develop distinct characters and narrate their experiences, occasionally adopting the perspective of one of the characters, referred to as first-person narration.

2.1.2 Descriptive Text

Indonesian senior high school students are obliged to write a descriptive text. Descriptive text refers to writing about a person, location, or thing in a detailed and vivid manner. Descriptive text is a form of communication in which the author or speaker employs language to provide detailed information about a specific object, individual, creature, location, or occurrence to the audience. Describing involves systematically organizing the characteristics of something, beginning with its identification, classification, and examination of its attributes, behaviors, functions, and other relevant aspects.

According to Derewianka (2000), as cited in Kasini & Pusparaini (2019), Descriptive language provides a detailed explanation of the functioning or causes behind certain phenomena. In other words, descriptive text is writing that provides detailed information and vividly describes people, objects, or concepts. A descriptive text commonly consists of two main sections: The first section focuses on identification, which involves introducing and describing a person, place, animal, or object. Secondly, it pertains to providing a detailed account or portrayal of something, such as an animal, object, location, or someone, by highlighting its

distinctive characteristics, physical attributes, colouration, or any other relevant aspects described by the writer.

Descriptive writing uses adjectives, compound adjectives and the simple present tense Nurfidoh & Kareviati (2021). Another statement is provided by Jayanti (2019). Descriptive writing typically includes detailed information on a specific individual, location, or object. Descriptive writing should prioritize using action words (verbs) rather than words that describe sensations (adverbs and adjectives). Descriptive writing exhibits conventional structural and linguistic characteristics. The writer should adopt the perspective of readers who have a complete understanding of the events depicted, as conveyed by the content of the text.

Therefore, descriptive writing is a type of writing that should be taught and achieved by both English teachers and senior high school students. The explanatory text typically serves as a paragraph's main idea or general statement. It explains the supporting facts related to the general statement. (Rivai et al.,2017).

From the explanation above, The researchers conclude that descriptive text is the act of writing about a person, location, or thing in a detailed and vivid manner and consists of two main structures. The first point emphasizes the importance of identification to prevent making broad statements. The second point details a specified phenomenon or subject's elements, traits, and characteristics.

2.1.2.1 Generic Structure of Descriptive Text

The structure or stages of a descriptive text are similar to those of other genres. We must follow several general guidelines while creating descriptive text to make it accurate. They are identification and description. The generic structure of descriptive writing consists of two main components: Identification, which identifies the phenomenon that will be described, and Description, which provides a detailed account of the many elements, traits, or features of the subject.

The general structure of descriptive text comprises two main components: identification and description. Students must explain the objects' various parts, traits, and attributes in the description component. Occasionally, the students struggle to structure the paragraph effectively. In addition to identifying and describing components, students must also consider the chronological order of their work while structuring ideas. Chronological order is a method of organizing information based on the sequence of events in time. It is used to present and explain a process in a step-by-step manner. Chronological order is a term used to describe the arrangement of events in the order in which they occurred across a period (Zulaikah et al.,2018).

Table 2.1
The Generic Structure of Descriptive Text

Generic Structure	Function
Identification	The identification is typically found in the opening paragraph, which introduces the subject or object to be discussed with the readers.
Description	The description itself aids in the identifying process. It provides concise information on the identity or nature of the subject.

Borobudur Temple

Borobudur is a Buddhist temple. It was built in the ninth century under the Sailendra dynasty of the ancient Mataram Kingdom. Borobudur is located in Magelang, Central Java, Indonesia (**Identification**).

Borobudur is well-known all over the world. India's Gupta architecture influences its construction. The temple is constructed on a hill 46 meters high and has eight steps like a stone terrace. The first five terraces are square and surrounded by walls adorned with Buddhist sculptures in bas-relief. The upper three are circular. Each of them has a circle shape. The entire upper structure is crowned by a large stupa at the center of the top circle. The way to the summit extends through some 4.8 km of passage and stairways (**Description**).

2.1.2.3 The Language Features of Descriptive Text

(Gerot and Wignell,1994) Identify the four linguistic characteristics present in descriptive writing.

1. Use of Attributive and Identifying Processes
2. Frequent use of Epithet and Classifiers in nominal groups
3. Use of simple present tense

2.1.3 Artificial Intelligence

Baker and Smith (2019) describe Artificial Intelligence AI as a term for computer systems capable of doing cognitive activities, specifically those linked

to human mental processes, such as learning and problem-solving. These factors demonstrate that AI is not independent of technology. It encompasses a range of technologies and approaches, such as machine learning, natural language processing, data mining, neural networks, and algorithms.

In addition, Goertzel (2010) defines artificial intelligence as the characteristic of a system's capacity to identify and analyze visible patterns in developing actions or responses, thereby enabling it to achieve complex goals in diverse environments. Goertzel's work excerpt recognizing patterns is a fundamental aspect of human intelligence, especially intelligence. This also refers to the discussion by Chollet (2019). The intelligence of a system can be understood as the efficiency of skill acquisition within the scope of tasks, taking into account previous difficulties, experiences, and generalizations. Wang (2022) explains that Intelligence can be described as the capacity of an information processing system to adjust to its surroundings while operating with limited knowledge and resources.

AI means the study of building machines with human-like senses (perception), analysis or understanding, and responses. AI is the most developed technology in this decade. It takes the most risky and heavy human work and works efficiently and accurately. This makes AI intended as a scientific and engineering study to build artifacts that can develop knowledge by learning from experience, reading and processing written text in natural language, reasoning with the acquired knowledge (being able to perform such tasks as explaining, planning, diagnosing, etc.) and acting rationally Mondal (2019).

With the development of AI technology, there has been a significant increase in the number of literature reviews related to the application of AI in education (Liang, 2021). artificial intelligence (AI) is a challenging and creative area. With the birth and development of artificial intelligence, people began to use computers for teaching. With the development of computer technology and information technology, the application of artificial intelligence in technology education is gradually becoming a trend in computer teaching (Ming Liu).

2.1.3.1 Artificial Intelligence in Education

Whether realize it or not, artificial intelligence (AI) is becoming increasingly prevalent in how we communicate and interact with technology. According to post-humanism, both non-humans and humans. There is a symbiotic and entangled relationship between human and non-human organisms, as these interactions occur everywhere. It can also be said that as we progress in the future, the distinction between human and non-human entities becomes increasingly blurred. A rapidly growing field of technology called artificial intelligence has the power to change the way we communicate with each other (Pedro,2019).

According to (UNESCO 2019:22). Artificial Intelligence has started to generate new teaching and learning solutions in the field of education, which are currently being tested in many situations. With the application of artificial intelligence in education, lesson plans and exercises can be customized for each student depending on their unique needs and learning preferences. This can be especially helpful for students who may have difficulty in specific subjects or need further help understanding other subjects taught in class. Artificial

intelligence can also provide students with immediate feedback on their work, helping them recognize and correct mistakes they may make.

Artificial intelligence is also used in education to help with administrative tasks such as scheduling and evaluation. Artificial intelligence can be taught to interact with students regarding their schedules, homework, and grades, allowing teachers to concentrate on more critical tasks such as class planning and direct student support. In addition, the application of artificial intelligence in technology can streamline the delivery and evaluation of assignments, making it easier for educators to monitor student progress Pedro(2019)

AI has been used to support research in several scientific disciplines, including economics and health. Additionally, it automates tedious processes and builds immersive learning environments, freeing teachers and students to concentrate on more critical work and possibly improving the quality of teaching. AI is also used to automate tedious tasks so that everyone involved in education can focus on more important work. AI, for example, can evaluate essays and exams, allowing teachers to concentrate on providing practical, individualized instruction.

AI can also generate customized lesson plans to free up more time for teachers to engage in activities that promote meaningful learning. By giving students access to cutting-edge technologies, such as automating the delivery of individualized learning experiences, artificial intelligence (AI) can improve the quality of education by increasing student engagement with course material Pedro (2019).

2.1.3.2 Artificial Intelligence as a Writing Tool

Writing is frequently seen as a crucial skill for success in writing and academics. Writing, arranging ideas, and presenting them more creatively requires time, effort, and talent. As a result, many authors struggle to express their ideas in writing (Mondal,2023). AI-powered writing tools in English as a foreign language classrooms are experiencing significant and rapid growth. These tools include grammar checks, writing aids, and automated programs capable of producing written works such as essays without human assistance. These tools are easy to use and efficient, reducing the time and energy required by students and educators.

