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Overview of Role-Playing Techniques in Group Guidance Services to Improve Students' Interpersonal Intelligence

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ABSTRACT

Some students still have low interpersonal intelligence, so students have difficulties in their social relationships. It aims to reveal the effectiveness of role-playing techniques in group guidance services to improve students' interpersonal intelligence. The research method uses a quantitative approach, in particular experimental. To obtain data using the student's interpersonal intelligence questionnaire. The data were analyzed using a paired t test, because the study involved only one group of respondents. The results revealed that role playing techniques in group guidance services are effective in improving students' interpersonal intelligence. The results of the study are expected to be used by BK teachers in schools to improve students' interpersonal intelligence. It is also expected to be used by subsequent researchers to utilize role playing techniques in group guidance to improve other psychological aspects.

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INTRODUCTION

Students are social beings who should interact with the environment and people around them. High school students are the age level of adolescence. Adolescence is part of the developmental phase in human life. In this adolescence, students are sometimes constrained to get along socially. In order not to have obstacles in

interacting with the surrounding environment, a good interpersonal ability or commonly referred to as interpersonal intelligence is needed. Interpersonal intelligence is a person's ability to be sensitive to the feelings of others (Agustini et al., 2019). Interpersonal intelligence is the ability to differentiate and provide perceptions of the motivations, moods and feelings of others with the ability to respond effectively to them (Wulandaari in Nurbaiti et al., 2020). Interpersonal intelligence is intelligence where individuals are able to understand the intentions, contents, thoughts and feelings of others (Sutarna, 2019). 75% of all human time is used for becommunication. For this reason, communication science is very important to be studied and mastered (Silvianetri, 2019). Interpersonal Communication is communication that occurs between 2 or more communicators and a communicant who expects the desired feedback. So that effective communication occurs, which is also called having interpersonal intelligence, which can be improved by group activities (Yeni & Netri, 2021). One of the group activities in counseling is the group tutoring service.

Group guidance is a type of guidance and counseling service whose purpose is to obtain information from the topics discussed and the development of socialization and communication skills of service participants. Group guidance services are a type of guidance and counseling services as an educational effort in addition to orientation services, information, content mastery, individual counseling, group counseling, mediation, and consultation (Prayitno in Ardimen et al., 2019). Group guidance is an effort to help students that is carried out in a planned and organized manner for personal development, social relations, learning activities, careers/positions, and decision-making ability, as well as the ability to prevent the development of problems and the development of life skills needed through group dynamics (Ardimen et al., 2019). Group guidance is a form of service provided by counselors to counselors / students to produce decisions by utilizing group dynamics (Kurniawan et al., 2021). Through group guidance services, students can also develop their potential (Mesa et al., 2020).

Group guidance services already come with a variety of innovations. Guidance and counseling researchers make these innovations by combining group guidance services with techniques and approaches that are useful in implementation to achieve the objectives of group guidance services. One form of innovation from group guidance services from the results of research by practitioners is role-playing techniques. Group guidance using this role playing technique is considered appropriate because it can help individuals develop good relationships between members, establish good communication and can develop behaviors or actions to achieve desired goals (Y. S. Dewi et al., 2021). According to James & Gilliland (in Norafifah et al., 2017) The Role Playing technique is a technique used by counselors of various theoretical orientations for clients who need to awaken a deeper understanding, or make changes in, themselves. Role playing is a tool to help students in developing the ability to know their own feelings and the feelings of others and be able to solve problems with the help of groups (Ayu Maningrum & Syarafuddin, 2018).

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

This research uses research methods with a literature study approach. The data collection techniques used in this study are observation techniques, documentation studies and text studies to find data and information related to counseling guidance role playing techniques. The data sources consist of e-books, research reports and articles on group guidance and interpersonal intelligence as well as the interrelationships between role playing techniques in group guidance services . The collected data is analyzed by content analysis techniques and spelled out. Furthermore, the researcher provided an explanation of the topic discussed systematically.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION

A. Group Guidance

Group guidance is one of the techniques in counseling guidance to provide assistance to learners or students carried out by a mentor, educator, or counselor teacher, through group activities that are useful for overcoming various problems faced by students (Passalowongi, 2020).

