



Ummi Method in Early Children Learning The Qur`an

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ABSTRACT

This study aims to find out how to apply the Ummi method in the Perum Citarum Bekasi area to early childhood. The research method used is qualitative because the data is of a value nature and requires data collection techniques through observation, interviews, and documentation about the implementation of the Ummi method and the effectiveness of the method. Data analysis is done using triangulation. The results of the study stated that early childhood really likes learning the Qur'an using this method. This method is applied by the teacher slowly, lovingly, not giving sanctions, and is guiding until one can read the Qur'an properly and correctly. Parents who have busy work cannot provide meaningful learning of the Qur'an. This type of parents tend to leave the process of learning the Qur'an to other people such as ustadz and ustadzah. Meanwhile, parents who do not have a profession outside the home, especially mothers, are divided into two. First, for those who know the importance of learning the Qur'an using the Ummi method, they carry it out with full responsibility while the other type who do not understand learning the Qur'an using the Ummi method tend to be indifferent to their children.

INTRODUCTION

The Ummi method is a method for memorizing the Qur`an, which is often done by children mode (Sri Belia Harahap & Pustaka, 2020). The term of this method has something to do with the characteristics of the mother (Rokim, 2021). This connection is entered at the stage of memorizing the Qur`an, one must be patient, steadfast, and gentle. This principle reflects how a mother teaches her child to be very patient, steadfast and gentle in teaching her child until adulthood (Hasunah & Jannah, 2017).

For this reason, learning must master long readings, which include mad thobi'I, mad aridly breadfruit, and other long readings. Characteristics of letters, how to stop reading, and pronounce 28 hijaiyah letters easily and correctly. Actually learning to read the Qur`an with the Ummi method is an easy thing, there are no difficult words in learning it. As long as there is intention and determination to read the Qur`an with sincerity in studying it, then reading it will be easy and pleasing to the ear (Zakiah et al., 2022).

Methods for memorizing the Qur`an, everything is good how we can afford or like this method, everyone has their own principles for memorizing using various methods, of course what I digest and respond to from learning the Ummi method is very suitable for children early age to memorize the holy verses of the Qur`an, as well as the pronunciation of tajwid is very clear in this method (Nasbih, 2022).

LITERATURE REVIEW

Application is everything that must be attached to oneself, just like the knowledge that has been obtained must be attached to us, so that we always practice this knowledge and use it for good (Kamus Besar Bahasa Indonesia, 1990). The application can also be called the loading of practicing a theory, method, and other things to achieve certain goals, and for an interest desired by a group or group that has been planned and arranged beforehand. Application is based on activities, actions, actions, or the mechanism of a system. Implementation is not just an activity, but an activity that is planned and to achieve the objectives of the activity.

The name of the ummi method is taken from the Arabic language, namely "ummun" which means my mother, the choice of the ummi name is to honor and remember the services of the mother. As a mother who has conceived to give birth, even to this moment we are still in her arms (Hidayat, 2022). So the learning approach to the Ummi method is the mother tongue approach, it's like a mother who is so patient in educating her daughter in the face of any obstacles, a mother still protects her with patience and sincerity, so with that, we have to be patient with memorizing with this Ummi method (Hadinata, 2021). firm, gentle and so on.

According to the ummi foundation, the ummi method has 3 mottos:

1. Easy

The Ummi method was made with the aim of making it easier for students, easy for teachers to learn, and easy to implement in formal and non-formal schools.

2. Fun

The Ummi method is carried out through an interesting learning process and uses an uplifting approach so as to remove the impression of depression and fear.

3. Touching the heart

Teachers who teach the ummi method do not only provide theoretical material for learning the Qur'an, but also convey the moral substance of the Qur'an which is implemented in attitudes during the teaching and learning process.

METHODOLOGY

This study uses a qualitative method. This research was conducted at the Citarum Housing Complex, Cikarang. The data sources were parents, teachers, and early childhood who were observed, interviewed regarding the Ummi method in the process of learning the Qur'an. The data analysis technique uses triangulation. The data collection process can be conveyed as follows:

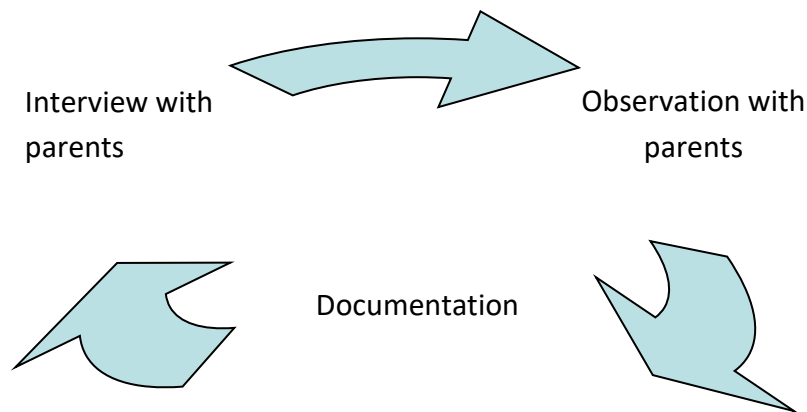


Figure 1. Data Collection

RESEARCH RESULT AND DISCUSSION

Application is a method or theory used in a work, as well as in learning. In the Big Indonesian Dictionary, implementation is defined as an act of applying, whereas according to some experts, application is an act of practicing a theory, method, and other things to achieve certain goals and for an interest desired by a group or groups that have been planned and arranged beforehand (Kamus Besar Bahasa Indonesia, 1990). Implementation is directed at activities, actions, actions, or the mechanism of a system. Implementation is not just an activity, but an activity that is planned and to achieve the objectives of the activity. From the conclusion, some of the above understanding regarding the explanation of the application is the method to be applied, then the mechanism of a system.

The Ummi method is a method for memorizing the Qur'an, which is often done by children (Romilatul Afidah & Norma Ita Sholihah, 2020). In the sense that the ummi method means mothers who memorize the Al-Quran must be patient, steadfast, and gentle. This principle reflects how a mother teaches her child to be very patient, steadfast and gentle in teaching her child until adulthood. Methods for memorizing the Al-Quran, all of them are good how we

can or like in these methods, everyone has their own principles in memorizing with various methods, of course what I digest and I respond to from learning the Ummi method, is very suitable for children early age to memorize the holy verses of the Qur'an, as well as the pronunciation of tajwid is very clear in this method (Alif Achadah & Inas Malikhatas Zahro, 2022).

The Ummi Method is a method developed by the Ummi Foundation (UF) Surabaya. The Ummi method is a method that is widely used by Muslims in learning to read and memorize the Al-Qur'an. This method was initiated in 2007 and was initiated by A. Yusuf MS and Masruri (Saidah, 2016). The background for the creation of this method is because the understanding and need for Muslims in general to learn the Qur'an from the stage of reading and memorizing it has increased. Meanwhile, the existing Al-Qur'an learning programs and methods have not spread to all elements of society, especially Muslims (Nurtsany et al., 2020). So this method is expected to spread throughout society and can increase the spirit of *fastabiq al-khairat* in Islamic education, especially in learning the Qur'an (Tabroni, 2019).

The definition of the Al-Qur'an learning method is as follows. The etymological method comes from the word method which means a systematic way of working to facilitate the implementation of activities in achieving a goal. The method can also be interpreted as the principles that underlie the activity of directing one's development, especially in the teaching and learning process.

The conclusion from the ummi method is the ummi method, one of the methods for memorizing the Qur'an in learning, this ummi method is often used by young children because this method is so suitable for memorizers at an early age. And in the end the teacher is more interesting and more comfortable in guiding children in applying the Ummi method. Children aged 7-13 years are known as the growth and development period. The term development refers to how people grow, adapt, and change throughout their life's journey through physical development, personality development, socio-emotional development, cognitive (thought) development, and language development.

At the Concrete Operational stage (7-12 years), the child is mature enough to use logical thinking or operations, but only for currently existing physical objects. In this stage, the child has lost the tendency towards animism and artificialism. Conservation tasks get better. However, without a physical object in front of them, children at the concrete operational stage still have great difficulty completing logical tasks. At this stage children develop the ability to maintain (conservation), the ability to group together sufficient, perform sorting (sort from smallest to largest and vice versa), and deal with the concept of numbers. However, during this stage the thought process is directed towards real events that are observed by the child. Children can carry out rather complex problem operations as long as the problem is concrete and not abstract

In early childhood where the thinking is still clean. at that age the development period, the easy period in memorizing and others. This section allows you to describe your research findings academically. You may not enter figures related to your statistical tests here; instead, you should explain those numbers here. You should structure your discussion with academic support for

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CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the presentation of research results and discussion of previous research results. Then the conclusions of this study are as follows: Methods for memorizing the Al-Quran, everything is good how we can afford or like the method, everyone has their own principles of memorizing with various methods, this method is very suitable for young children to memorize the holy verses of the Al-Quran, as well as the pronunciation of tajwid is very clear in this method. The ummi method is a method for memorizing the Qur'an which is often used by young children because this method is so suitable for children at an early age. And in the end the teacher is more interested and more comfortable in guiding children in applying the ummi method. For parents who are aware and understand the importance of giving direct learning of the Qur'an to children using the ummi method, this can motivate children to study well. Many parents are still busy working so they still don't have time to teach the Qur'an to their children. This opportunity is in line with parents' knowledge about how to teach the Qur'an such as using the ummi method. This method is actually the same as a mother's love for her child, anything will be done for her child so that she becomes the child that the parents hope for.

ADVANCED RESEARCH

Thus the author of this paper, the author realizes that this research is not free from errors and deficiencies. Therefore, the authors expect constructive criticism and suggestions from readers so that the writing of this research will be even better in the future. The author also advises the reader not only to read this material enough, but also to try to find other related references for even better results for the reader, and the writer is no exception.

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