Recent advancements in artificial intelligence (AI) have introduced ChatGPT as a promising tool for assisting writers in exploring and cultivating ideas during the writing process. ChatGPT utilizes AI-powered generative language models to produce human-like language and text in response to user input. The writer finds it appealing due to its capacity to comprehend natural language, generate meaningful language, and provide pertinent responses (Mondal, 2023).

ChatGPT can enhance the writer's ideas from basic concepts to more imaginative and refined writing pieces. Students can enhance the efficacy of

chatbots as an educational tool by providing more precise and comprehensive explanations of their words.

2.1.3.2.1 ChatGPT

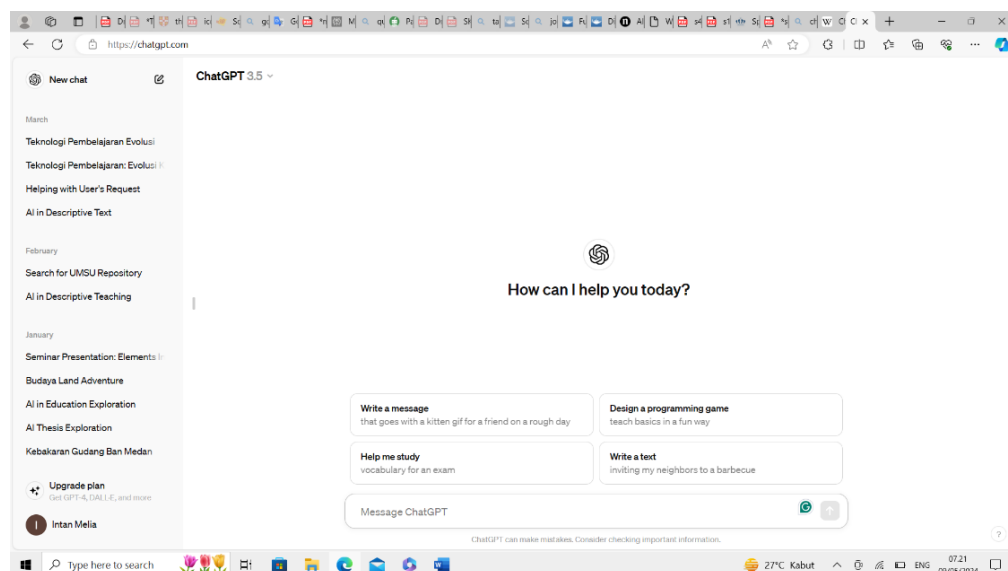
ChatGPT is a large language model. According to Wikipedia (2022), ChatGPT, an AI-powered conversational agent, was created by OpenAI and released on November 30, 2022. Leveraging a large language model (LLM), the feature allows users to customize and direct discussions to achieve a specific length, structure, style, amount of information, and language. Each discussion stage considers the context of previous user requests and replies.

ChatGPT is an advanced AI tool capable of doing various activities that demand knowledge and creative intelligence. ChatGPT can automate various tasks, including exam-style questions, homework assignments, academic essays, and contract drafting (Pradana,2023). Stokel-Walker (2022) asserts (Pradana et al., 2023) that ChatGPT is a revolutionary innovation that has the potential to render certain conventional kinds of assignments and assessments, such as essay writing, unnecessary. Silvi Fitria Daulay and Pirman Ginting (2024) assert that ChatGPT can assist Indonesian students in improving their abilities in the English language. ChatGPT in English allows students to participate in interactive discussions and get prompt feedback on their vocabulary and grammar usage. This can increase their correctness and confidence when writing and speaking in English, and students can also benefit from using ChatGPT to increase their vocabulary.

Although ChatGPT was initially designed to imitate human interaction, its skills surpass that purpose. It can generate original content, such as poetry, stories,

or novels, and may simulate various roles within its capabilities. Utilizing the advanced GPT language model technology, this chatbot is very smart and capable of handling a wide range of text-based inquiries. It can effortlessly address simple questions and more complex duties, such as composing essays and providing guidance in challenging discussions around productivity issues (Tlili et al., 2023).

Figure 2.1 ChatGPT in Website Platform



2.1.3.3 Strengths and Weakness of Artificial Intelligence

2.1.3.3.1 Strengths

Today's digital technologies enable the collection of detailed data about teaching and learning. This data has the potential to provide information and recommend action to a wide range of stakeholders, including students, teachers,

curriculum designers, and managers. Artificial Intelligence has many positive impacts on the development of learning.

Current digital technologies enable the collection of fine-grained data on teaching and learning, which can potentially inform and recommend activities to various stakeholders, including students, teachers, curriculum designers, and managers. Given this backdrop, the Learning Analytics (LA) sector has contributed to understanding and improving learning and its context. In contrast, Artificial Intelligence in Education (AIED) has worked primarily on simulating and predicting learning processes and behaviors. These themes emphasize the potential strengths of artificial intelligence in education, illustrating how AI technology may support instructors in numerous activities and enhance the overall learning environment (Cain et al., 2023).

2.1.3.3.2 Weakness

In addition to its numerous benefits for human life, AI presents several potential challenges. These possible issues can be attributed to both the inherent nature of the technology and the involvement of humans. The primary concerns pertain to protecting privacy and personal data. At the same time, the secondary issue revolves around copyright infringement caused by AI's capacity to generate original works, making it challenging to ascertain copyright ownership. The ultimate issue that may arise is associated with cyber security, which hackers can breach, leading to criminal activities such as system sabotage, personal data theft, and even harassment (Budhi, 2022: 41).

2.2 Previous Related Study

Some studies have been conducted previously relating to this research. As follows:

1. Tira Nur Fitria (2021) wrote a research titled "The Use of Technology based on Artificial Intelligence in English Teaching and Learning." This research employs the library research approach to obtain a theoretical grasp of the subject being examined through data collecting or scientific writing. This research focuses on how artificial intelligence (AI) can help students overcome their challenges in learning English and its application in teaching and studying English. According to the study's findings, using artificial intelligence (AI) to teach English can help students learn more useful, needs-based English in more user-friendly classroom settings. In meanwhile, this research will concentrate on using AI to raise students' writing proficiency. The samples examined in this research will be more specifically designed to make use of experimental research techniques and are important to raise the proficiency level of writing descriptive text
2. Fauziah and Minarti (2023) wrote a research titled "Artificial intelligence-assisted writing application for improving writing skills of Islamic education students." This research investigates the application of artificial intelligence in academic writing using qualitative research techniques, such as interviewing and writing assignment analysis. The purpose of this research is to describe how writing assignments, interviews, and artificial intelligence (AI) assisted applications can be used to enhance academic writing abilities. Utilizing AI-assisted applications is the main goal of this research project.

The research findings demonstrate how advantageous it is for students to use artificial intelligence-assisted applications, particularly for those enrolled in Islamic Religious Education courses. Meanwhile, a one-group pretest and posttest design with an experimental design utilizing a quantitative method will be used in this study. There are two classes in use: the experimental class and the control class.

3. Gayed et al. (2022) wrote a research titled "Exploring an AI-based writing Assistant's impact on English Language Learners." In this research, the author used a case study design research method with a convenience sample, a research approach in which the researcher selects participants based on their availability and ease of accessibility.

In the context of this research, the researcher used a convenience sample by recruiting ten Japanese adult participants attending a language school. This research aims to measure the impact of using a digital writing aid called "AI KAKU" on second-language writing skills (L2 writing) for learners of English as a second language. This research shows that most Participants felt that using AI KAKU made it easier for them to express ideas in English. However, some participants had difficulty adapting to the tool. Meanwhile, in this research, the sample selected using a simple random sampling technique with a lottery or lottery system because all classes have the same characteristics.

