



# APPENDICES

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### Appendix 1. Questionnaire Instrument 1

Name:

Gender:

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Age:

University:

This questionnaire measures your perceptions toward Informal Digital Learning of English (IDLE) that you do to support your English language learning. IDLE is defined as informal activities to support language learning, such as watching movies, dramas, or videos in English or using English subtitles, listening to English songs, playing games in English, reading comics/magazines/websites in English, etc.

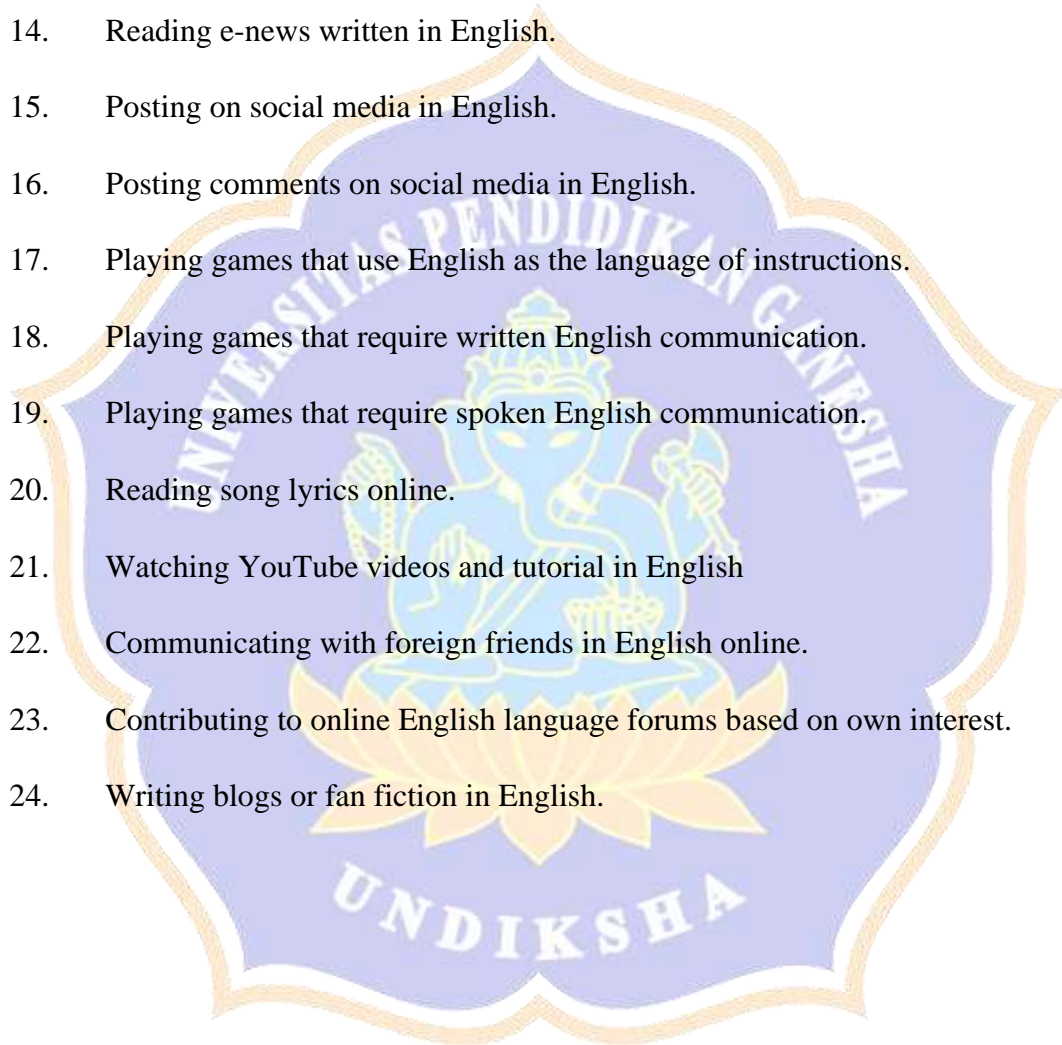
You are expected to tell the truth about your perceptions towards IDLE and your language learning. This is a voluntary activity that may not affect your scores.

#### Informal Digital Learning of English

##### Kinds of informal online activities

1. Writing short text messages in English.
2. Chatting on social media in English.
3. Video-chat in English (e. g. joining video chat of English community on Telegram).
4. Listening to English songs.
5. Listening to English podcasts.
6. Reading social media posts in English.
7. Reading social media comments in English.
8. Watching English movies/dramas.

9. Watching foreign movies with English subtitles.
10. Reading online texts written in English.
11. Reading online comics written in English.
12. Reading e-books written in English.
13. Reading e-magazines written in English.
14. Reading e-news written in English.
15. Posting on social media in English.
16. Posting comments on social media in English.
17. Playing games that use English as the language of instructions.
18. Playing games that require written English communication.
19. Playing games that require spoken English communication.
20. Reading song lyrics online.
21. Watching YouTube videos and tutorial in English
22. Communicating with foreign friends in English online.
23. Contributing to online English language forums based on own interest.
24. Writing blogs or fan fiction in English.





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2072	18141	4	2	4	3	3	2	2	1	2	3	2					4	2		
2082	18334	5	4	5	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2					5	4		
2092	19332	5	1	4	5	5	4	4	1	4	3	3					5	4		













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## Appendix 2. Quantitative data 1

**Normality test****Tests of Normality**

	Sex	Kolmogorov-Smirnov <sup>a</sup>			Shapiro-Wilk		
		Statistic	df	Sig.	Statistic	df	Sig.
Total	Male	.077	80	.200*	.990	80	.804
	Female	.053	229	.200*	.987	229	.032

\*. This is a lower bound of the true significance.

