

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTIONS

This chapter consists of two elements. First, presents conclusion drawn from the findings of the research. In addition, suggestions of further researches are also provide in this chapter.

5.1 Conclusions

The development of language on social media, is a very interesting phenomenon to observe and research. The research is analyze the glimpsing into TikTok's vernacular specifically a descriptive study of terminologies among users. The use of vernacular terms on TikTok is certainly interesting to explore because of its dynamic, unique, and frequently used development, especially by the zillennial generation. In addition, this study aims to understand the uniqueness of language development on online platforms, meaning based on the context of the sentence, and how the terminology is used on TikTok, as well as differences in the use of terminology based on gender identity and finally identify the categories of vernacular terminology forms used based on the gender identity of users, to minimize misunderstanding in communicating or accepting information.

Regarding with this, the researcher explores forms categories of terminologies and the TikTok vernacular terminologies based on gender demographics. The research finds out the answer to first and second research question in the first chapter. Refers to the data findings, this research showed there are 60 terminologies which are classified into the form of terminologies and the gender users in TikTok. There are five different form of terminologies includes words, phrases, blending words, acronyms and initials and the last is adding prefix and suffix. Also the data categorized by gender initials which are male and female. Based on the data, both of word form and acronyms and initials form have the highest number with 16 terminologies and the lowest forms is blending words with 8 total amount.

This research also shows that female TikTok users are more dominant and active, as many as 39 terminologies come from female accounts and 21 others from male accounts. Differences between the two were also found, with men being more to the point than women, but expressing emotions indirectly. Both of them liked entertainment content.

This research proves that the optimal use of social media makes it one of the places to develop creativity. as evidenced by some of the words found to arise from spontaneity when looking at the surrounding environment such as '*cewek mamba*', '*cewek kue*', '*jamet*', and '*cebum*'. In addition, the terminology that is quite popular and used on TikTok also comes from a song such as 'cegil', 'backburner', and 'chicago'. Apart from adopting from other aspects, the terminology used in TikTok also arises from TikTok's own features such as 'Yellow basket' 'FLKS' 'FYP' 'Filter' and 'Algorithm'.

The different use of terminologies based on gender identity is also very interesting. This research shows that females are more dominant in this application. Women recorded and share stories about their lives more often than men, while male are more to the point in delivering the message often than female.

5.2 Suggestions

Through this research, the researcher suggests that vernacular terminologies can be one of the research topics study for student of English Education in the future. For this reason, vernacular terminologies always evolve with increasing human creativity especially in social life and the meaning can depend on the context in which it's used. To overcome misunderstandings and know the form and meaning can be seen from the type of form and function of these vernacular terminologies. This is interesting to research because usually the words used can only be understood by a group of people. can only be understood by a group of people who use these words based on the context of the discussion.

However, the researcher suggests that those who are interested in analyzing to increase their knowledge, to understand that terminologies can solve misunderstandings when communicating with online communities and for future

researchers to be better than before. In addition, future researchers can explore issues regarding slang terms that are not addressed in this study. For example, the influence of vernacular terminologies on improving English skills, and the function of using TikTok's terminologies in communication.

In addition, the research hopes that this research can give deep and better understanding about how to analyze the slang word social media in literature side, also hopes that the research can be useful for the future improvement of studying literature, especially about slang word, and used as reference for those who want to do the same research.