ABSTRACT

IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS OF LEARNING THROUGH IPS PROCESS SKILLS APPROACH TO STUDENT SMP CLASS OF STATE 4 TERBANGGI ACADEMIC YEAR 2013/2014

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This research aims at improving the activity and student learning outcomes in the learning of Social Sciences (IPS) using Process Skills Approach. The method used in this research is Classroom Action Research (CAR), which consists of three cycles, each cycle includes planning, implementation, observation and reflection. Data collection techniques using the techniques of observation and a written test. The results of this study showed an increase in: (1) student learning activities, indicators achieved in the second cycle as did the three cycles, the better the results, (2) student learning outcomes, the second cycle indicator has also reached three further cycles of increasing and ≥ 85%.

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