## a. Lilliefors Significance Correction

**Homogeneity test**


		Levene's Test for Equality of Variances	
		F	Sig.
Total	Equal variances assumed	.000	.992
	Equal variances not assumed		

### Male and Female Statistical Differences

	Males (N = 80)		Females (N = 229)		Sig. (2-tailed)
	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	
IDLE Activities	83.938	13.464	80.376	13.660	0.045

### Independent Sample T-test

IDLE Activities	Males		Females		Sig. (2-tailed)
	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	
Writing short text messages in English.	3.613	0,849	3.742	0,811	0.758
Chatting on social media in English.	3.250	0,803	3.314	0,765	0.892
Video chatting in English.	2.675	1,041	2.297	1,059	0.006*
Listening to English songs.	4.613	0,684	4.642	0,609	0.573
Listening to English podcasts.	3.288	1,081	3.105	1,029	0.060
Reading social media posts in English.	4.213	0,758	4.332	0,665	0.815
Reading social media comments in English.	4.125	0,891	4.153	0,799	0.965
Watching English movies/dramas.	3.975	0,914	3.843	0,909	0.096
Watching foreign movies with English subtitles.	3.488	1,043	3.563	0,983	0.450
Reading online texts written in English.	3.863	0,868	3.900	0,802	0.658
Reading online comics written in English.	2.850	1,213	2.598	1,234	0.096
Reading e-books written in English.	3.163	0,974	3.328	1,065	0.091
Reading e-magazines written in English.	2.563	1,077	2.546	1,061	0.778
Reading e-news written in English.	3.004	1,123	3.004	1,002	0.437
Posting on social media in English.	3.500	0,968	3.786	0,885	0.025*

Posting comments on social media in English.	3.263	0,896	3.336	0,962	0.646
Playing games that use English as the language of instruction.	4.200	1,011	3.328	1,271	0.001*
Playing games that require written English communication.	3.688	1,109	2.786	1,226	0.001*
Playing games that require spoken English communication.	3.438	1,189	2.340	1,212	0.001*
Reading lyrics online	4.313	0,821	4.432	0,656	0.706
Watching tutorial videos on YouTube	3.963	0,878	4.052	0,765	0.249
Communicating online with overseas friends in English	2.813	1,303	2.546	1,160	0.244
Contributing to English forums	2.588	1,064	2.188	1,045	0.004*
Writing blogs/fan-fictions	1.700	1,060	1.638	0,939	0.203

### Appendix 3. Interview guidance 1

#### **Interview Guidance**

Thank you for agreeing to participate in this research to find out the kinds of Informal Digital Learning of English (IDLE) usually undertaken by male and female students at the Department of English Language Education of Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha and how male and female students at the Department of English Language Education of Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha do IDLE to facilitate their English learning. I am an undergraduate student from the Department of English Language Education, Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha, and I am interested in interviewing you and others, to find out in-depth about the kinds of your IDLE activities based on the previous questionnaire that you have filled out and how you do IDLE to facilitate your English learning.

- I will record a few things, but will also record your answers, so there will be no unrecorded data.

- All information will be collected and transcribed and your information will be kept confidential.
- For certain purposes, these records will later be deleted.
- I hope that this interview will run for 45 minutes.
- I am very interested in your experience, so please share what you think what happened and not give me what you think I want to hear.
- If you feel uncomfortable with the questions, you may ask not to answer or skip them.

For this research, IDLE is defined as an informal activity using digital technology to support language learning such as watching a movie, or drama, playing games with English as the instruction, listening to music, posting on social media using English, joining English community, video chatting in English, etc.

Thank you again for participating in the interview.

### **Interview begins**

#### **A. Lists of Demographic and General Questions before asking the participant in RQ 1 and RQ 2:**

1. What is your name?
2. How old are you?
3. How long have you been doing IDLE?
4. What kind of IDLE do you often use?
5. What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE? (Vocabulary, pronunciation, grammar, topical knowledge, language expressions, etc.)
6. What did you do to remember that knowledge? (Taking notes, checking the meaning in the dictionary, saying/repeating a couple of times, using it in verbal or written sentences, etc.)

**B. List Question for RQ 1:**

**Video-chat in English (e. g. joining video chat of English community on Telegram).**

1. Do you have any reasons why you chose doing video chat in English as your IDLE activities?
2. What is your motivation for doing video chat in English?
3. How often do you video chat in English for a week?
- 3a. Why do you often or rarely do video chat in English a week?
- 3b. How long you usually do video chat each time you do this (one hour/ two hours)?
4. Why are you interested in doing video chatting in English?
5. How comfortable are you when doing video chatting in English to facilitate your English learning?
6. What kinds of language skills do usually you get improve after doing video chat in English? (Improve listening or speaking)
7. How many new phrases or vocabularies have you been getting after doing video chat in English until now? (Just mention the approximate numbers)
- 7a. Please mention 5 of those phrases and vocabularies!

**Posting on social media in English.**

- A. Do you have any reasons why you chose posting on social media in English as your IDLE activities?
- B. What is your motivation for posting on social media in English?
- C. How often do you post on social media for a week?
- C1. Why do you often or rarely post on social media in English in a week?
- C2. How long you usually spent time on posting on social media each time you do this (one hour/ two hours)?

- D. Why are you interested in posting on social media in English?
- E. How comfortable are you when posting on social media in English to facilitate your English learning?
- F. What kinds of language skills do usually you get improve after posting on social media in English? (Improving reading, writing, listening, or speaking skills)
- G. How many new phrases or vocabularies have you been getting after posting on social media in English? (Just mention the approximate numbers)
- G1. Please mention 5 of those phrases and vocabularies!

