



## Implications of Parents for Continuing Children's Education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency

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### ABSTRACT

*The objectives of this research are: (1) To find out what parents' implications are for children's education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency; (2) To determine the progress of children's continuing education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency. The research approach used in this research is qualitative research. The data collection techniques used were through observation, interviews and documentation. The data collection procedure involves conducting research directly at the location used as the research target and also collecting data by quoting expert opinions, then when the data is collected the author carries out a qualitative descriptive analysis. Every research activity certainly has a population and sample. The population for this study was 163 people, while the sample was 18 people. The results of the research show that: (1) the implications of parents or the role of parents in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency are generally very good, they guide their children well and motivate their children to remain enthusiastic in pursuing and achieving goals. education up to a higher level. (2) basically the continuation of children's education in Katilombu Village is said to be very good because parents in Katilombu Village always instill motivation in their children to be enthusiastic about achieving education up to higher education.*

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### 1. Introduction

Creating good and quality children is the responsibility of parents. Children are a trust given by God to parents who must be held accountable in the afterlife. Therefore, parents are obliged to care for, raise, care for, support and educate their children with full responsibility and love.

After a child's personality is formed, the next role of parents is to teach educational values to their children. The education given by parents to their children is education that will always go hand in hand with the formation of the child's personality. The education process for the younger generation has three important pillars. The three pillars are school, community and family. By providing the highest level of education, all children's lives will run smoothly, children's education is the driving force of life and education is still an expensive investment. The role of parents in education has a big role in the child's future. So, in order to get the best education, as a parent you must try to send your child to the highest level of education, which is one way for your child to be financially independent in the future.

As parents, you must plan your children's future as early as possible so that they do not suffer. Childhood is a period of transition and continuation towards the level of maturity in preparation for achieving youth. This means that the developmental progress achieved during childhood is a provision for parents' success in educating them. The good and bad of a person's attitudes and behavior as a child is largely determined by their experience of seeing the people around

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them, especially their parents. These are all educational provisions for future children.

On the other hand, children are a generation that has a number of potentials that should be developed in their educational activities and creativity. Children have characteristics including rapid physical growth and maturity. All of these children's potential will be meaningful if they are nurtured and developed in a directed manner so that they become empowered human beings. Without good guidance, all of this potential will not have a positive impact, the opposite could even happen, namely causing various problems and obstacles. Moreover, if we look to the future, the challenges of globalization are getting bigger, so educational development for children must be strengthened even more.

Maintaining the continuation of children's education is very important and parents have a responsibility for this. In general education in Indonesia, there are 3 levels of education starting from kindergarten, elementary school, middle school, high school to university level. Katilombu Village is one of the sub-districts located in Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency. Children's education services in Katilombu Village can be said to be quite good, such as the availability of kindergarten and elementary school educational institutions with advice and infrastructure facilities as well as a technology-based education system that follows the 2013 curriculum program. However, it cannot be denied that the children in the Village Katilombu also experiences problems with the continuity of education, this is due to environmental factors that are not conducive where children experience inappropriate interactions. Therefore, the family or parents are very important as the first forum for children to receive good guidance and motivation in order to become children who will grow and develop and continue their education as best as possible.

Based on the description above, researchers are interested in conducting research with the title "Implications of the Role of Parents in Continuing Children's Education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency".

## **2. Methods**

This research model is descriptive qualitative. According to Gay, Mills and Airasian for descriptive method research, a minimum of 10% of the population. So, by using a purposive sampling technique from a population of 163, the researcher sampled part of the population data so that the samples were 9 parents and 9 children. A total of 18 people were sampled with a sample percentage of 11%. The data collection techniques used in this research are observation, interviews and documentation. This research was assisted by observation instruments, interview guides, recording equipment, cameras and written instruments. There are many models of data analysis in qualitative research and there are a variety of ways of handling and analyzing data. The main principle of the qualitative analysis method is to manage and analyze the collected data into orderly, structured, systematic and meaningful data consisting of:

### **Qualitative Data Analysis Before Going to the Field**

Analysis was carried out on data from my secondary data, which was used to determine the focus of the research. However, this is temporary, and develops after the researcher enters and while in the field.

### **Qualitative Data Analysis While in the Field**

Miles and Huberman, stated that activities in qualitative data analysis are carried out interactively and continue continuously until completion, so that the

data is saturated. Activities in data analysis, namely data reduction, data display, and conclusion drawing/verification.

The conclusions of qualitative research are expected to be new discoveries that have never existed before. Findings can be in the form of a picture or image of an object that was previously still dim or dark so that it becomes clear after being studied, it can be in the form of a cause and effect relationship or interaction, hypothesis or theory.

### **3. Findings and Discussions**

The subject of this research is the implications of parents for the continuation of children's education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency.

#### **Implications of Parents for Children's Education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency**

The implications of parents for children's education in Katilombu Village are quite influential because parents are the first people to teach education to their children, from toddlers, children to adults. However, there are also parents who can no longer guide their children in learning because they are already at school and there are teachers teaching, or because they are busy. Well, this is where the evaluation must be carried out. Parents cannot be separated from guiding their children in learning even though their children are already at school here. continue to guide children's learning and monitor children's daily activities.

The role of parents in children's education is very important, with attention and support that will make children enthusiastic and full of educational knowledge. Various factors are the reasons why children's education in Katilombu Village is said to be still less than optimal, for example there are children who do not continue their education due to environmental factors. One of them is influenced by promiscuity. This was proven when the author conducted direct research in Katilombu Village, it was still found that many children aged 14-17 years were smoking and drinking alcohol. Therefore, it is the responsibility of all of us, especially the role of parents, which is very important in the education of children in Katilombu Village.

The following are the results of researchers' interviews with WMN residents of Katilombu Village:

"As a parent, I certainly hope that my children will continue their education because education is very important for them. I have only graduated from elementary school, therefore I really hope that my children will receive a higher education than me."

Based on the statement above, it can be concluded that Mrs. Muriana said that education is truly meaningful for a child, where a mother has only graduated from elementary school and is able to provide guidance to her children so that her children continue to receive higher education.

Based on the results of an interview with WS, one of the residents of Katilombu Village, he said:

"To support our children in the world of education, as a parent, I always provide motivation and guidance and encouragement so that they continue their education because that is very important for them."

Based on the interview above, we can see that parents have a great influence on their children's education, where parents always provide motivation, guidance and encouragement so that they continue their education. As parents, of course you have to provide motivation, guidance and encouragement so that they continue to want to continue their education. Because education is very important for their future.

As for the role of parents, parents will always provide motivation, guidance and encouragement so that their children continue their education, which in the world of education is very important for them in the future. This can be seen from the presentation of the results of the interview that the researcher conducted with a child (WND), as follows:

"Education is important to me because by continuing my education I can find out about the outside world which I didn't know, so that with education I can also increase my knowledge to achieve a better life in the future."

In agreement with WND, a child named RSK also said:

"Obviously education is very important because by continuing education we can get to know the outside world and also increase our knowledge in the future."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that education is very important because by continuing the world of education we get to know more about the outside world which we cannot get from other people. And with education we can increase our knowledge, which is where we get knowledge from our family or parents, but we can also get education at school, and education can also change our lives for the better.

The following are the results of the researcher's interview with a resident of Katilombu Village named WNN, he said:

"As a parent, I have to work hard for my child so that my child continues to study. I always teach them to study, especially since my child is my only child and I want their education to be more than just a junior high school graduate, I want them to go to college."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that parents will try to work hard for their children so that they continue their education, not just at junior high school level if necessary, to go to college. This can be seen from the researcher's interview response with one of the children named DNG, he said:

"For me education is important because I want to see my parents proud of my achievements and I want to make them happy, because my parents have worked hard to send me to school."

From the results of the interview above, it can be seen that a child considers education to be very important and he wants to raise the status of his parents, and he knows that his parents worked hard to send him to school. So he continues his education and wants to give happiness to his parents for his success.

Based on observations carried out by researchers, researchers conducted research in Katilombu Village based on the results of interviews with parents and children from Katilombu Village. It is known to parents in Katilombu Village that parents have played their role quite well in instilling motivation in their children to remain enthusiastic in pursuing and achieving goals from education to a higher level.

Parents in Katilombu Village even take on the role of a teacher at home, this is because they want their children to always be connected, so that what they learn at school can be exposed to them in the family so that their children's education will always be good and sustainable. at school and in the family.

### **Continuation of Children's Education in Katilombu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency**

Continuing education is an effort and activity that proceeds through stages and levels, both in traditional society and modern society. The levels of education start from kindergarten, elementary school, middle school, high school, bachelor's degree, and so on.

Getting an education is the right of every child of the nation, every child has the right to receive education and teaching in order to develop their personality and level of intelligence in accordance with their interests and talents. However, there is an obstacle that parents must face in continuing their children's education, namely a lack of awareness of education. Even though parents have carried out their duties and responsibilities, namely caring for and raising children, providing extensive teaching and motivating children to continue their education in order to obtain broad and advanced knowledge.

