

THE ROLE OF STUDENTS IN THE COMMUNITY AS A FORM OF SERVICE IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION IN KAJHU VILLAGE, BAITUSSALAM DISTRICT, ACEH BESAR REGENCY

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ABSTRACT

Community service carried out by students is a form of service to the community. Community service activities are an effort to educate the nation's life, so one of the activities that students need to do in the field of education is community service. To compile community service activity programs in the educational aspect, it is necessary to carry out extension activities with the aim that students can carry out community service activities well and on target. This activity can be carried out well and produce several student activity programs in the field of Education, namely teaching Indonesian, teaching mathematics, teaching drawing, teaching reading the Qur'an, and assisting teachers in teaching in PAUD. This activity targets elementary school students who also involve the Gampong community, Gampong officials, and parents of students in Gampong Kaju, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency.

Keywords: Community Service, Community Service Program, Education Program

A. INTRODUCTION

This community service program, organized by STMIK Indonesia Banda Aceh, is a two-month program for students. The goal of this activity is for students to contribute to and engage with the community. Furthermore, as young intellectuals, students are expected to develop themselves as agents or leaders of change who intelligently and effectively resolve issues facing their communities (Yudiana and Fitria, 2019:402).

The implementation of the Tri Dharma of Higher Education, one of which is community service. This is stated in the Law of the Republic of Indonesia Number 12 of 2012, Article 1 (11) concerning Higher Education, which states that community service is an activity of the academic community that utilizes science and technology to advance the welfare of society and improve the life of the nation. Student service activities are expected to be a driving force in the development of applied research aimed at helping solve problems in society, in addition to developing students' sensitivity to feelings and social conditions (Syardiansah in Hariana, et al., 2021:11).

In an effort to improve the nation's life , one of the activities students need to undertake is education. Students are expected to be able to develop community service programs .

A diverse range of activities, including one that addresses the educational aspect for children. STMIK Indonesia Banda chose the location of Kaju Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency. Kaju Village is geographically located near the coast, with residents making their living as fishermen, gardeners, livestock raisers, and traders.

Before the students of STMIK Indonesia Banda Aceh conducted community service in Kaju Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency, they conducted observations and initial interviews in the field where the community service targets would be implemented by the students. From the results of these observations, it was discovered that the educational facilities available were still limited, including only one PAUD, 1 Kindergarten (TK), and one elementary school (SD). For secondary schools such as junior high and senior high schools (SLTP) there were no schools in Kaju Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency. To continue their education to junior high and senior high school levels, children must attend schools in neighboring villages closest to their own. The average education level of the residents is high school graduates (SMA). In addition, interviews conducted with several residents also found that there were still 3rd grade elementary school (SD) students who were not yet fluent in reading and arithmetic. From these findings, community service students in Kaju Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency were directed to create an additional learning activity program for elementary school students from grades 1 to 6. In this case, community service students collaborated with the village government to implement an additional learning activity program for elementary school students.

It is hoped that with this counseling, students can develop a community service activity program in the field of education that can help increase students' interest in learning at the elementary school (SD) level.

B. METHOD OF MONEY ASSESSMENT

Extension activities for community service students carried out in Gampong Kajhu, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency used qualitative methods. The extension was attended by all 21 community service students. The implementation time was from early December 2022 to the end of January 2023. The forms of activities carried out by the Field Supervisor were: a) lecturers provided material to community service students about the role of community service students in the field of education as a form of community service in the village, b) assisting community service students in compiling community service activity programs in the field of education in Gampong Kajhu, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency.

C. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1. Profile of Kajhu Village

This outreach activity was held in Kajhu Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency, approximately 10 kilometers from the STMIK Indonesia Banda Aceh Campus. Kajhu Village is a village geographically located near the coast, with residents making their living as fishermen, gardeners, livestock raisers, traders, and various other professions.