**Playing games that require written and spoken English communication as well as use English as the language of instructions.**

- A. Do you have any reasons why you chose playing games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) as your IDLE activities?
- B. What is your motivation for playing games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction)?
- C. How often do you play games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) for a week?
- C1. Why do you often or rarely play games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) in a week?
- C2. How long you usually play game each time you do this (one hour/ two hours)?
- D. Why are you interested in playing games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) in English?
- E. How comfortable are you when playing games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) to facilitate your English learning?
- F. What kinds of language skills do usually you get improve after playing the game in English (written, spoken, and language instruction)? (Improving reading, writing, listening, or speaking skills)
- G. How many new phrases or vocabularies have you been getting playing games in English (written, spoken, and language instruction) until now? (Just mention the approximate numbers)

G1. Please mention five of those phrases and vocabularies!

**Contributing to online English language forums based on own interest.**

A. Do you have any reasons why you chose contributing to online English language forums as your IDLE activities?

B. What is your motivation for contributing to online English language forums in English?

C. How often do you contribute to online English language forums for a week?

C1. Why do you often or rarely contribute to online English language forums in a week?

C2. How long you usually do activity in contributing to online English forums each time you do this (one hour/ two hours)?

D. Why are you interested in contributing to online English language forums?

E. How comfortable are you when contributing to online English language forums to facilitate your English learning?

F. What kinds of language skills do usually you get improve after contributing to online English language forums? (Improving reading, writing, listening, or speaking skills)

G. How many new phrases or vocabularies have you been getting after contributing to an online English language forum until now? (Just mention the approximate numbers)

G1. Please mention five of those phrases and vocabularies!

**C. List Question for RQ 2:**

**A. Posting and commenting:**

**Before:**

1. What kind of preparation do you usually do before posting and commenting on social media?

**While:**

2. How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your posting and commenting activities in English on social media?
3. How did you learn new knowledge related to English (new information, facts, news) from your posting and commenting activities using English?
4. Did you record or take notes while posting and commenting in English on social media?

**After:**

5. Did you read your notes after posting and commenting in English on social media?
6. How did you apply what you have learned from posting and commenting using English on social media into practice (applying your four language skills)?
7. How often do you use linguistics features that you got from posting and commenting activity using English (grammar, vocabulary, and language expression) in your English skills?
8. How often do you use new knowledge from posting and commenting activity using English in your English learning?

**B. Video chatting in English:****Before:**

- A1. What kind of preparation do you usually do before doing video chatting in English on social media?

**While:**

- B1. How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your video chatting activities using English on social media?
- B2. How did you learn new knowledge related to English (new information, facts, news) from your video chatting activities using English?



B3. Did you record or take notes while video chatting using English on social media?

**After:**

C1. Did you read your notes after doing video chatting in English on social media?

C2. How did you apply what you have learned from doing video chatting in English on social media into practice (applying your four language skills)?

C3. How often do you use linguistics features that you got from doing video chatting activity using English (grammar, vocabulary, and language expression) in your English skills?

C4. How often do you use new knowledge from doing video chatting activities using English in your English learning?

**C. Playing games in English:**

**Before:**

A1. What kind of preparation do you usually do before playing games in English?

**While:**

B1. How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your playing games activity in English?

B2. How did you learn new knowledge related to English (new information, facts, news) from your playing games in English activities?

B3. Did you record or take notes while playing games in English?

**After:**

C1. Did you read your notes after playing games in English?

C2. How did you apply what you have learned from playing games in English into practice (applying your four language skills)?

C3. How often do you use linguistics features that you got from playing games in English activity (grammar, vocabulary, and language expression) in your English skills?

C4. How often do you use new knowledge from playing games in English activities in your English learning?

**D. Online English forum activities:**

**Before:**

A1. What kind of preparation do you usually do before joining online English forum activities?

**While:**

B1. How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your online English forum activities?

B2. How did you learn new knowledge related to English (new information, facts, news) from your online English forum activities?

B3. Did you record or take notes while joining an online English forum?

**After:**

C1. Did you read your notes after doing an online English forum?

C2. How did you apply what you have learned from joining online English forums into practice (applying your four language skills)?

C3. How often do you use linguistics features that you got from joining online English forums (grammar, vocabulary, and language expression) in your English skills?

C4. How often do you use new knowledge by joining online English forum activities in your English learning?

Appendix 4 Interview Transcript (*Code of participant*)

## Appendix 4. Interview Transcript 1

**VIDEO CHAT IN ENGLISH**

Participant 1: Adi (pseudonyms)

**A. Demographic question and answer:**

1. Q: What is your name?

A: So, my name is Adi

2. Q: How old are you?

A: Today I am 21 years old.

3. Q: How long have you been doing in IDLE?

A: I think uh, since the kinds of IDLE such as, being on social media and listening to music too. So, I think I have been doing IDLE since I was in Senior High School.

4. Q: What kind of IDLE do you often use or do for that kind of year?

A: I think I have a problem but I. I'm trying to answer the question. I think the kind of IDLE that I often use is video chatting, social media and also watching movies, and listening to music, especially English.

5. Q: I will move to the next question. What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

A: For me, I think it provides a lot of knowledge, so I think I got vocabulary, pronunciation, grammar, especially language expressions. I think that's the highlight.

Q: OK, don't you like to learn about topical knowledge like, for example, learning about business maybe in English?

A: So, sometimes I get this at this point, like, on social media.

6. Q: So, what did you do to remember that knowledge? There are a lot of activities, such as taking notes, checking the meaning in the dictionary, saying

or repeating a couple of times, using it in verbal or written sentences, and many others. So, which one?

