ABSTRACT

Teachers' Efforts in Utilizing the School Library to Increase Interest in Reading of 3rd Grade Students of SDN Banra'as 1, Dungkek.

Keywords: Teacher Efforts, School Libraries and Reading Interest.

The school library is a place for students to increase their interest with a variety of book collections because reading is a window to expand knowledge. Based on the observations, believed that increasingly reading activities is important for third grade students of SDN Banra'as 1, Dungkek.

This observations describe the efforts of teachers in using the school library to increase reading interest in third grade students at SDN Banra'as 1, Dungkek. This study uses qualitative research to describe the findings obtained. The data obtained from the results of interviews, observations and documentation at SDN Banra'as 1, Dungkek. The subjects of observations are the teachers and third grade students at SDN Banra'as 1, Dungkek.

The teachers' effort in utilizing the school library at SDN Banra'as I Dungkek were to familiarize students with visiting the school library, implementing reading activities before starting teaching and learning and giving 15 minutes for students to read. This is work everyday before the lesson takes.