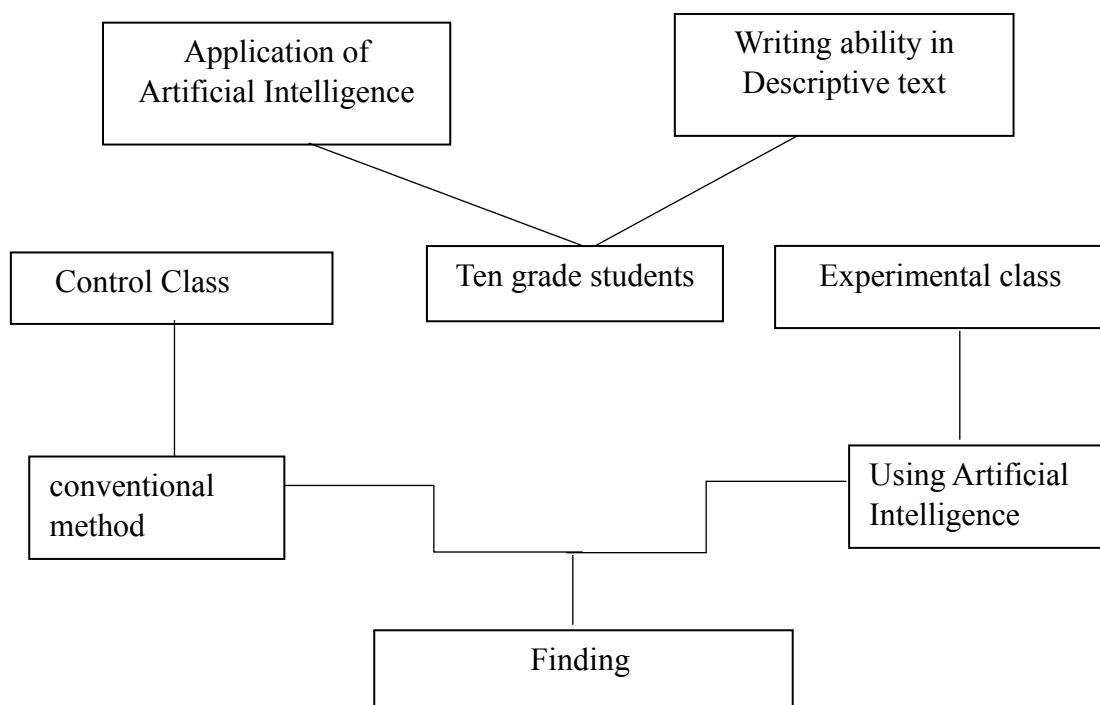
4. Debora Simamora, Fenty Debora Napitupulu, Herpen Silitonga (2024) wrote a research titled "The Effect of ChatGPT Application Towards The

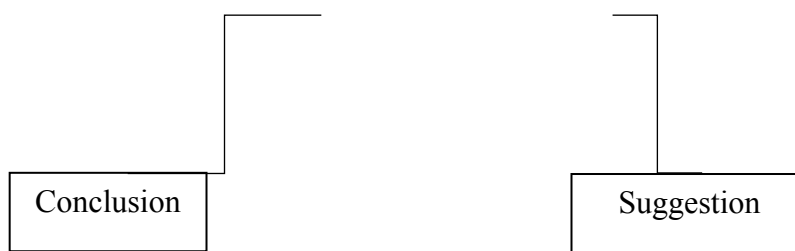
Students' Ability In Writing Exposition Text at The Eight Grade of SMP Negeri 37 Medan". This study focuses on investigating the effects of ChatGPT application use on students' ability to write exposition texts at SMP Negeri 37 Medan. The method used is a quantitative experimental study with 40 eighth-grade students divided into two groups: the experimental group using ChatGPT and the control group using a traditional method. The study's findings indicate that the rata-rata score of students in the experimental group (81,05) was higher than that of the control group (79,65), with a significant t-observation of 6,403. This study demonstrates that ChatGPT positively affects students' ability to write expressive texts and provides evidence that this technology can improve the English language learning process.

2.3 Conceptual Framework

This research mainly focused on using Artificial Intelligence to influence students' ability to write descriptive text. This research will begin with the following diagram.

Figure 2.2 Conceptual Framework





At this stage, primary information was collected about students' ability to write descriptive text and the use of Artificial Intelligence, delivered to ten-grade students at SMAN 9 Medan by giving a writing test before applying the treatment. The stages were Pre-test, Treatment, and Post-test.

In the following stages, the researcher applied the test to affect the student's ability to write descriptive text by using artificial intelligence, which applied the repetition method.

At the discovery stage, researchers determined the effect of using applications in learning writing ability to students. The pretest, treatment, and posttest could show results. Whether the effect of students' ability in writing is descriptive to effect or not.

This research data was collected using pretest, treatment, and posttest. To collect data, researchers used the following steps:

a. Pre-test

Researchers assessed students' proficiency in writing descriptive text by giving a pretest before treatment. The test assessed students' writing ability for descriptive text prior to treatment. For this pretest, students produced a two-paragraph descriptive text. After administering the pre-test, the researcher

reviewed the students' assignments to ensure their writing level. After the pre-test, students received treatment from researchers.

b. Treatment

The treatment was implemented using artificial intelligence to provide effects. Using the same theme but different treatments means that the researcher used Artificial Intelligence as a medium to test students' abilities in writing descriptive text.

c. Posttest.

After the treatment, the students were given the post-test, which followed the same procedure as the pre-test and was intended to determine whether the treatment was successful.

2.4 Hypothesis

Ha : There is a significant effect of AI on students' writing achievement in descriptive text.

Ho : There is no significant effect of AI on students' writing achievement in descriptive text

CHAPTER III

METHOD OF RESEARCH

3.1 Research Design

Research can be defined as the application of a scientific approach to the study of a problem. It is a way to acquire dependable and valuable information. According to Ary et al. (2006: 21), research is an attempt to solve problems by using a scientific approach systematically.

This study employed an experimental design utilizing a quantitative method, explicitly employing a one-group pretest-posttest design. Gay et al. (2012:251) define an experimental study as a scientific investigation where the investigator manipulates and produces one or more independent variables and observes the dependent variable or variables for any variation that occurs due to manipulating the independent variables. Experimental research can be conducted in a laboratory setting, within a classroom environment, or out in the field. This study conducted experimental research in a classroom setting, using students as the population.

This research used a quasi-experimental with a quantitative design. Experimental design is the traditional approach to conducting quantitative research. The aim was to find out whether or not using artificial intelligence has a significant effect on students. This research included two groups: the experimental group and the control group. The pre-test was applied before treatment, and the post-test was applied after treatment.

The researcher used artificial intelligence in the experimental class and the control group and used conventional teaching media, such as picture models, to conduct the treatment.

Table 3.1
Research Design

Group	Pre-test	Treatment	Post-test
Experimental (X-3)		Using Artificial Intelligence	
Control class (X-5)		Using conventional technique (picture model)	

3.2 Location and Time

This research was conducted at SMAN 9 Medan on JL. SEI MATI LABUHAN, SEI MATI, Kec. Medan Labuhan, Medan City Prov. North Sumatra, in the academic year 2023/2024. The research was conducted on tenth-grade high school students. This school was selected because researchers found that the tenth-grade students were having problems with their ability to write descriptive text. Researchers wanted to provide new ideas using Artificial Intelligence, which did not yet exist in teaching writing schools.

Table 3.2
Planning and implementing research

Activity	Month/Year	Notes
planning and research and preparation	June	preparation of research proposal
Implementation and data collection	July- August	implementing research using the planned method
Data analysis and data preparation	September	completing the chapter on findings and conclusion

3.3 Population and Sample

3.3.1 Population

Creswell (2012:144) stated that a population is a group of individuals who have the same characteristics, including specific characteristics in common that the researcher can identify and investigate. The sample of this study was all tenth-grade students of SMAN 9 Medan for 2023/2024, which consisted of 9 classes and a total of 320 students.

3.3.2 Sample

Gay et al (2012: 131) in quantitative research, a good sample is one that is representative of the population from which it was selected, and selecting a representative sample is not a haphazard process. Several techniques for selecting a sample are appropriate, and selection depends on the situation. Generally, sampling is divided into two types: systematic sampling, called probability sampling, and unsystematic non-probability sampling.

In this research, researchers chose one type of probability. The sampling is simple random sampling with a lottery or lottery system because all classes have

the same characteristics. According to Gay (2012:131), random sampling is the process of selecting a sample to ensure each member of the specified population has an equal and chance of being chosen for the sample. The sample is chosen randomly, or by chance, and is not subject to the researcher's influence at all. Stated differently, each candidate has an equal chance of being chosen, and the choice of one candidate has no influence on the choice of another. As a result, classes X-3 and X-5 were selected as the sample classes, with a total of 60 students.

