
**PENINGKATAN KEMAMPUAN BERCERITA
DENGAN MEDIA BONEKA TANGAN PADA SISWA KELAS II
SDN KAPONGAN II SITUBONDO**

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study to determine (1) the use of a hand puppet media in improving students' ability to tell the class II SDN Kapongan II Districts Situbondo and (2) increase students' ability to tell the class II SDN Kapongan II Districts Situbondo by using a hand puppet media. Research conducted by classroom action research. Data collected by observation techniques, interviewing, testing, documentation, and field notes, and analyzed by qualitative descriptive technique. The results showed that the use of a hand puppet media can enhance the students' ability to tell the class II SDN Kapongan II Districts Situbondo.

Based on the results of research and discussion, it can be concluded that: the use of hand puppets media storytelling student learning class II SDN Kapongan II Districts Situbondo was conducted by 2 cycles and each cycle consisted of two meetings. Measures of media use in learning hand puppet storytelling, among others: (1) Students listen to the story presented by the teacher using a hand puppet media; (2) Students in groups to answer questions relating to the content of the story orally; (3) Students retell the story that has been heard from the teacher verbally with members of the group by using a hand puppet.

The use of a hand puppet media have been able to improve students' ability to tell the class II SDN Kapongan II Districts Situbondo. It can be seen from the increase in the average value of the observation ability to tell students at the beginning, the first cycle, and the cycle II. The average value of the initial capabilities of students in storytelling is 49.63 with less criteria. Having implemented the first cycle, the average value of storytelling abilities of students increased to 63.26 with sufficient criteria. Furthermore, in the second cycle, the average value of storytelling abilities of students has increased to 70.57 with both criteria.

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