ABSTRACT

This paper discusses how frequent lecturers of English Department of Bina Nusantara University used directive speech in their daily interactions with the students and how the lecturers implemented those directives with regard to politeness in teaching inside and outside the class.

The writer wanted to research how the lecturers express their directives to their students. To find out whether they express their directives politely when communicating with their students. The writer did observation to the class and gave questionnaire to the lecturers. He also recorded the observations into his notebook and analyzed it.

The result from the observation shows that lecturers used mostly Directive in Pattern 2 - Imperative inside and outside the class. Mostly the relationship between the lecturers and students had high solidarity. The writer also found out that the lecturers also consider in giving politeness to the students.
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