

CHAPTER I

BACKGROUND

To fulfill the requirement of lectures, the students of English Diploma Program Faculty of Cultural Sciences, Sebelas Maret University have to choose their own legal company for an internship. I have decided to do my internship in Ganesa Library. In this chapter, I would like to explain my reasons, the time and the benefits of the internship that I did in Ganesa Library.

Background

Nowadays, the competition of job seeking in Indonesia is in a very high scale. Therefore, there are many companies which look for fresh graduates who have qualified skills. To attract those fresh graduates, those legal companies are also promising salary. Almost all of the companies have requirements for those fresh graduates to be able using English especially in translation field.

Since now, children are very busy with their own gadgets. The fact is that gadget brings bad effects for them such as spreading radiation which can disturb children's health and makes them lack of communication with others. Moreover, most children are having a low interest in reading books. As we know book is the source of knowledge for them. Seeing this matter, I would like to help the children to increase their interest in reading books.

During the study, the students of English Diploma Program of Faculty of Cultural Sciences in Sebelas Maret University have so much knowledge of English. The students learn about four basic skills of English, including writing, reading, speaking, and listening. Besides, the students also learn about Translating text from English to Indonesian, Translating text from Indonesian to English, and Translating Legal Document. The purpose of these translation materials is helping the students to understand English well and also supporting student in doing internship.

KMM or *Kegiatan Magang Mahasiswa* is an internship program for students of English Diploma Program of Faculty of Cultural Sciences in Sebelas Maret University to improve their skills. KMM is taken by the students in their last semester. This program is required to meet the requirements of graduation from English Diploma Program. In KMM, students can practice what they had learned in the university. The

purposes of KMM for students are they can explore their skills in English and they will get the work experience before they will start to work.

I choose Ganesa Library which located in Gentan, Sukoharjo as the place to do my internship activities because of three reasons. First, Ganesa Library has many children story books which written in English and I can translate it into Indonesian thus the children who does not know English can read it in Indonesian too. Besides, there are so many books in Ganesa Library that have best quality for the children since the books are orderly design, so it will be comfortable for them and they will not get bored when they read the books.

The second reason is I want to build a relation between English Diploma Program and Ganesa Library. Ganesa Library can be a place for the students of English Diploma Program to do their internship. I also hope it can increase their interest in reading the books by having the internship there.

The third reason is I want to improve my translation skill. I like translation and I really enjoy it. Once, I have ever translated my friend's papers and others kind of texts. This experiences help me in doing the translation activities in Ganesa Library.

This internship report contains four chapters. The first chapter explains about background of the internship. The second chapter explains about the description of the institution of my internship place. The third chapter explains about my activities during internship in Ganesa Library. The last chapter explains about the conclusion and recommendations for Ganesa Library, for the students of English Diploma Program, and for English Diploma Program.

Time of the Internship

I had done the internship activity as a translator in Ganesa Library, Gentan, Baki, Sukoharjo for thirty days, started from July, 18th, 2017 until August, 18th, 2017. The working hours in Ganesa Library started from Tuesday to Sunday. In Tuesday to Saturday, it started at 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. For Sunday, it started at 12 p.m. - 5 p.m. Ganesa Library closed in Monday and National Holiday.

Benefits of the Internship

The internship has benefits for the students and English Diploma Program. First, through the internship, the students will know how to work for real that sometimes make them have many obstacles that are different from studying in university. The students also learn how to solve the problems during the internship.

The second benefit is the students will be able to apply their knowledge during the study in English Diploma Program Faculty of Cultural Sciences in Sebelas Maret University. During the internship, Ganesa Library has activities such as: Ganesa English Speaking (GES), Ganesa Reading Community (GRC), and Story Telling. By joining those activities, I can improve my skills of reading, writing, and speaking. The last benefit is we can make a good relation between Ganesa Library and English Diploma Program which gives the possibility for each other to have cooperation in the future.