Table 3.3
Sample of Research

Class	Total
X-3	30
X-5	30

3.4 Instrument of Research

Researchers used a written test as an instrument for this study. According to Mulchay et al. (2021), a written test is a comprehensive assessment of a person's writing ability and a test of working memory and executive function. This test measured the level of understanding and retention of the material presented.

Pre and post-tests were conducted. The test used a picture as a model. This pre-test aimed to determine how good students are at writing detailed text before using Artificial Intelligence. The post-test assessed how well students could use the application and detailed text after using Artificial Intelligence.

The research instrument used to collect data is a writing test. There are some criteria to consider when describing the student's competency in writing. Hughes (2003:104) states, “There are five scores component scales namely: content, organization, vocabulary language use, and mechanism”.

Table 3.4
Score Components

Criteria	Score 1	Score 2	Score 3	Score 4	Score 5
Content Clarity and completeness of the description	Very unclear	Some what unclear	Clear but incomplete	Mostly clear and complete	Very clear and complete
Organization Logical structure with introduction, body and conclusion	No structure	Weak structure	Basic structure	Good structure	Excellent structure
Vocabulary use of appropriate and varied descriptive word	Very limited vocabulary	Limited vocabulary	Some variety in vocabulary	Good variety vocabulary	Excellent of vocabulary
Grammar correct use of present tense, adjectives and sentence structure	Many errors that confuse meaning	Several errors :some confusion	Some errors: mostly clear meaning	Few errors ;clear meaning	No errors
Mechanic correct spelling punctuation, and capitalization	Many errors; hard to read	Several errors;some what readable	Some errors; mostly readable	Few errors; easy to read	No errors

Table 3.5
Assessment Students

Score	Description
90-100 (Excellent)	Descriptive details are fresh, vivid, and powerful
80-89(Very good)	Reader can see and/or feel the scene the writer describes.
70-79 (Good)	Most descriptive details are concrete and sensory, but the writer could be more specific
60-69 (fair)	The student demonstrates a basic understanding of writing descriptive texts, but there are many areas that need improvement
Below 59 (needs improvement)	The student shows significant difficulty in writing descriptive texts

3.5 Technique of Collecting the Data

Research instruments are defined as any apparatus or tools utilized to gather data. In this case study, the equipment utilized for experimental research consisted of a test. A test, as defined by Ary et al. (2006:201), is a sequence of stimuli given to individuals to elicit reactions that serve as the foundation for awarding a numerical score. Pre-tests were administered to assess students' abilities before engaging with the subject. At the same time, post-tests were used to measure the impact of presenting the material with Artificial Intelligence on students' ability to create descriptive writing. This research data was collected using pretest, treatment, and posttest. To collect data, researchers followed the following steps:

a. Pre-test

Researchers assessed students' proficiency in writing descriptive text by giving a pretest before treatment. The test assessed students' writing ability for descriptive text prior to treatment. For this pretest, students produced a two-paragraph descriptive text.

After administering the pre-test, the researcher reviewed the students' assignments to ensure their writing level. After the pre-test, students received treatment from researchers.

b. Treatment

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c. Posttest.

After the treatment, the students were given the post-test, which followed the same procedure as the pre-test and was intended to determine whether the treatment was successful.

3.6 Technique of Analyzing Data

This research collected the data from the pre-test and post-test. The

researcher searches for a difference in mean between the pre-and post-test in this study. Since the data came from the same sample or a single group in the sample, the independent sample test was used to analyze the data.

According to Gay et al (2012 : 351), the t-test is used to determine whether two groups of scores are significantly different. This test is conducted with the criterion that the hypothesis is accepted if the significance value is <0.05 . If the significance value is > 0.05 , the hypothesis is rejected individually. The t-test for independent samples is used when want to compare the score for two groups.

Therefore, SPSS was used in this study's data analysis process for data management. With SPSS, statistical analysis could be carried out quickly and effectively on almost any kind of data. The Statistical Package for Social Science (SPSS) type 29 was used to analyze the data to determine the difference in the student's scores.

CHAPTER IV

FINDINGS AND DISCUSSION

4.1 Description of Data

The findings of this research focused on students' ability to write descriptive text. The researchers collected data based on the results of descriptive text writing tests. The writing test consisted of two parts: a pre-test and a post-test. The pre-test was used to collect data before the use of the Artificial Intelligence(ChatGPT) learning model, and the post-test was used to determine the achieve in students' ability in writing descriptive text after treatment with ChatGPT.

Table 4.1
The result of the Pre-test Experimental Group

No	Initial Name	Pre-test
1	AD	56
2	AE	52
3	AF	40
4	AH	44
5	AMM	48
6	ARS	54
7	B	38
8	BM	44
9	BP	36
16	BS	56
10	CS	44
11	CSH	40
12	ES	38
13	FS	40
14	GFS	48

15	KQ	44
17	MAH	44
18	MK	42
19	N	48
20	NZ	58
21	QS	40
29	RLT	46
22	RS	46
23	SAL	52
24	SM	44
25	SM	48
26	SN	44
27	SN	45
28	TYS	42
30	ZZ	52
Total	-	1.373
Mean	-	45,76

Table 4.2
The result of the Post-test Experimental Group

No	Initial Name	Post-test
1	AD	72
2	AE	86
3	AF	88
4	AH	94
5	AMM	84
6	ARS	96
7	B	88
8	BM	84
9	BP	84
16	BS	78
10	CS	90
11	CSH	88
12	ES	84
13	FS	80
14	GFS	92
15	KQ	86
17	MAH	90
19	NN	89
20	NZ	84
21	QS	86
29	RLT	94
22	RS	88
18	RT	84

23	SAL	94
24	SM	92
25	SM	88
26	SN	76
27	SN	88
28	TYS	80
30	ZZ	93
Total	-	2.600
Mean	-	86.67

Based on the results presented in Table 4.1, the lowest score achieved by students was 36, and the highest score achieved by students in the Pre-test was 58. Meanwhile, Table 4.2 shows the score achieved by students in the Post-test, with the lowest score achieved by students in the Post-test. test was 72, and the highest score was 96. The experimental group's score increased from the pre-test to the post-test. The average pre-test score was 45.76, with an average post-test score of 86.67. This causes a difference of 40.91 points between these two tests. With the decomposition of these values, this research showed that using ChatGPT in the learning style model significantly increases students' ability to write descriptive text, as indicated by higher post-test scores.

Table 4.3
The result of the Pre-test of the Control Group

No	Initial Name	Pre-test
1	CV	40
2	FA	48
3	HD	52
4	HN	36
5	IF	36
6	JL	44
7	JVS	52
8	KA	44
9	LYS	36
10	MA	40

11	MAR	40
12	MN	44
13	MO	36
14	MY	40
15	NA	38
16	NT	50
17	PR	44
18	RS	52
19	SN	56
20	SO	44
21	SS	32
22	TA	40
23	TN	38
24	VA	60
25	VL	52
26	YA	40
27	YG	38
28	YZ	32
29	ZB	44
30	ZF	36
Total		1.284
Mean		42,8

Table 4.4
The result of the Post-test Control Class

No	Initial Name	Post-test
1	CV	76
2	FA	74
3	HD	64
4	HN	76
5	IF	68
6	JL	64
7	JVS	80
8	KA	76
16	LM	80
9	LYS	68
10	MA	76
11	MAR	64
12	MN	88
13	MO	68
14	MY	72
15	NA	72
17	PR	80
18	RS	80

19	SN	76
20	SO	72
21	SS	82
22	TA	86
23	TN	80
24	VA	84
25	VL	86
26	YA	82
27	YG	80
28	YZ	76
29	ZB	76
30	ZF	76
Total		2.282
Mean		76,07

The pre-test mean score for the control group was 42.8, and the post-test mean was 76.07, according to Tables 4.3 and 4.4, which represented the pre-and post-test results. There is a 33.27-point difference in the mean values. This indicated that the conventional method was still inadequate, especially when it concerned analyzing the competence of descriptive texts.

It was shown by comparing the pre-test and post-test results from the experimental group and the control group that utilizing ChatGPT, an artificial intelligence tool, was more effective for the achievement of students' writing abilities of descriptive texts than the conventional method.

