CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION and SUGGESTION

After presented the finding and discussion in previous chapter, now comes at conclusion and provides the suggestion to the readers. Especially to the people who concern in pragmatics study, specifically in directive speech acts and also to the next researchers who are interested in conducting study in the same field.

5.1 Conclusion

The Maze Runner (2014) is a movie in perspective of sixteen years old boy who has different thought than other characters. Although he is the last male which sent by W.C.K.D into the maze, he can give a big contribution to other gladers who stay at the same maze for three years. In many cases, Thomas uses directive speech acts to ask other listeners to do future action based on his thought in order to escape themselves from the maze. In the movie, in some circumstances there are some directive speech acts performed by Thomas who plays a big role to help his group to escape from the maze. Thomas uses directive speech acts in order to direct the member to follow him escape from the maze. Although there is one glader, Gally, who always opposes his thought and the other gladers also oppose him, but many of them confront with Thomas's idea even Gally punishes them. Those things do not make Thomas gives up. Indeed, it makes a challenge for him and forces him to pretend that his thought is right. Then Thomas and other gladers who support and follow him, success to escape from the maze. They fight with the grievers inside the labyrinth, although several

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gladers are killed. They break the code inside of the labyrinth, and enter the laboratory of W.C.K.D. After that, they watch the video which is recorded by Ava, woman who creates the W.C.KD in the laboratory. She is the creator of W.C.K.D. In the end of the movie, Thomas is success to make his group come out from the labyrinth by using the directive speech acts to direct the member.

Those types of directive which used by Thomas based on Searle's theory are advice, command, order, question, request. The type of question is the biggest frequency performed among other features. It occurred for 96 times or in percentage of 48%. The second is command which occurred 75 times or 38%. The third is advice which occurred in 17 times or 9%. The fourth is request which occurred in 6 times 3%. The last frequency is order which occured in 4 times or 2% in the movie. Relates to Thomas's directive speech acts, he usedit to demand other gladers in order to do future action. Whereas, each character hashis or her own responsto Thomas's directive speech acts whether accepting or rejecting Thomas's utterances. Both of accepting or rejecting is belonged to the term of preference structure. Moreover, there are two kinds of preference structurally unexpected next act as a response.

5.2 Suggestion

Based on the result of this study on directive speech acts and the preference structure, the writer suggests to the other students who are interested with the same field of pragmatics to continue in conducting further researches. In

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addition, the research which concerns on speech acts may use different approach to examine the speech. For further researcher, the writer also suggests to use the subject of the study should more than one person in different gender, it is more recommended in order to present the comparison between male and female to influence the future action of the listener.

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