ABSTRACT

THE INFLUENCE OF COOPERATIVE GAME ACTIVITY TOWARD SOCIAL SKILL CHILDREN AGED 5-6 YEARS IN GROUP B PERTIWI PROVINCE KINDERGARTEN ACADEMIC YEAR 2014/2015

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The research problem was the low social skill children aged 5-6 years. The study aimed to find out the impact of cooperative game activity on social skills of children aged 5-6 years at Pertiwi Province Kindergarten academic year 2014/2015. The research method used was Expost Facto method. The sample of this study was 28 children, 5-6 years 10 girls and 18 boys. Data analyzed by using single table and cross table, while hypothesis testing used was simple linier regression. The result showed that the impact of the activities of these cooperative social skills of 5-6 years of the regression coefficient is being marked by a positive 1.47, So concluded that there was influence of cooperative game toward social skills of 5-6 year old children in Group B Pertiwi Province Kindergarten academic year 2014/2015. Therefore should be cooperative game can be used as one of alternatives in their experiences in Early childhood education.

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