4.1.2. Data Analysis

4.1.2.1 Descriptive Statistic

Descriptive statistics are techniques employed to collect or analyze data in the form of numbers and to provide helpful information. This is an essential first step in data analysis, helping to understand the fundamental structure of the data

and providing a platform for subsequent analysis. Based on the SPSS results, which had been divided into two groups, the experimental group, and the control group, and their pre- and post-test results. The following table shows the score in one with the values of the mean, standard deviation, maximum, and minimum.

Table 4.5
The result of Descriptive Statistic

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation
Pre-Test Experiment	30	36	58	45.77	5.764
Post-Test Experimentn	30	72	96	86.67	5.634
Pre-Test Control	30	32	60	42.80	7.136
Post-Test Control	30	64	88	76.07	6.570
Valid N	30				

Table 4.5 shows the maximum, lowest, mean, and standard deviation values for the experimental and control groups before and after the test. The maximum value represents the highest score attained by the students on both tests, while the minimum value reflects the lowest score. The mean number shows the group's average performance, indicating whether or not there was an overall improvement from pre-test to the post-test. In addition, the standard deviation indicates the spread of the scores, identifying how much individual outcomes deviate from the mean and whether student performance is consistent or variable within the group. By comparing these results between the experimental and control groups, researchers can determine the success of the procedures employed.

4.1.2.2 Normality Test

The normality test aims to determine if the data is normal or not. If the data's significance value (Sig) is ≤ 0.05 , it is considered abnormal and not normally distributed. If the significance value (Sig) of the data is ≥ 0.05 , it is considered to be normally distributed. SPSS was used to analyze the normality tests in this investigation. The following table 4.6 shows the normalcy test results.

Table 4.6
The result of the Normality Test

	Kolmogorov-Smirnov ^a			Shapiro-Wilk		
	Statistic	Df	Sig.	Statistic	df	Sig.
Pretest Experimental	.120	30	.200*	.963	30	.366
Post test Experimental	.112	30	.200*	.970	30	.546
Pretest Control	.129	30	.200*	.968	30	.486
Post test Control	.081	30	.200*	.982	30	.877

*. This is a lower bound of the true significance.

a. Lilliefors Significance Correction

According to the above normality test results, the experimental pre-test produced a result of (Sig = 0.366) and the experimental post-test produced a result of (Sig = 0.546). The control pre-test (Sig = 0.486) and the control group post-test (Sig = 0.877) were reached. Table 4.6 shows a significant difference between the pre-and post-test results for the experimental and control groups, with a value ≥ 0.05 . It is possible to conclude that the data gathered from the two groups was normally distributed.

4.1.2.3 Homogeneity Test

The homogeneity test determines whether various groups or samples are formed from populations with similar variance or distribution. In other words, it

analyzes if the variability within groups is equal throughout the multiple groups being compared and has the same level of diversity (homogeneous) or not the same (heterogeneous). SPSS was used to analyze both groups' scores, and the results are presented in the table below.

Table 4.7
The result of Homogeneity Variance

Test of Homogeneity of Variance

		Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
Students' outcome	Based on Mean	.443	1	58	.508
	Based on Median	.503	1	58	.481
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	.503	1	57.634	.481
	Based on trimmed mean	.477	1	58	.493

The table above shows a significant value for determining the sig value. If the mean is ≥ 0.05 , the data is considered homogeneous. Data is considered inhomogeneous if the mean value is ≤ 0.05 . The sig value can be determined using the steps in the table above. The mean value of 0.508 shows a significant result (homogeneous). Data from research can be considered homogeneous if the mean value is ≥ 0.05 .

4.1.2.5 T-test

In this research, the independent sample test was performed on 60 students divided into two groups. To evaluate the effectiveness of the treatment given, the same pre-and post-tests were given to each group. The objective was to find out if each group's results before and after the treatment varied significantly. The study

attempted to assess the success of the intervention by comparing the pre-test and post-test scores, providing insight into the treatment's possible impact on the student's learning outcomes.

Table 4.8
Independent Sample Test

		Levene's Test for Equality of Variances		t-test for Equality of Means							
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance		Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
						One-Sided p	Two-Sided p			Lower	Upper
outcome	Equal variances assumed	.443	.508	-6.708	58	<.001	<.001	-10.600	1.580	-13.763	-7.437
	Equal variances not assumed			-6.708	56.683	<.001	<.001	-10.600	1.580	-13.765	-7.435

According to Table 4.8, the calculated t-value is 6.708, with a significance level of $0.001 \leq 0.05$. According to the established decision-making criteria, the null hypothesis (H_0) is rejected, while the alternative hypothesis (H_a) is accepted. The rules for evaluating the t-test results are as follows:

- a. If the t-test's significance value is ≥ 0.05 , it means that H_0 is accepted and H_a is rejected, showing no significant effect.
- b. If the t-test's significance value is ≤ 0.05 , it implies that H_0 is rejected and H_a is accepted, suggesting a statistically significant effect.

From these results, the results show that H_a is regarded as valid, suggesting that the application of artificial intelligence (AI) has a significant effect on students' ability to write descriptive texts.

4.2 Finding

Sugiyono (2018) defines the t-test as a statistical technique for determining how much an independent variable influences a dependent variable while assuming that other independent variables remain constant. The effectiveness of students' descriptive writing skills was assessed in this study utilizing the t-test analysis, which has been carried out using SPSS. The independent sample test results showed a significant difference in students' writing scores before and after the treatment, with a significance value (Sig. 2-tailed) ≤ 0.05 .

The findings prove that the application of artificial intelligence (AI) improves students' writing achievement. The analysis showed an important increase in students' descriptive writing skills after the AI treatment compared to their performance before the treatment. Based on the statistically significant results, it has the potential to conclude that AI plays an essential role in improving students' abilities to write descriptive texts. This demonstrates the concept that introducing AI into the learning process can be an effective way to improve students' academic performance on writing tasks.

4.3 Discussion

This section discusses how to analyze the results of data analysis and researcher observations during the research process. The main purpose of this discussion is to provide a comprehensive overview of students' descriptive writing skills. According to the test results, there is a substantial difference in students' writing abilities before and after the application of artificial intelligence (AI) in

the learning process for writing descriptive texts at SMAN 9 Medan.

At the first meeting, when the researcher gave an initial test (pre-test), it was discovered that many students struggled to compose descriptive sentences, although they were brief and simple. They looked confused when creating words and sentences with the correct descriptive text structure. This difficulty resulted in low first test scores for students, as seen in Tables 4.3 and 4.4. Students' initial scores ranged between 32 and 60, with an average pre-test score of 42.8. Furthermore, the final test given in the control class showed better results. The lowest score achieved by students in the control class was 64, while the highest score reached 88, with an average final score of 76.07.

Meanwhile, in the experimental class that included AI as a treatment, students' pre-test scores ranged from 36 to 58, with an average score of 45.76. After the treatment with artificial intelligence (AI), a final test (post-test) was given to the experimental class, which showed a significantly more significant increase than the control class. The lowest score achieved by students was 72, and the highest score was 92, with an average post-test score of 86.67.

The data analysis concluded that using AI technology to learn to create descriptive texts significantly enhances students' ability to write more structured and language-rule-compliant texts. This improvement is not only seen in comparing pre-test and post-test scores, but it also shows the beneficial effect of AI in assisting students in better understanding and applying the structure of descriptive texts. These findings suggest that AI technology has significant

potential as a tool for improving learning quality, especially for improving writing abilities.

BAB V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

5.1 Conclusion

This study focuses on students with difficulties generating ideas, organizing, and constructing essays. Research indicates that teachers are less effective at teaching writing. This study found that employing artificial intelligence (AI) to teach descriptive writing significantly improved student performance. The independent sample test revealed a significant change in students' writing abilities before and after the AI treatment.

The control group's pre-test scores varied from 32 to 60, averaging 42.80. post-test scores varied from 64 to 88, with an average score of 76.07, showing improvement but remaining in the moderate range. Meanwhile, the experimental group, which performed AI treatment, had pre-test scores ranging from 36 to 58, averaging 45.76. After implementing AI, post-test scores climbed dramatically, ranging from 72 to 92, with an average score of 86.67

The research also concludes that AI is a more efficient method than traditional teaching methods for enhancing students' descriptive writing skills. The experimental group, which received AI-based learning, achieved much higher post-test scores than the control group, which received conventional teaching methods. The result is that AI can provide students with assistance and feedback, helping them solve their difficulties in generating ideas, structuring, and creating essays.

