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## ABSTRACT

The purpose of this research is to improving students vocabulary mastery using digital picture series media. The subject of this research were 3 students at eighth grades of SLB Harapan Ibu. The researcher was conducted by using classroom action research (CAR) with 4 steps namely : planning, action, observing, and reflecting that consist of 3 cycles. The analyzing data for quantitative was the students score of the tests. Based on the research that has been carried out, the percentages of students completeness in cycle I is 0%, in cycle II is 33% and in cycle III is 66%. Thus it can be concluded that by applying digital picture series media can improve the vocabulary mastery of mental retardation students at SLB Harapan Ibu. The digital picture series media can be used as an alternative to improve English vocabulary in SLB Harapan Ibu.

**Keywords** : *Digital Picture Series, Vocabulary Mastery.*

## SUMMARY

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Based on the data pre survey mental retardation students at SLB Harapan Ibu have a problem on struggle with finding ideas, students focus less on the teacher, there are student who are busy with their own activities. So, researcher utilizing digital picture series media for learning media.

The purpose of this study is to improve vocabulary mastery mental retardation students at SLB Harapan Ibu. In this study researcher implementing digital picture series media as a teaching media.

The method of this study is Classroom Action Research (CAR) with 3 cycles with 4 phases namely : planning, action, observing, and reflection. Data collecting in this study is test namely pre test for the first meeting in cycle 1 and post test for each cycle. This test is carried out measure students completeness scores.

Based on the study that has been carried out, that the percentages of students completeness in cycle I is 0%, in cycle II is 33%, and in cycle III is 66%. Therefore, it can be said that using digital picture series media to increase vocabulary mastery can help mental retardation students at SLB Harapan Ibu.

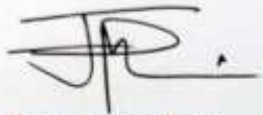
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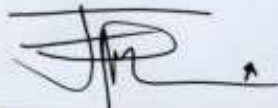
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