A: I think you have mentioned all of the activities that I usually do when I try to remember the knowledge. I like the first one, I check the meaning in the dictionary so that I can understand the meaning of the new vocabulary that I got. And then sometimes I take notes and repeat them a couple of times. I think I usually do this, do this thing, like repeating. And for using it in verbal and written sentences, I think I also usually use it. OK. OK.

### **B. RQ 1 Question and Answer:**

1. Q: So, do you have any reason why you chose doing video chat in English as your IDLE activities?

A: OK, I think there is no significant reason why, I just think video chat in English can improve my English skills like speaking skills and listening skills. Even though my favorite skill in English is writing skill, I think in video chat, I think speaking skills improved the most. And reading skills are the most important part of improving that skill. So, the reason why I chose video chat in English is so I can improve my English skills.

2. Q: What is your motivation for doing video chat in English?

A: So my motivation for doing video chat in English. Yeah, the answer is that as in the previous question, I can improve my English skills. I think. I have no idea why. But especially, I think I can improve my English. That's the motivation.

3. Q: So how often do you video chat in English for a week?

A: OK for a week, since IDLE is the informal context I think outside of our class, our online class, I do a video chat in English for almost only two or three and it depends on what time, what context that we use in video chatting is. For example, when my friend and I are having a discussion about our assignment, our group assignment. Sometimes we will video chat in English, but sometimes, we used to speak in Bahasa but sometimes I will speak in English and if we have a problem

speaking English, we change into Bahasa. So, I think it will be almost, I can say like two or three for a week.

4. Q: Why are you interested in doing video chatting in English? Is there any emotional factor like wanting to meet your friend, or you just want to have a discussion?

A: I think doing video chatting in English is very challenging. We have to speak with our listeners, with our listeners. We have to speak clearly so that the listener gets the point or got the meaning that we speak. I think it's challenging. So, what makes me interested in doing video chat in English is questions number two and one, yeah, I think we can improve our English skills.

Q: Do you have any emotional reason for why you are interested? For example, you want to do video chat because you want to meet your friend and talk randomly in English with them. Do you have that kind of reason why you are interested in video chat?

A: OK. I think the expression or the example that you mentioned before, it's not the reason why I am interested in a video chat in English, but, as I said before, I usually do a video chat in English when I discuss a video or video meeting with my friends. And it talks about the assignment. So I think, I don't have any reason because I want to meet my friends and talk randomly.

5. Q: How comfortable are you when doing video chatting in English to facilitate your English learning? How comfortable are you?

A: If you talk about being comfortable speaking in English, I have two perspectives. Like the first one, we will feel comfortable if we understand English. All about English. We will not be comfortable if we don't understand English. So, because I have learned English since I was in Senior High School. I think I have to understand some of the expressions. So, sometimes, I feel comfortable, and sometimes I also do not feel comfortable because I have a problem understanding what people say to me in English.

6. Q: What kinds of language skills do you get improved after doing video chat in English? Is there Listening or speaking maybe?

A: I can improve our listening and speaking skills.

Q: Do you get to improve your grammar when doing video chat in English?

A: Yeah, I forgot, Of course, I got knowledge like grammar.

7. Q: How many new phrases and vocabularies do you usually get when doing video chat in English each time you do this?

A: 10 phrases or vocabularies, approximately.

8. Q: I will ask this question, can you mention five phrases or vocabularies that you have learned from video chat in English?

A: I got the word *approximate*, And, I have got a lot of vocabulary, but I forgot. I am sorry. OK, and the second one is the *reverse*. Sometimes on social media, we hear about *glow-up*, *anxiety*, *insecurity*, and so on.

### C. RQ 2 Question and Answer:

1. Q: So, what kind of preparation do you usually do before doing video chatting in English on social media? An example of preparation, it's maybe just finding vocabulary first before doing video chat or reading relatable material related to the topic or anything maybe. Is that clear?

A: Oh, first, so the kind of preparation that I usually do before doing video chat in English is just what you have mentioned. I will read the article, related to the topic, and also the second one is, I was thinking about what kind of words that I will use in a video chat in English in our conversation. But the point is. There is no significant preparation that I do before doing video chatting in English.

Q: So, does it mean you mostly just don't do any preparation and just join the video chat? Is that right?

A: That's right because this is on social media. So, I think, I'm doing video chat in English when I'm lying on the bed. So, I think there is no preparation that I do before doing this activity.

Q: Alright, so you just prepare for a reading article if you just join like in Google meet like this and talk about assignment right?

A: Yeah, that's right. I just prepare if I conduct a discussion through video chat and it talks about our assignment like a discussion. And for any other IDLE activities like scrolling social media and listening to music. I think there is no preparation that I do.

2. Q: Now how did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your video chatting using English on social media, Google Meet, etc.?

A: I think I have difficulty understanding this question. So, could you give an example?

Q: OK example like, when you find new vocabulary, you just tried to find the word to know the meaning directly. And then when you find a new language expression for example and you never heard this, you try to take a note of this while you do video chat. And you also take note of new vocabularies that you got or maybe. Do you do this?

A: I got a point. So, while doing video chatting in English how I learn new vocabulary is the first one, vocabularies I remember the new vocabularies that I got, and then sometimes I take a note. I'm taking note of the fact, the new vocabulary, and the language expressions. For other language expressions, I think I just need to remember the expression that I got. And after the video chatting, I often implement it in my daily speaking and my assignment.

3. Q: How do you learn new knowledge related to the information, facts, and news while doing video chat in English? Like, how you discuss it. Do you search it again on Google or maybe what? Can you describe more about it?

A: OK, in doing an assignment, we got a lot of information. So, we research this information. So, I think while video chatting in English, especially in the context we discuss the assignment or we discuss particular information, we do research like exploring the Internet or Google. And, regarding the new information, we usually discuss it.