In other words, the null hypothesis (H_0) was rejected, and the alternative hypothesis (H_a) was accepted. Thus, it can be assumed that using AI in the classroom significantly improves students' descriptive writing abilities.

5.2 Suggestion

Considering the conclusion above, the researcher puts forward some suggestions as follows:

1. For teachers

Teachers should consider incorporating artificial intelligence (AI) resources into their lesson plans, especially for writing skills. AI has the potential to be a very useful tool in helping students grasp complex concepts such as sentence formation, word usage, and text structure. Teachers should learn about the various AI-powered tools and platforms that can provide diversity in their instruction to students while encouraging independent learning.

2. For students

Students are encouraged to explore and use AI tools to improve their writing skills. These tools provide quick feedback on errors so students can immediately correct and learn from their mistakes. AI will help students develop confidence in their writing and improve their overall performance.

3. For other researchers

Researchers should continue to explore how more types of AI can be applied in various educational fields beyond writing and do more research into the benefits of AI in this field. This paper can serve as an example for other research.

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APPENDICES

Appendix 1. Modul Ajar Kelas Eksperimental

MODUL PEMBELAJARAN

Satuan Pendidikan	SMA Negeri 9 Medan
Mata Pelajaran	Bahasa Inggris
Materi Pokok	Descriptive Text
Jenjang/Kelas	SMA/X
Alokasi Waktu	45 menit x 3JP
Profil pelajar pancasila	Mandiri, Bernalar kritis, kreatif
Fase	E
Penulis	Intan Melia Siregar
Tahun Ajaran	2024/2025

TUJUAN PEMBELAJARAN

Elemen: 4.4 menyajikan teks descriptive dalam bentuk tulisan dengan memperhatikan struktur dan unsur kebahasaan yang benar .

Capaian Pembelajaran :

4.4.1 Peserta didik mengkomunikasikan ide mereka melalui paragraph sederhana dan terstruktur kalimat sederhana.

4.4.2 Peserta didik menulis teks descriptive.

Kompetensi Awal

1. Peserta didik mampu merencanakan pengembangan penulisan teks descriptive.
2. Peserta didik mampu menulis teks descriptive dengan struktur teks dan unsur kebahasaan yang benar.

Tujuan Pembelajaran

Mengkomunikasikan ide melalui paragraph sederhana dan

terstruktur, menunjukkan perkembangan dalam penggunaan kosa kata spesifik dan struktur kalimat sederhana. Siswa mampu menulis teks descriptive sederhana menggunakan kalimat dan struktur kebahasaan yang benar.

Konsep Utama : Menulis

Profil Pelajar Pancasila :

1. Beriman dan Bertaqwa kepada Tuhan yang Maha Esa

berdoa sebelum dan sesudah melaksanakan kegiatan pembelajaran.

2. Berkebhinekaan Global

Saling menghargai keragaman budaya, agama, latar belakang sosial dan lainnya.

3. Bernalar Kritis

Mengevaluasi informasi secara akurat dan kritis.

4. Mandiri

Menumbuhkan kepercayaan diri peserta didik agar mampu menyelesaikan tugas.

5. Kreatif

Mampu menulis teks descriptive.

Materi, Media/Alat, Bahan, dan Sumber belajar :

1. Materi

- a. Pengertian Descriptive Text
- b. Struktur Descriptive Text
- c. Ciri-Ciri Descriptive Text
- d. Teknik menulis Descriptive Text

2. Media/Alat

- a. Laptop dan infocus
- b. Handphone

<p>3.Bahan</p> <p>a.LKPD</p> <p>4.Sumber Belajar</p> <p>a.Buku Bahasa Inggris SMA/MA/SMK/MAK Kelas X,Kemendikbud 2017.</p>
TARGET PESERTA DIDIK
Peserta didik mampu menuliskan descriptive text secara tulis dengan memperhatikan struktur dari descriptive text.
MEDIA PEMBELAJARAN
Aplikasi ChatGPT
KEMAMPUAN PRASYARAT :
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Siswa mampu mengamati dan mencatat detail-detail yang relevan dari objek atau tempat. 2. Siswa sudah memiliki kemampuan dalam menulis kalimat dan paragraf dengan baik.
PERTANYAAN PEMANTIK
Bagaimana saya akan mendeskripsikan sesuatu sehingga orang lain dapat membayangkannya dengan jelas?
URUTAN KEGIATAN PEMBELAJARAN:
Kegiatan Awal
<p><i>Pendahuluan</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Guru mengucapkan salam. 2.Guru mengkondisikan kelas,dan mengawali dengan memca doa 3.Guru mengabsen peserta didik 4.Guru menyampaikan semua tujuan pembelajaran dan kompetensi dasar yang ingin dicapai pada kegiatan belajar mengajar <p>Kegiatan Inti</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Guru menampilkan materi pembelajaran tentang descriptive text dengan menggunakan aplikasi ChatGPT.

2. Guru menjelaskan Langkah-langkah menulis descriptive text
3. Guru mengajukan pertanyaan tentang materi menulis descriptive text
4. Guru memerintahkan siswa untuk menggunakan handphone dan aplikasi ChatGPT
5. Guru mengarahkan siswa membuat descriptive text menggunakan aplikasi ChatGPT
6. Guru mengadakan post-test.

Kegiatan Akhir

1. Guru meminta siswa untuk mengumpulkan hasil kerja siswa
2. Guru mengajukan kesempatan kepada siswa untuk bertanya jawab mengenai kendala yang mereka hadapi pada saat menulis descriptive text.
3. Guru menutup pembelajaran dengan doa dan salam.

REFLEKSI PESERTA DIDIK DAN GURU

1. Refleksi Peserta didik

- a. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka tentang hambatan yang dihadapi selama pembelajaran.
- b. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka tentang bagian yang sulit dalam merancang dan menulis descriptive text.
- c. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka selama pembelajaran.

2. Refleksi Guru

- a. Guru menanyakan hal terkait proses pembelajaran tentang apa yang siswa rasakan Ketika melakukan kegiatan pembelajaran?
- b. Guru menanyakan siswa terkait media pembelajaran, serta apa saja yang berjalan tidak baik saat siswa melakukan kegiatan pembelajaran
- c. Guru menanyakan Solusi kepada siswa, tentang apa saja yang memungkinkan dilakukan untuk mengatasi kendala saat pembelajaran?

PENGAYAAN DAN REMEDIAL:

1.Pengayaan:

Peserta didik menulis descriptive text dengan tema yang sudah ditentukan dengan memperhatikan Langkah-langkah yang telah dipelajari!
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2.Remedial

- | |
|---|
| a.Peserta didik diberikan penugasan yang belum tuntas. |
| b.Peserta didik diberikan kesempatan untuk tes perbaikan. |

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Guru Mata Pelajaran

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Mahasiswa Riset

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Appendix 2. Modul Ajar kelas Kontrol

MODUL PEMBELAJARAN

Satuan Pendidikan	SMA Negeri 9 Medan
Mata Pelajaran	Bahasa Inggris
Materi Pokok	Descriptive Text
Jenjang/Kelas	SMA/X
Alokasi Waktu	45 menit x 3JP
Profil pelajar pancasila	Mandiri, Bernalar kritis, kreatif
Fase	E
Penulis	Intan Melia Siregar
Tahun Ajaran	2024/2025

TUJUAN PEMBELAJARAN

Elemen: 4.4 menyajikan teks descriptive dalam bentuk tulisan dengan memperhatikan struktur dan unsur kebahasaan yang benar .

Capaian Pembelajaran :

4.4.1 Peserta didik mengkomunikasikan ide mereka melalui paragraph sederhana dan terstruktur kalimat sederhana.

4.4.2 Peserta didik menulis teks descriptive.

Kompetensi Awal

1. Peserta didik mampu merencanakan pengembangan penulisan teks descriptive.
2. Peserta didik mampu menulis teks descriptive dengan struktur teks dan unsur kebahasaan yang benar.

Tujuan Pembelajaran

Mengkomunikasikan ide melalui paragraph sederhana dan terstruktur, menunjukkan perkembangan dalam penggunaan kosa kata spesifik dan struktur kalimat sederhana. Siswa mampu menulis teks descriptive sederhana menggunakan kalimat dan struktur kebahasaan yang benar.

