

ABSTRACT

Saniasa, 2018. *Students' Psychological factor and Their speaking skill (A Study at Third Semester Students' of English Department at Muhammadiyah University of Makassar)*. Guided by Hj. Andi Tenri Ampa and Ratu Yulianti Natsir.

The research aimed to find out the correlation between students' psychological factor and their speaking skill. It included motivation and attitude to learn speaking skill.

The researcher used descriptive quantitative research. The population of this research were the Third Semester Students' of English Department at Muhammadiyah University of Makassar. It use random sampling technique were researcher took 60 students from 10 classes. The researcher used instruments were questionnaire for measuring students motivation and attitude while test oral for measuring students speaking skill.

The result of findings about correlation between students' motivation and their speaking skill compared prices count with r-r-table. With the (0.05) or 5% significance level of 0.2542 was obtained r_{hitung} at 0.3434. When compared both $r_{hitung} = 0.3434 > r_{table} = 0.2542$ while the correlation between students' attitude and their speaking skill compared prices count with r-r-table. With the (0.05) or 5% significance level of 0.2542 was obtained r_{hitung} at 0.3714. When compared both $r_{hitung} = 0.3714 > r_{table} = 0.2542$, so that H_0 accepted and H_1 rejected or the correlation between students' psychological and their speaking skill. This meant that correlation between them was not significant correlation.

Key words: Speaking Skill, Motivation, Attitude