4. Q: OK, you mentioned that you took a note previously, right? But do you record it while video chatting?

A: Yeah, sometimes I record in our video chatting and sometimes I also take note of the new vocabulary and the new knowledge that I got.

5. Q: Did you read your note after doing video chatting in English?

A: Yes, of course. For example, like when I got the new vocabulary, the first thing that I do is check in the dictionary and then I take notes. I write about the new vocabulary and then the meaning of the vocabulary. So, when or whenever I feel like it, I mean I need those words. So, I open the notes that I have.

6. Q: How did you apply the knowledge that has been mentioned, for example, do you use it in your speaking and also written context, other than that do you use your knowledge whether it's vocabulary or language expression in another context in your language skill, especially English?

A: Sometimes, I implement it when I speak in English, like not only speaking but when I write something. So, I apply it when I speak English with my friends. And if doing the assignment, I also expressed it in my speaking and written context.

7. Q: How often do you use the new vocabulary and the new knowledge that you got from video chat in a week?

A: Yeah, I think I can say it in a week, I can say like five or six times, and it depends on the context that I have. But I think it depends on the context.

Q: OK let me make it clearer for me. So, it depends on the context. If you need to write something or speak something with this word you will use it. Is that what you mean? A: Yeah, that's right. Like, when I'm doing an assignment, of course, I use the new vocabulary or the new information that I got.



## VIDEO CHAT IN ENGLISH

Participant 2: Jyoti (Pseudonym)

### A. Demographic question and answer

1. **Q:** So what is your name?

**A:** Sure. Thank you for your change. My name is Jyoti.

2. **Q:** OK. How old are you?

**A:** I'm 20 years old right now.

3. **Q:** OK, how long have you been doing, I DLE?

**A:** To be honest, I don't remember. I think it will start in junior high school because at that time it was my first time using Facebook to communicate with other people, especially strangers. So I think at that time,

**Q:** OK, you said that this is your first time using Facebook. Do you use English? I mean. As the communication at that time.

**A:** Actually yes, because at that time I was a big fan of one of the famous singers and to understand what my idol is talking about, especially when he is doing an interview. So I need to understand what my favorite singer said. So, I started to learn English and after that, I started to have a conversation with my other friends. I think it was international friends, so I have to use English to make us have interactions in the chat box.

4. **Q:** So, what kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** Actually, it would be pronunciation because I heard songs and also the way my favorite singer and also the interviewer talk. And also, learn grammar and vocabulary a little bit from the chat that I usually do on Facebook.

**Q:** Don't you learn about topical knowledge? For example, like about the music industry, but you read it in English.

**A:** Yeah, I learned about it, and also by the songs I start to learn unconsciously. Learn unconsciously because sometimes the song contains an idiom. So at that time I needed a dictionary and google translate when I

didn't understand English. I use Google Translate but it came out a little bit weird in Indonesia, so I started to find the meaning just on Google. For example, try to find what is the meaning in it and the idioms that I found. It led me to read the definition in English, so I think I've learned about the culture a bit.

5. **Q:** Alright, thank you Jyoti. So, what did you do to remember that knowledge? For example, maybe you're taking notes, etc.

**A:** Because the idiom that I've learned as I've said before, it comes from the songs. So, whenever I find or am curious about the meaning, I start to remember unconsciously by singing the song so it can be a repetition. From that kind of activity, I learned the pronunciation by singing the song very often, so I get used to pronouncing the word, and sometimes I just remember it in my brain. And sometimes I just take notes. And to be honest at that time. I usually write. I don't know. I cannot say like Diaries, but I love to, you know, take notes on the phones and just take pictures and you can write the description that you feel at that time. So I think I have like, maybe a few notes about my favorite singer. So, for example, when my favorite singer released a song, then I would write about it and how I feel, and at that time I don't care about the grammar because I keep it to myself. So I think that is the way that I've learned English consciously.

6. **Q:** So, before I forget the question, you said that you already did IDLE since you were in Junior High School until now. So from your junior high school until now in the university, what kind of IDLE do you often use? Can you mention them?

**A:** Yeah, I'll listen to the song in English, watch the movie in English, stream in English. Then, next time, I listen to the song and also watch and hear the interview and read some articles that related to my favorite singer and read some news in English about what my favorite singers currently do. And also, since I started to learn English, I could use it more and then I started to watch movies. So, it started with cartoons. I think the first movie

that I've had is Captain Underpants if you know. Um, yeah, at that time I was really in love with movies. And because I think that movies, songs, and all the videos that I watch, for example on YouTube, will help me to get used to the words that stick in my mind, and I will remember how to pronounce them, and also the vocabulary that I got will be a lot more. I think because when you're a student, you don't have the patience to learn. So, it will be for me. It will be hard to stick with my brain. Um so it's different when I generally like the activity that I'm doing, so I think yeah, that is the reason why I like English just because it is very related to what I like. So that's my answer.

**B. RQ1 Question and Answer:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you choose doing video chat in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** I think I have some reasons, so the first one I found is a very fun activity, but remember this is only for a person you already know. It can be weird when you don't know each other but you have video chat. And also, I don't know why, but seeing each other's facial expressions for the word that we're saying, it's just so satisfying. And also, recently I've had a video chat with one of my friends, who lives in France. And, it just sounds so fun to hear from her, who has an accent when she talks in France, but she talks in English and talks a little bit with that accent. But, I still understand what she's saying. So that is why I love to have video chats with my friends.

2. **Q:** Don't you have a certain motivation to do this video chat in English other than what you have mentioned previously?

