

ABSTRACT

Mustaqim,2018. *Error Analysis on the Use of Personal Pronoun of the Eight Grade Students at SMP NEGERI 2 Sungguminasa Gowa.* (Guided by Erwin Akib, and Herlina Daddi). A Thesis of English Department, The Faculty of Teacher Training and Education, Muhammadiyah University of Makassar.

The research aimed to obtain clear information about the percentage of the student error and to know the causes why Students of SMP NEGERI 2 Sngguminasa Gowa made errors in using Personal Pronoun.

The method used in this research was descriptive quantitative analysis. The data of the research were the students errors in using personal pronoun; the data were taken from test and interview. The data from the test were used to find the percentages of the students errors. The data from the interview were used to know why students of SMP NEGERI 2 Sungguminasa Gowa made errors in using personal pronoun.

After conducting the research, the researcher found several findings : Errors of Subject Pronoun with percentage 19.33%, errors of object pronoun 40%, errors of possessive adjective 24.66%, errors of possessive pronoun 20.06%, and errors of reflexive pronoun 30.66%. It can be concluded that the most errors made by students of SMP NEGERI 2 Sungguminasa Gowa in in using personal pronoun. The reason why the students made errors in using personal pronoun are the less interested and motivation.

Key words : Error Analysis, Personal Pronouns, Subject Pronouns, Object Pronouns, Possessive Adjective, Possessive Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun.