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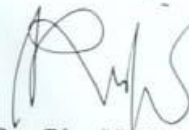
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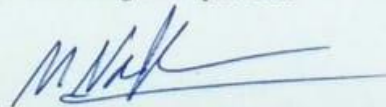
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Finally the writers expect that report can give advantages and useful information for readers, and especially for the students of English Department at State Polytechnic of Sriwijaya.

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ABSTRACT

The Use of Tense in the Research Methodology Chapter of the Students' Final Reports

(Heti Rahmawati 2017, 30 pages, 3 tables)

This research focuses on analyzing” the use of tenses in the research methodology chapter of students’ final reports” in English Department graduated in 2017. It was done to know the use of tenses in the research methodology chapters. The descriptive method by Kumar (2011) was used in the research. By analyzing 25 samples of research methodology chapters of students’ final reports, there were four tenses used by the students: simple present tense 570 sentences, simple past tense 518 sentences, future tense 35 sentences and perfect tense 5 sentences. Most of sentences were written correctly, just a few of them were written incorrectly. The most errors were written in simple present tense and the errors were classified into four, they are misformation, omission, addition, and misordering.

Key words: Tenses, Research Methodology, Research Report

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Life is kindness

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