**A:** I don't know if this is a kind of motivation or not, but I think that when we do a video chat, which means we can see each other, it's just building a connection with someone with whom we are talking rather it's just chatting. Because you know, it just makes me feel connected with someone who I'm talking with rather than chats, and also it's different when you have a conversation in chats and videos. I think it will be fun if you do videos rather

than chat because, sometimes, A chat can bring a mislead into the way and the intonation that the person is trying to bring upon. So yeah, I sometimes prefer video chat rather than a regular chat.

**3. Q:** How often do you video chat in English for a week?

**A:** Back then, in junior high school, I could probably do that, like every weekend or honestly just every day. So it depends on the Internet that my mom provides because back then the Internet was not stable. But, if you ask me about this time, I think it is probably like, one to three times a week. I think because, you know, we have our daily business, I think it would be a bit difficult to find the right time to talk to friends who are living in a different country.

**Q:** For one time you do a video chat each time you do this, how long do you video chat? Can you mention the approximate time?

**A:** Oh yeah, sure. So, it is based on the topic, but the longest time I think is like 2 hours or something. So, I think that was the approximate time that I'd had talking to my friends.

**4. Q:** Can you explain or tell me how comfortable are you when doing video chats in English to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** Umm, I think, I can probably say that it was very comfortable because like I said before, it's different when you are forced to learn about the language, especially because when you are being forced, then the pressure will come, and then you will get very under pressure. Then you may think that it was hard to understand, but if you take it easy like, just let it go and try to find what you like and then try to connect it with the language that you were learning right now. I think it's more of a way to work rather than just learning conventionally, like in schools or something. And I think these days many people learn English on many platforms. So, I think for me learning from songs and also from YouTube and movies is way more comfortable rather than in schools or the educational field.

5. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually get improved after doing video chat in English?

**A:** OK, so probably. My English skill will improve. I mean it will be improved after I do the video chat. We talk a lot and also sometimes we can improve our confidence even though there are some mistakes, maybe grammatically, but I don't care since I have that confidence to talk in English and also the partners that I'm talking with understand what I'm saying. So yeah, mostly if you ask what kind of skills that improve after doing a video chat, there's speaking skills.

6. **Q:** Can you mention 5 phrases or vocabularies that you got from your video chat activities?

**A:** So, I think I will say the most unforgettable vocabulary that I have got are vulnerable, suspicious, furious, And the last one, this is like the quotes that I agree for, 'the eyes are useless when the mind is blind'. So, I found it in movies, and after I found it, the meaning was very deep. I do like the quotes.

### C. RQ2 Question and Answer:

1. **Q:** OK, so the first question in this section is what kind of preparation do you usually do before video chatting in English on social media?

**A:** I mean for myself, I don't prepare much. I just prepare nice clothes and also use the Internet since I am using an online platform. Then, I have to get ready for the nervousness that I've got because, you know when you start, you just got the next person as well as talking with them in real-time. So, it will help me to build my confidence even when I am talking in English.

**A:** OK, so you never do like reading vocabulary first, etc., to prepare so you don't lose any word when doing a video chat, right?

**Q:** Yeah, sometimes my mind just goes blank, but I just use the vocabulary that I remember and all the phrases that I remember. As well, so yeah.

2. **Q:** OK, so how did you learn new vocabulary, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your video chatting activities using English?

**A:** Alright, so vocabulary sometimes. Um, that probably very often happens. I sometimes don't know what my friends are talking about because I think that if you learn English, especially in a sentence when you already know one word for the sentence, I think you will understand the rest of them. So, there's one time when I've read the sentence or they're replaying a message that my friend sent to me and I don't understand one of them. And then I start to try to find what is the meaning of one of the words and then after I find the meaning, and then I get the point, and I replay it. And I got like, Oh my answer was right because after I found it on Google. And for grammar patterns not really up to finding the correct grammar, as far as I know. I mean, I didn't find the correct grammar when you were chatting, but I agree that grammar is important when you are chatting because incorrect grammar will lead to a misreading. So, um Grammar isn't my thing, but. I don't find it often. And for the language expressions, since we're chatting, I think the language expression that I can find is the way that my friends use emojis. So yeah, there's not a lot.

**Q:** I just want to confirm, that when you don't know the word while doing the video right, You don't pause the video, you don't leave, you just stay there, and try to find the meaning, and then try to communicate again, right. Is that right?

**A:** Yeah, yeah, I am still there. And I just say, 'just wait a minute, I think I need to find the meaning'.

3. **Q:** So did you record or take notes while video chatting with your friend?

**A:** Um. I think not because I'm. I just easy to remember, when the experience of example like I've said before when I don't understand what my friend is saying and then, I asked my friends to repeat it once again, but in a slow version, and if I still do not get it then I will ask what did you say after the work, blah blah blah for example. And then, I asked how my friends spell it and after that they found it. Or sometimes, I just ask what that is.

What is the meaning of that? So, by that, I just remembered what my friend said and did not often take notes while we were video chatting.

4. **Q:** How did you learn new knowledge related to English such as new information, facts, and news from your video chatting activities?

**A:** Um, actually from the video chatting I learned about culture a lot since I often share what's happening in our country. So, since she lives in a different country, there may be so many cultures that I just know she lived in France and I just recently watched Emily in Paris. I often asked her about the news in Emily Paris. Is that? Is that true? For example, So, I ask about culture a lot. And also, new information like, what you can do in Paris and what you cannot do in Paris or France, something kind like that.

5. **Q:** How did you play what you have learned from video chatting in English on social media into practice after you video chat?

