ABSTRACT

Blog are designed not only as a source of information, an online diary, a representation of thought, analysis and observation, but also can be used to internet learning such as Pedapa.com. In order to find the relationship between blog and education, the writer writes a paper entitled "The Improvement of English Grammar Through Pedapa.com: A Case Study of Bina Nusantara Mandarin Club". This paper discusses the usage of blog in learning English grammar. The sample of this paper are members of Bina Nusantara Mandarin Club period 2009 – 2010. The purpose of this research is to prove whether Pedapa.com can improve learners' English grammar or not. To prove that, a grammar test which was specially designed, was used for pre-test and post-test to compare the results of the respondents' scores. The test is also used to show tenses that has high difficulties for the member, and which tenses that is less improved after using Pedapa.com. Quiz, which is designed to monitor the respondents' progress in understanding the material, is also included in this paper. As a result, the research of making this paper proves the blog, especially Pedapa.com can improve English grammar. Future continuous tense and past perfect tense have high difficulties for the member and future continuous tense is the least improved tenses after using Pedapa.com.

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