Konsep Utama : Menulis

Profil Pelajar Pancasila :

1. Beriman dan Bertakwa kepada Tuhan yang Maha Esa

berdoa sebelum dan sesudah melaksanakan kegiatan pembelajaran.

2. Berkebhinekaan Global

Saling menghargai keragaman budaya, agama, latar belakang sosial dan lainnya.

3. Bernalar Kritis

Mengevaluasi informasi secara akurat dan kritis.

4. Mandiri

Menumbuhkan kepercayaan diri peserta didik agar mampu menyelesaikan tugas.

5. Kreatif

Mampu menulis teks descriptive.

Materi, Media/Alat, Bahan, dan Sumber belajar :

1. Materi

- a. Pengertian Descriptive Text
- b. Struktur Descriptive Text
- c. Ciri-Ciri Descriptive Text
- d. Teknik menulis Descriptive Text

2. Media/Alat

3. Bahan

a.LKPD
4.Sumber Belajar
a.Buku Bahasa Inggris SMA/MA/SMK/MAK Kelas X,Kemendikbud 2017.
TARGET PESERTA DIDIK
Peserta didik mampu menuliskan descriptive text secara tulis dengan memperhatikan struktur dari descriptive text.
MEDIA PEMBELAJARAN : -
KEMAMPUAN PRASYARAT :
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Siswa mampu mengamati dan mencatat detail-detail yang relevan dari objek atau tempat. 2. Siswa sudah memiliki kemampuan dalam menulis kalimat dan paragraf dengan baik.
PERTANYAAN PEMANTIK
Bagaimana saya akan mendeskripsikan sesuatu sehingga orang lain dapat membayangkannya dengan jelas?
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Kegiatan Inti
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Guru menjelaskan materi pembelajaran tentang descriptive text dengan metode ceramah. 2.Guru menjelaskan Langkah-langkah menulis descriptibe text

3. Guru mengajukan pertanyaan tentang materi menulis descriptive text

4. Guru mengarahkan siswa menulis descriptive text.

5. Guru mengadakan pre-test.

Kegiatan Akhir

1. Guru meminta siswa untuk mengumpulkan hasil kerja siswa

2. Guru mengajukan kesempatan kepada siswa untuk bertanya jawab mengenai kendala yang mereka hadapi pada saat menulis descriptive text.

3. Guru menutup pembelajaran dengan doa dan salam.

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1. Refleksi Peserta didik

a. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka tentang hambatan yang dihadapi selama pembelajaran.

b. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka tentang bagian yang sulit dalam merancang dan menulis descriptive text.

c. Peserta didik menyampaikan pendapat mereka selama pembelajaran.

2. Refleksi Guru

a. Guru menanyakan hal terkait proses pembelajaran tentang apa yang siswa rasakan Ketika melakukan kegiatan pembelajaran?

b. Guru menanyakan siswa terkait media pembelajaran, serta apa saja yang berjalan tidak baik saat siswa melakukan kegiatan pembelajaran

c. Guru menanyakan Solusi kepada siswa, tentang apa saja yang memungkinkan dilakukan untuk mengatasi kendala saat pembelajaran?

PENGAYAAN DAN REMEDIAL:

1. Pengayaan:

Peserta didik menulis descriptive text dengan tema yang sudah ditentukan dengan memperhatikan Langkah-langkah yang telah dipelajari!

2. Remedial

a. Peserta didik diberikan penugasan yang belum tuntas.

b. Peserta didik diberikan kesempatan untuk tes perbaikan.

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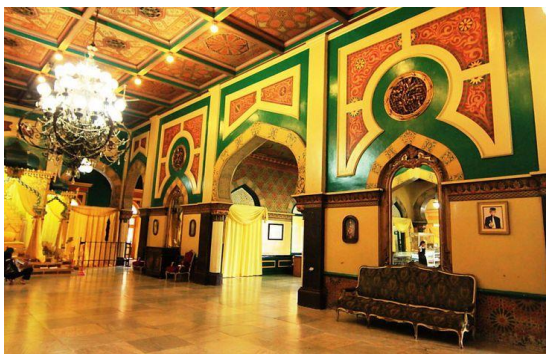
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Test Instrument in the control class

Direction:

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun



Test Instrument for Experimental Class

Direction:

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about Istana Maimun

Appendix 3 Student assesment criteria

Criteria	Score 1	Score 2	Score 3	Score 4	Score 5
Content Clarity and completeness of the description	Very unclear	Some what unclear	Clear but incomplete	Mostly clear and complete	Very clear and complete
Organization Logical structure with introduction,body and conclusion	No structure	Weak structure	Basic structure	Good structure	Excellent structure
Vocabulary use of appropriate and varied descriptive word	Very limited vocabular	Limited voabulary	Some variety in vocabular y	Good variety vocabul ary	Excellent of vocabular y
Grammar correct use of present tense,adjecyives and sentence structure	Many errors that confuse meaning	Several errors:some confusion	Some errors: mostly clear meaning	Few errors;clear meanin g	No errors
Mechanic correct spelling punctuation,and capitalization	Many errors;hard to read	Several errors;some what readable	Some errors;mostly readable	Few errors;easy to read	No errors

Student's Score = $\frac{\text{Total score}}{\text{Total score}} \times 100$

Appendix 4 Pre-test control

NAMA : FATIMAH AZZAHRA
KLS : X5

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

Maimun palace is the palace of the Deli Sultanate which is one of the icons of Medan city, North Sumatra. This palace is located on Jalan Brigadier General Katamsi, Sukaraja village, Medan Maimun District. This palace was designed by an Italian architect and built by the Sultan of Deli, Sultan Mahmud Al Rasyid.

The Maimun palace consists of two floors and has three parts, namely the main building, the left wing building and the right wing building.

This palace building faces north and on the front side there is the Al-Mashun mosque building or more famously known as the Medan Grand Mosque.

Inside the palace there are 30 rooms with unique interior designs, we can find a mix of art from various countries.

From the outside, the palace facing ~~the~~ east looks like the palace of the Moghul kings.

Appendix 5 Post-test control

nama: Fatimah AZZAHRA

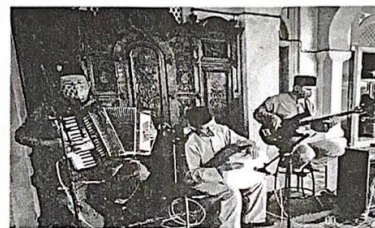
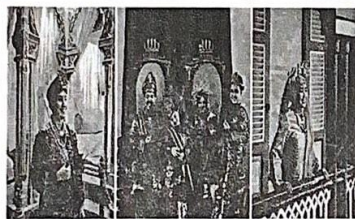
KLS : X 5

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Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun



Gambar 1: maimun palace ^{its} characteristic ^{color} clothes ~~are~~ ^{are} yellow and ^{its} traditional ~~clothes~~ ^{clothes are} ~~are~~ malay traditional ~~clothes~~

Gambar 2: traditional malay music, ^{includes} already using ^{such as} musical instruments gong, tambourine, rebab, serunai, estimated from 1000 ^{to} 1990. violin, guitar, accordion, and finally a keyboard, probably after 1950.

Gambar 3: - maimun palace has a ~~to~~ ^{dominant} ~~the~~ ^{dominant} color lining, ~~showing the freedom of~~ the malay sultans
- the yellow color of the maimun palace ~~strengthens~~ the malay feel of this building.

Appendix 6 Pre-test control

Mama : Tika Amelia MFP Prangs
 kelas : X⁵

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

Istana Maimun, or Maimun Palace in English, is a royal palace in Medan, Indonesia. It was built between 1887 and 1891 by Sultan Maimun al-Rasyid Perkasa Alamshah and designed by Dutch architect Theodor van Erp. The palace is a popular tourist destination known for its historical significance and unique interior design, which blends elements of Malay cultural heritage, Islam, Spanish, Indian, and Italian styles. The palace is located at Jalan Brigadir Jendral Karamo, Aur, Medan Maimun. It covers 2,772 square meters and has 30 rooms across two floors.

Appendix 7 Post-test Control

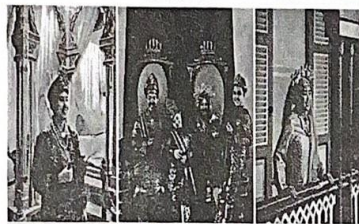
Mama : Tilka amelia m

Kelas : X^S

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun



Gambar 1: Melayu traditional clothes are characterized ^{by the color} ~~the color~~ yellow

Gambar 2: ^{The form of presentation} ~~The form of presentation~~ of melayu music at the maimun palace uses ^{the melayu music presentation} ~~the melayu music presentation~~ accordion, melayu gendang, violin, and bass musical instruments.