**A:** Alright, so how do I apply for this, I often talk in English with my friends. Even though I mean it can be from just regular chatting or while we're on the phone or while we have a meeting, or when we see face to face. And, I recently just talked to myself all in English. So, for example. I have a topic in my mind: what do you think when a man is just verbally abusive to you, like that topic. So, I just have a conversation with myself all the way. And I also recently started to, you know, I'm not brave enough to write a caption in English because I'm afraid that many people will judge my grammar. But these days I try to have that confidence and try to write the caption. So, whenever I post a picture on Instagram, I am trying my best to have to write the caption and also pay attention to the grammar. And the things that I still do from junior high school as I mentioned before. Now, I still write mini notes about, for example, what is happening with my favorite singer or the hot news of my favorite singer with my own words. And still, I keep it to myself. Yeah, I think that's.

6. **Q:** OK, this question. Now how often do you use linguistic features that you got from doing video chatting activities using English?

**A:** I want to say it very often. So, whenever I try to speak in English, I always try to pay attention to my grammar and my pronunciation, and whenever I go blank, I always like, Oh my God, what is this? Why is this word in English? like that. And, I try not to look at the dictionary because it just makes it too hard for me to remember it. And I think that I prefer to work hard to find meaning in my brain because that is the word that I already know before. But I just forgot. And I think if I forget about the word in English, I just try to think, I should talk in English more and also try to enhance my vocabulary more from YouTube or songs or something because nowadays I think that there are many media that can help you to learn English and also enhance your vocabulary. So, I love that and I still learn to enhance my vocabulary because I think that vocabulary is very important when insulted.

**Q:** Can I say that you use your linguistics features every day?

**A:** Yeah, because I talk to myself every day in English. Just, you know, not to forget the word that I already remember. And I have to spell it out. So that's why I think.

7. **Q:** Yeah, you have mentioned cultural knowledge etcetera. But my question is how often do you use that new knowledge from doing video chat in your English learning?

**A:** I think I do not often apply, you know, the information that I got, I just, I feel like, oh, I know this. I don't often use the information that I get from my friends when we are video chatting, but I don't know if this is the right answer or not. So, for example, we're sharing our pet peeves. And by that information, I am just trying to not make her feel uncomfortable. So, if we're talking about the culture that I've learned from her, I think I'm not often, and just keep it to myself. Like, oh, I know this. Oh, I know that.



Participant 3: Raka (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Question and Answer:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** OK, thank you, sis. My name is Raka

2. **Q:** OK, how old are you?

**A:** I am 20 years old.

3. **Q:** OK how long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I have been doing informal digital learning English since I was in Junior High School.

4. **Q:** OK, since you were in junior high school, what kind of IDLE have you often used since you were in junior high school until now?

**A:** I often use online video conferences to chat and talk with my friends and teacher through Zoom, Google Meet, and also Discord.

**Q:** OK, don't you listen to music in English? What else? Watching a movie in English? Don't you do that?

**A:** I like it so much.

**Q:** OK, so you often do that, right?

**A:** Yes.

**Q:** OK. Are there any other IDLE activities that you often do other than what you have mentioned previously?

**A:** Uh. I honestly only use video chat in English online. Only that and also listening to music, yes, and music, then watching a movie with English subtitles.

5. **Q:** So, what kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** Honestly, I learn grammar, pronunciation, vocabulary, and language expressions when I'm doing online video conferences with my friends.

**Q:** Alright, but how about topical knowledge? Let me explain a little bit about it. Topical knowledge is about, for example, you are interested in

business, then you'll read it in English, like the article about the business, and maybe you are interested in cultural knowledge and you read it in an English article. Do you get that knowledge in your IDLE activities?

**A:** Uh, honestly, I rarely get it.

6. **Q:** Alright, OK, got it. What did you do to remember that knowledge?

**A:** To remember that knowledge I usually take notes, take a screenshot of the important points in their explanation, find the meaning through the dictionary, find the materials, and also search on the Internet website.

### **B. RQ 1 Question and Answer:**

1. **Q:** The question is all about video chat in English. Do you have any reason why you choose doing video chat in English as your IDLE activity?

**A:** Yeah, I choose doing video chat in English as my informal digital learning English because I feel it is fun and interesting, and there's no space when speaking. So the point is, I like video chatting because it's fun and I can learn English together with my friends.

2. **Q:** So, what is your motivation for doing video chat in English?

**A:** My motivation is I want to learn English outside the education area to build my confidence because with my friends I had no pressure and it's very effective to learn English together with my friends. Besides that, I want to improve and practice my language skill to master the English language because my purpose is to be an English teacher. So, from now on I want to give my 100% to my favorite subject which is the English language.

3. **Q:** OK. How often do you video chat in English for a week?

**A:** Yes, uh, and that's I'm not so sure. I usually do a video chat in English. Fifth time in a week, five times.

**Q:** Alright. OK. It's like the approximate number, right?

**A:** Yes, OK, I got it.

4. **Q:** Why do you often do this? Maybe, you have a discussion or just chit-chat with your friend? Can you describe it a little bit?

**A:** Since I was in the fourth semester, I have often done video chat conferences with my friends. But, now I often video chat not with my classmates, but also with my best friends. Besides that, because it is in the language study program, I'm the only one who taught my best friends the English language. As time goes by, my friends are already fluent in the English language because we learned together through video chat.

**Q:** OK, I want to confirm. So, recently you have already done a video chat in English with your best friend and it is not your classmate anymore, right? But may I know, like what kind of discussion do you usually do? Is that just chit chat or it's about the task in an assignment or what?

**A:** Uh, usually I talk with my friends for the vital moments about the events that happen these days. And also, assignments or tasks that my friend and I find difficult. So, I discuss it with my friends, and we might find the solutions to solve it together.

**Q:** OK. Have you, like, video chat just want to talk randomly, not about an assignment again, let's say you just want to discuss an interesting topic. Or, Maybe you just want to meet your friend because it's an online situation where you never meet your friend. Have you done that in your video chat activities?