The following are the results of the researcher's interview with one of the residents of Katilombu Village on behalf of LSR, he said:

"I have two children, the first of whom is still in high school and the other sibling is not in school because his sister has Lupus. As a parent, I will provide guidance and motivation to my child because I want to send my child to college level."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that parents will always try to guide and motivate their children so that they continue their education, not only until high school but also at college level later. Therefore, parents hope to see their children succeed in achieving their dreams. This was also conveyed by one of Mr LSR's children named ALB, he said:

"My father always provides guidance and motivation to me so that I continue in the world of education, not just at the high school level but at the college level, especially since I will graduate from high school this year and it's not just my parents' wish that I want to send me to school. at college level, but I also want to continue my education to college level."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that parents always provide guidance and motivation to their children to always pursue education to a higher level so that they gain knowledge and broader insight and can guarantee the child's success in the future. From the child's confession, it can also be seen that the desire to continue his education to a higher level is not only due to the encouragement or wishes of his parents but also due to the wishes of the child himself. Because he feels that education is very important for a child, not only at the high school level but also at the college level later.

The following is the researcher's interview with one of the residents of Katilombu Village on behalf of Mrs. MRN, she said:

"I have five children, the first child has an education up to S1 studying at Halu Oleo University and he is now a teacher at SMA N 1 Sampolawa, the second child only has a high school education and the third child has an education up to S1 and is also studying at Halu University. Oleo and the last child are twins, the



older brother, Alhamdulillah, is currently studying at Buton Muhammadiyah University and the younger sibling has the same education as his older brother, he is also studying at Buton Muhammadiyah University, I always give them motivation, I don't want them to be like me, especially since I only graduated from junior high school. because my desire is to provide the best education for them."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that Mrs. MRN always tries to send her two children to school until they complete their undergraduate education, and the other two are currently pursuing undergraduate education at Buton Muhammadiyah University. Even though one of her children was only able to complete high school, Mrs. Muriana did not stop working hard and trying to send her children to a higher level of education because she realized that education was very important for them to guarantee their future. Good. He also does not want his children to follow in his footsteps, who can only study up to junior high school. This was also conveyed by one of Mrs. MRN's children, Yudi, who said:

"As a child, of course my parents always motivate us so that our education does not only reach high school level but reaches college, I am also motivated by my older brother whose education has reached undergraduate level, especially now that I am about to finish, I thank both of them. parents who have always supported me until now."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that a child is motivated by his older siblings who have been able to complete their education, even if they only reach S1. This is enough to provide encouragement and motivation to seriously complete their education at a higher level.

The following is the researcher's interview with one of the residents of Katilombu Village on behalf of Mrs. WSS, she said:

"As a parent, my hope is of course to give the best education to my children, I have two children, the first child has completed his education up to bachelor's degree at Halu Oleo University, now he is a teacher at SD N 1 Katilombu, the second child has had his education up to level Just high school and he is now married."

Based on the interview above, it can be seen that Mrs. Susi provides the best education to her children. And send their children to S1 school, even though their second child only reached high school. This was also conveyed by Mrs. Susi's son, RFLI, who said:

"Firstly, I am proud of my parents who have tried to provide the best education for me until now, especially since I have completed undergraduate level. It's all thanks to my parents and I want to continue my education to graduate school again."

Based on the results of the interview above, it can be seen that parents will always provide the best education for their children and a child has completed education up to bachelor's level. Then give pride to his parents for his future achievements. And will continue his education to graduate school later.

The statement above illustrates how much influence parents have in continuing their children's education, where parents work hard to continue their children's education.

Based on the results of observations made by researchers in Katatilombu Village, it is known that parents have carried out their duties as parents quite well. In instilling motivation in children to remain enthusiastic in continuing their

education and enthusiastic about pursuing and achieving goals from education to higher levels of education.

#### 4. Conclusion

Based on the results of the research that the author describes in the discussion regarding the implications of parents for the continuation of children's education in Katilumbu Village, Sampolawa District, South Buton Regency, a conclusion can be drawn, namely that, like a teacher, parents also play a very important role in children's education. Parents can give examples of good things to their children so that they can become better individuals, so that their children's education can be sustainable both at school and at home. Besides that, not only until high school, parents will always try to guide and motivate their children. so that they want to continue their education up to college level. Parents always motivate them that education is very important.

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