The population of Kajhu Village is 7,980, consisting of 4,195 men and 3,785 women. The educational situation in Kajhu Village can be seen in the table below.

in table 1 below:

Table 1. Condition of Education in Kajhu Village

No.	Level of education	Gender	
		Man	Woman
1	Early Childhood Education	692	475
2	TK	689	484
3	SD	678	671
4	Junior High School	672	683
5	High School	684	673
6	D3	310	370
7	S1, S2, S3	220	206
8	Not yet in school	250	223
AMOUNT		4.123	3.832

Source: Kajhu Village Office 2022

2. Extension Activities

In the implementation of extension activities as a Form of Community Service in the Field of Education in Gampong Kaju, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency, it was carried out from early December 2022 to the end of January 2023 which was attended by all community service students in Gampong Kaju. The speakers in this activity were two lecturers from STMIK Indonesia Banda Aceh, namely Drs. H. Maimun, M.Si, Sufyan, SE., MM, Riyand Maulana, S.Pd., M.Pd., Adi Ahmad, S.Kom., MM and who is also a supervisor and field assistant lecturer.

This outreach activity consists of two stages, namely: a) the stage of providing material and direction to students about the role of student community service in the field of education. The speaker delivered the material and continued with a question and answer session with the community service participants. The enthusiasm of the participants in participating in this activity was seen as evident from the questions asked and their seriousness in listening to the material given. The following is documentation of the community service activities and materials of Gampong Kaju, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency.



Picture 1. Photo with the student of the service with the Supervisor Lecturer and Field Accompanying Lecturer

b) Assisting community service students in developing community service programs in the field of Education. From the results of discussions with community service students, several community service programs in the field of Education were produced, namely: 1) reading, arithmetic, and Indonesian language tutoring activities for students in grades 1 to 6 of elementary school, 2) teaching Iqra' for elementary school children, and 3) assisting and collaborating in teaching in PAUD (Early Childhood Education). For more details, please see table 2 below:

Tabel 2. Program Kegiatan PENGABDIAN Bidang Pendidikan

No.	Activity Name	Objective	Target
1.	Teaching Early Childhood Education	Assisting PAUD teachers in teaching and helping students reach their developmental stages.	PAUD students aged 3-5 years
2.	Teaching Indonesian	Helping elementary school children to read fluently	Elementary School (SD) students class
3.	Teaching mathematics	Train to be proficient in counting	1 sample 6 Elementary School (SD) students grades 1 to 6
4.	Teaching drawing	Train to be proficient at drawing	Elementary School (SD) students grades 1 to 6
5.	Teaching studies	Training children to read the Iqrak and Al-Quran fluently and deepen their knowledge of the Islamic religion	Elementary School (SD) students class
			1 sample 6

Source: Student Community Service Activities and Lecturers

The program outlined above was implemented directly from the first week of the Community Service Program until the end of the Community Service Program , which lasted approximately one month. The following is documentation of the implementation of activities in the field of Education in Kajhu Village.

The following is documentation of the implementation of SERVICE activities in the field of Education which has been formulated as shown in table 2 above.



Figure 2. Teaching activities for PAUD and elementary school students



Figure 3. Tutoring Activities



Picture 4. Photo With Les' Children



Figure 5. Recitation Activities

D. CONCLUSION

The outreach activities carried out by the supervisor and field supervisor of STMIK Indonesia Banda Aceh to the Community Service Students in Air Terjun Village with the title "The Role of Community Service Students (PENGABDIAN) as a Form of Community Service in the Field of Education in Kaju Village, Baitussalam District, Aceh Besar Regency" were carried out well. This activity resulted in several Community Service student activity programs in the field of Education, namely tutoring several subjects, Indonesian, mathematics, drawing and teaching the Koran, as well as assisting teachers in teaching at PAUD. This activity targets elementary school students (SD) which also involves the community, village officials and also students who

located in Kajhu Village , Baitussalam District , Aceh Besar Regency .

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