

ABSTRAK

PENGARUH PENERAPAN MODEL PEMBELAJARAN *DISCOVERY LEARNING* TERHADAP KEMAMPUAN BERPIKIR KRITIS PESERTA DIDIK PADA PEMBELAJARAN IPAS KELAS IV SD

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Masalah dalam penelitian ini yaitu rendahnya kemampuan berpikir kritis peserta didik kelas IV SD Negeri 8 Metro Timur. Bertujuan untuk mengetahui pengaruh penerapan model pembelajaran *discovery learning* terhadap kemampuan berpikir kritis peserta didik. Metode yang digunakan adalah *quasi experiment* dengan desain *non-equivalent control group design*. Populasi dan sampel diperoleh melalui teknik *purposive sampling* dengan jumlah sampel sebanyak 56 peserta didik. Teknik pengumpulan data menggunakan tes dan non tes. Data dianalisis menggunakan uji-t. Hasil analisis data diperoleh nilai signifikansi sebesar $0,000 < 0,05$ sehingga Ha diterima yang menunjukkan bahwa terdapat pengaruh penerapan model pembelajaran *discovery learning* terhadap kemampuan berpikir kritis peserta didik pada pembelajaran IPAS kelas IV SD Negeri 8 Metro Timur Tahun Pelajaran 2024/2025.

Kata kunci: berpikir kritis, *discovery learning*, IPAS, sekolah dasar.

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THE INFLUENCE OF IMPLEMENTING DISCOVERY LEARNING MODEL ON STUDENTS' CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS IN IPAS LEARNING FOURTH GRADE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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The problem in this study was the low critical thinking skills of the fourth-grade students at SD Negeri 8 Metro Timur. This research aimed to determine the effect of applying the discovery learning model on students' critical thinking skills. The method used a quasi-experiment with a non-equivalent control group design. The population and sample were obtained through purposive sampling technique with a sample size of 56 students. The data collection technique used tests and non-tests. Data were analyzed using the t-test. The results of the data analysis obtained a significance value of $0.000 < 0.05$, thus H_a is accepted, indicating that there was an influence of the application of the discovery learning model on the critical thinking skills of students in the IPAS learning of the 4th-grade class at SD Negeri 8 Metro Timur for the 2024/2025 academic year.

Keywords: critical thinking, discovery learning, elementary school, IPAS.