

B. Research Subject

The place chosen for this research was in the SMA Muhammadiyah 2 SIDOARJO. This was because this school has received many awards in the context of education. The two awards that relate to the education award in general are first, education Indonesia award categorized as the best education and educator of the year 2013. The second is the platinum of Indonesian award 2014 categorized as the best education, learning and training. These two bases become a strong reason to test the skill of the students in learning process.

The population for this study is all of the tenth grade students at SMA MUHAMMADIYAH 2 SIDOARJO. There are a number of classes for the tenth grade. Based on the observation done by the researcher about the field, there were 14 classes for the tenth grade. For each class, there were about 35 students. So, there were about 490 students for population.

The data was taken from the 1st grade senior high school students in the first semester. The students had any kinds of text genres like narrative, recount, report, descriptive texts in and so on based on the book used. Based on the advice from the teacher, the researcher used 5 of 14 classes as samples for this research which contains 187 students. The researcher used random sampling to choose the sample.