Group Guidance has rules that include the principles of confidentiality, volunteerism, openness, contemporariness, normality and expertise. In this case, these principles must be carried out, because if the implementation of group guidance is not carried out, it will not run properly (Sulistyowati, 2020). Group members practice expressing ideas, feelings, opinions, adding self-confidence, developing openness and exchanging ideas through group dynamics that take place during group activities (Arifyanto, 2020). Group guidance services bring students into group dynamics or group life (Sunarti & Siregar, 2020).

Experience-oriented group guidance through games, through group guidance, can improve participants' perceptions of the group (mirawati, 2018). In general, group guidance services aim to develop social skills, in particular the communication skills of service participants (Tohirin in Aprilia et al., 2017). Issues that are the topic of conversation in the group guidance service, are discussed through an atmosphere of group dynamics in an intense and constructive manner, followed by all members of the group under the guidance of the group leader (Risma et al., 2020). In general, the implementation of group guidance services is intended to prevent the development of problems or obstacles that exist in group members (Mesa et al., 2020).

B. Role Playing Techniques in Group Guidance

Role playing is a method of role-playing, where the individual will play a certain role from a social problem situation (Wibowo et al., 2019). Role play brings students in real situations so that students are able to take insights, knowledge, skills, values and attitudes in dealing with situations (Riansyah et al., 2018). The procedure for implementing role playing is carried out, which includes (1) Meeting-1 (Introduction and explaining material about bullying), (2) Meeting-2 (Role playing 1), (3) Meeting-3 (Role playing 2), (4) Meeting-4 (Role playing 3), (5) Meeting-5 (Evaluation and closing). If the problem has not been resolved, it is necessary to carry out further

guidance and counseling by the guidance and counseling teacher in order to follow up on the problem more deeply, so that the bias problem is resolved optimally (Maemunah & Karneli, 2021).

The role playing technique is a method of group guidance and counseling that is carried out consciously and discussions about roles in the group. A problem is briefly demonstrated, so that students can recognize the character (Safitri & Hasgimianti, 2021). Through the role playing method, students can learn to see the perspective of others. When acting as a person, students will try to live up to the duties and professions of the character as well as learn to understand the character of the character they play (Adit et al., 2019). Role playing in this study basically dramatizes behavior in improving interpersonal intelligence.

C. Role Playing Techniques in Group Guidance To Improve Interpersonal Intelligence

In essence, interpersonal intelligence is the ability to communicate sensitive to the emotions of others, easily adjust to others, have empathy and like to help others. Interpersonal intelligence is fostered if a person has a positive attitude towards themselves (Cookson & Stirk, 2019). Role playing techniques are learning models that help each student find personal meaning in the social world and solve interpersonal problems. Role-playing is one of the learning models of social interaction between individuals and groups that provides opportunities for students to carry out learning activities actively and effectively.

In a lesson with a scenario in which students are asked to consume a role called role playing. Role playing techniques can foster the creativity and activity of students in service activities (R. S. Dewi et al., 2022).

From the results of research that has been carried out by previous researchers on role playing techniques in group guidance, for example research conducted by (Setyarum et al., 2022), (R. S. Dewi et al., 2022), (Rohani, 2019), that role playing techniques in group guidance are effective in increasing interpersonal intelligence, communication skills, a sense of empathy in students.

CONCLUSION

After conducting research with literature studies, by re-examining the research results of the researchers and the results of observations from the implementation of role playing techniques in group guidance to improve students' interpersonal intelligence is indeed effective. By doing group guidance with role playing techniques, students learn how to value others. Because in the role playing technique, students will be taught seca ar in groups, the roles played are the roles of social conditions experienced by group members.

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