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## **ABSTRAK**

Bahasa gaul merupakan bahasa sehari-hari yang digunakan oleh anak muda saat ini untuk percakapan santai, biasanya antar teman. Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengidentifikasi berbagai kategori jenis dan fungsi kata gaul. Metodologi penelitian yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah kualitatif, memanfaatkan kerangka teori yang relevan. Peneliti menggunakan metode non-partisipatif untuk mengumpulkan data. Identitas atau identifikasi digunakan untuk menganalisis data. Teknik penelitian ini melibatkan pemanfaatan teknik analisis data yang bersifat deskriptif karena data yang diperoleh tidak dalam bentuk angka atau statistik. Peneliti menemukan 1 data jenis bahasa gaul segar dan kreatif, 24 data jenis bahasa gaul flippant, 4 data jenis bahasa imitatif, dan 4 data clipping. Dalam fungsi bahasa gaul, pembatasan subjek dan kelompok berorientasi pembicara sebanyak 3 data, informalitas dan penghinaan sebanyak 12 data, dan ketidaksopanan, sikap menyinggung dan agresivitas sebanyak 1 data. pada fungsi bahasa gaul, sifat-sifat yang berorientasi pada pendengar, yaitu sifat suka bermain dan humor sebanyak 1 data, sifat segar dan kebaruan sebanyak 16 data, dan sifat ingin memberi kesan, sifat iseng sebanyak 1 data. Bahasa gaul merupakan fenomena bahasa non-standar yang berkembang seiring dengan perubahan zaman dan umumnya digunakan dalam komunikasi informal. Penelitian ini menganalisis 33 jenis bahasa gaul dalam lirik lagu New Hope Club Band, dengan fokus pada sifat segar dan kreatif, sifat tidak serius, akronim, sifat meniru, dan sifat memotong. Fungsi bahasa gaul yang paling umum adalah sifat segar dan kebaruan, yang sering digunakan oleh kaum muda. Bahasa gaul sering digunakan dalam komunikasi, terutama ketika berinteraksi dengan orang-orang terdekat untuk menunjukkan keakraban.

Kata kunci: bahasa gaul, nyanyi, lirik

## **ABSTRACT**

Slang is the colloquial language used by today's youth for casual conversation, usually between friends. The aim of this research is to identify the various categories of types and functions slang words. The research methodology employed in this study is qualitative, utilizing relevant theoretical frameworks. The researcher employed a non-participatory method to collect the data. Identity or identification was used for analyzing the data. The technique this research involves the utilization of data analysis techniques is descriptive because the data obtained are not in the form of numbers or statistics. The researcher found 1 data of the fresh and creative type of slang, 24 data of the flippant type, 4 data of the imitative type, and 4 data of clipping. In the slang function, speaker-oriented subject and group restriction as many as 3 data, informality and debasement as many as 12 data, and impertinence, offensiveness and aggressiveness 1 data. in the slang function, hearer-oriented properties playfulness and humor 1 data, freshness and novelty as many as 16 data, desire to impress faddishness 1 data. Slang is a non-standard language phenomenon that evolves with changing times and is commonly used in informal communication. This study analysed 33 slang types in the New Hope Club Band song lyrics, focusing on fresh and creative, flippant, acronym, imitative, and clipping. The most common slang functions were freshness and novelty, which are often used by young people. Slang is frequently used in communication, especially when interacting with those closest to you to demonstrate familiarity.

Keywords: slang, songs, lyrics.

## **MOTTO AND DEDICATION**

### **MOTTO**

Man jadda wa jadda “whoever is serious will definitely succeed”

Success will be achieved with sincerity and failure will occur due to laziness. be  
serious and you will soon get what you aspire to.

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