Gambar 3: ^M maimun palace has a dominant color of yellow. ^V Evoking the greatness of the melayu sultans,

occupying an area of 2,772 square meters with 30 rooms, this palace has a ^{significant} ~~magnificent~~ structure with ^{three} ~~three~~ main parts: the main building, the left wing east, this palace is also adjacent to the al-masjum ^M ~~mosque~~, which is better known as the ^M ~~medan~~ mosque.

Appendix 8 Pre-test control

Nama : Irma Tetrisa Tampubolon
Kelas : X-5

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

* ^SIstana Maimun Palace ^{is} a ^Ffamous ^ttourist
Spot in Medan, ^NNorth Sumatra.

Maimun palace is also famous because it is
a luxurious place, ^{is a} because it ^{is a} has cultural place
and is visited by many people because it has
culture and luxury in Maimun Palace

* ^{The} Maimun palace also has a large
room. maimun's palace is also next
to the medan mosque.

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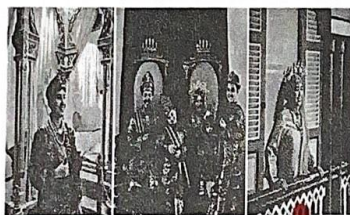
Appendix 9 Post-test Control

Irma Fetrisia Tampubolon
 X-5 SMA N-9 Medan.

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun



• The musical instruments displayed in the Maimun Palace area are traditional-tribal instruments used by local tribes. Musical instruments. Visitors can enjoy the beauty of the Maimun palace area which also has traditional Malay musical instruments made by the name of the Pakpung Deli Music group.

Architecture

- The history of the building of the maimun palace is also a combination of typical Malay styles and several other countries. This historic building also has an area and square meters.
- Maimun palace is a construction site which also has the most unique of all objects called the butt cannon which is next to the one called the butt cannon which has a palm fiber roof.
- The butt cannon also has a yellow and green color.

Traditional Malay attire displayed

- The clothes used in the maimun palace area are traditional Malay clothes which are also accessories in the traditional Malay clothes. The king and queen which are available in the maimun palace area.

Appendix 10 Pre-test Experimental

Maimoon Palace is the Deli sultanate palace which is one of the icons of the city of Medan, North Sumatra located on Jalan Brigadier General Katomso, Sukaraja Village, Medan Maimun District.

Designed by Italian architects and built by Sultan Mahmud Al-Rasyid. The construction of this palace began from August 26, 1888 and was completed on May 18, 1891. Maimoon Palace had an area of 2,772 m² and 30 rooms. Maimoon Palace consists of 2 floors and has 3 parts, namely the main building, the left wing building and the right wing building. The palace building faces north and on the front side there is the Al-Mashun Mosque building or better known as the Medan Great Mosque.

* A Royal palace in Medan, Indonesia, that was built between 1887 and 1891 by Sultan Mahmud Al-Rasyid Perkasa Alam Syah.

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Appendix 11 Post-test experimental

Date: _____

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Nama : RAFAEL CORESY L: TOBINAN

Kelas : X-3

M-p :

istana Maimun

Istana Maimun, located in Medan, North Sumatra, Indonesia

is a prominent ^{example} OF THE OPEN PLAZA ARCHITECTURE

OF THE DELI SULTANATE, CONSTRUCTED BETWEEN 1888 AND 1891

DURING THE REIGN OF SULTAN MAHMUD AL RASYID. THE

PLAZA EMBODIES A UNIQUE FUSION OF ARCHITECTURAL STYLES,

REFLECTING BOTH THE GRANDeur OF ISLAMIC INFLUENCE AND THE

ADAPTATION OF EUROPEAN DESIGN ELEMENTS.

ARCHITECTURALLY, ISTANA MAIMUN IS DISTINGUISHED BY ITS EXTENSIVE

USE OF YELLOW PAINTED WALLS WHICH SYMBOLIZE PROSPERITY AND

POWER IN MALAY CULTURE. THE PLAZA'S DESIGN INCORPORATES

A BLEND OF MALAY, ISLAMIC AND COLONIAL ^{styles} STYLES, SHOWCASING

INTRICATE WOOD CARVINGS, ORNATE STUCCO DECORATION, AND HIGH

CEILINGS SUPPORTED BY GRAND COLUMNS. ^{The} INTERIOR SPACES

ARE ADORNED WITH REVIVAL PURHISINGH AND DECORATIVE MOTIFS

THAT HIGHLIGHT THE SULTANATE'S AFFLUENCE AND CULTURAL

RICHNESS

THE PLAZA'S LAYOUT FEATURES A SYMMETRICAL ARRANGEMENT

WITH A CENTRAL HALL TALK SPACE AS THE PRIMARY REFERENCE

Appendix 12 Pre-test Experimental

Zyzi Zanuba Zahwani
X-3

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

Istana Maimun is a historic palace located in Medan, Indonesia. It was built in 1888 and serves as a symbol of the rich cultural heritage of the Malay, Minangkabau, and Italian architectural styles, making it a unique and beautiful landmark. It is known for its distinctive yellow facade, intricate carvings, and spacious halls. Today, Istana Maimun is open to the public as a museum, showcasing royal artifacts and offering visitors a glimpse into the history and culture of the region.

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Appendix 13 Post-test Experimental

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

My name is Zyzi class-x-3

Istana Maimun, also known as the Maimun palace, is a historic royal residence situated in Medan, North Sumatra, Indonesia. Constructed in 1888, it served as the royal palace for the Sultanate of Deli, which governed the region during the late 19th and early 20th centuries. The architectural design of istana maimun is a distinctive blend of Malay, Islamic, and European styles, reflecting the cultural and political influences of the period. The palace features a striking yellow facade, which is a prominent characteristic of Malay culture. The building's such as large, arched windows and high ceiling, which were incorporated to adapt to the tropical climate.

Today, istana maimun stands as a prominent cultural heritage site and a tourist attraction, preserving the historical legacy of the Deli sultanate and offering valuable insights into the region's past. Its preservation and maintenance continue to be a testament to the enduring significance of cultural and historical heritage in Indonesia.

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Appendix 14 Pre-test Experimental

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

Nama : Glenn F. Situmeang

Kelas : X-3

Bahasa : English

Istana Maimun is a historic Palace located in Medan, Indonesia. Built in 1888 by Sultan Maimun Al-Rasid Perkasa Al-Farid. This 2-story long example of Malay architecture mixed with European elements. The Palace features vibrant yellow walls, ornate ~~decor~~ ^{decor}, and a grand interior. It serves as a cultural landmark and a symbol of the sultanate of Deli's legacy.

Appendix 15 Post-test Experimental

Direction : |

1. Write down your name and class
2. Write a descriptive text about this place.

Istana Maimun

Nama: Glenn F. Simteang

Istana maimun, also know as maimun palace, is an iconic landmark located in Medan, North Sumatra, Indonesia. Built between 1887 and 1891 by Sultan Ma'mun Al Rashid Pertaro Alam of the Deli sultanate, the palace serves as a significant symbol of the Malay cultural heritage in the region. The architectural design of istana maimun is a unique fusion of Malay, Mughal, and Italian influences, which reflects the diverse cultural interactions that have historically shaped the region.

The palace, covering an area of 2,772 square meters, comprises 30 rooms spread across two floors. Its distinctive yellow color, often associated with Malay royalty, adds to the grandeur of the structure. The interior is adorned with intricate carvings, European-style chandeliers, and antique furniture, providing a glimpse into the life of the Deli sultanate during its peak.

Istana maimun not only functioned as a royal residence but also served as the center of government for the sultanate. Today, it stands as a historical and cultural museum, attracting both local and international visitors interested in the rich history and cultural legacy of the Malay people in North Sumatra. The palace is also a venue for traditional ceremonies and cultural performances, further preserving and promoting the region's cultural heritage.

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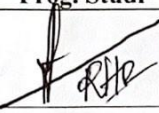

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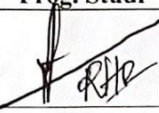

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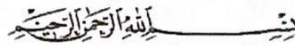
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