**A:** Honestly, yes, I will talk in the vital moments if there is free time. It's like three times a week.

**Q:** Can you compare which one is more often between you talking about the assignment and also talking about random things, can you compare which one is more often?

**A:** Yes, uh, I often discuss, uh, vital/vital moments, and about the assignment rarely.

5. **Q:** OK, how long do you usually do video chat each time you do this? For example, one time you do this, you do it for one hour maybe. How long? Approximate time only?

**A:** Honestly, if we chit-chat about random moments or vital moments it is up to four hours, while the assignment and lesson are just two hours.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in doing video chat in English, for example? Maybe it's because you can talk without misunderstanding. Maybe, yeah, you have that reason.

**A:** Uh, for me it's interesting to do because I found a new experience to do online media and I have often used online media since 2020 when the pandemic started. So yeah, it's interesting, good and I like doing it, especially with my friends.

7. **Q:** OK, may I know more about why you like video chat other than chatting and texting or voice not why you choose video chat?

**A:** Oh. I can do it directly and I can do that through Zoom, or Google meeting. So, it helps me to communicate directly with my friends.

8. **Q:** So my next question is how comfortable are you when doing video chatting in English to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** I am comfortable doing video chat in English, especially with my best friends and my classmates because we learn together, we talk together and we often express our emotions via video chat by using the English language. Besides that, I'm comfortable doing this online because I'm supported by laptops or PCs and so yeah, I am very comfortable as long as there is someone to do it with.

9. **Q:** What kind of language skills do you usually improve after doing video chat in English?

**A:** The most important thing that I learned when I was doing video chat and online video conferences is togetherness and also to talk about lovely stuff. When doing video chat in English, speaking skills are the most important thing for me to do.

**Q:** And there are a lot of English skills, right? So listening skills, writing skills, speaking skills, what else? Grammar. So which one is improving the most from your video chat activities?

**A:** Yes, I put in speaking skills, listening skills, and reading skills. And, I also find about grammar, pronunciation, and, reading skills.

**Q:** You mentioned reading skills, so did you like sharing the screen first and doing video chat and then you read something, that's why you say that you have improved your reading skill. I just got concerned about it because I asked myself, "No video chat is all about voice, right? So my question is do you share screens like are you doing share screen while video chatting informally that's why you get to improve on your reading skill or do you while you do video chat just like to search for something Can you confirm more about it?"

**A:** Oh, I usually find the words and examples of words, the example of sentences about the experience. Besides that, I'm also learning about the words in sentences which are from screen records.

10. **Q:** So my next question is. Can you measure how many new phrases and vocabulary have you been getting after doing video chatting in English?

**A:** I have found nine phrases and vocabulary.

11. Please can you mention five of those phrases are vocabulary only five that you get from video chat? Oh yes, for the phrases, I get them about "absolutely fine", "for her drive", and "safe riding in a circuit". For vocabulary, I learned about the words "hamburger, scientist, detail, and mechanic".

Participant 4: Bayu (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Question and Answer:**

1. **Q:** So what is your name?

**A:** My name is Bayu.

2. **Q:** OK, how old are you?

**A:** I'm 22 years old.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** Not sure, but I've been doing IDLE since high school maybe.

**Q:** In Senior High School or Junior High School?

**A:** I think since Junior High School I have played games, but then I use full English since Senior High School.

**Q:** Alright, so you just play the game in English but just not in full English when you are in your junior high school, right?

**A:** That's correct.

4. **Q:** What kind of IDLE have you often used since you were in Junior High School until now?

**A:** Well, mostly since junior high school until nowadays, maybe playing games, but not only playing games, I'm also listening to music. I think that's all. And movies also.

5. **Q:** OK, so. What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE? For example, vocabulary, etcetera?

**A:** Well. I learned some vocabulary in game-like, like light up, and landing and I forget what its kind of vocabulary is, but I think I learned the vocabulary from the game in junior high school.

And about pronunciations. I used to listen to music and sing songs. Maybe I learned a lot of pronunciation from the music. And also, from playing

games because some people from overseas speak English and then I listen to it. I learned from how they speak, I mean how they pronounce the words and grammar.

I think I learned from school.

And. Topical knowledge, maybe I learned from the book, maybe the philosophy books. A lot of reading philosophical books. I mean, when I'm in college I read a lot of philosophical books in English.

**Q:** So, OK, about grammar, I just want to make sure like you mentioned, you learn grammar from school. But yeah, in the IDLE context, it's all about outside the classroom. So, from the IDLE activities that you have mentioned, don't you learn grammar?

**A:** Maybe from movies, music, and games. Especially for games with simple grammar like a simple present, simple past tense, or future tense. I learned from the games because they speak English and because we had a chat in the game. I learned a lot of grammar in school, but I try to improve what I have learned from school in the Games because I tried to speak English in the games.

**Q:** Language expression. I am just curious about it. Do you learn about language expressions from your IDLE activities?

**A:** Language expressions such as maybe you can explain.

**Q:** OK. And for example, like our basic language expressions that I know, for example, expression of greeting, expression of leave-taking something like that, expression of saying congratulations to someone

**A:** Maybe, how about curse words? Is it a language expression? I mean, like, what the hell? What the heck? Or something like that.

**Q:** Yeah, I think it's also a language expression.

**A:** I learned from the game here. Most of all, I learned from the game. A lot of language expressions I learn from the games, but yeah. Some maybe I learned from the music and movies. But most of them have learned from the game.

6. **Q:** OK, got it. So, what did you do to remember that knowledge, the knowledge that you have mentioned previously? For example, do you take notes, and check the meaning in the dictionary or others?

**A:** Well, when I'm in Senior High School, I used to use Google Translate for some words. I mean, it's not about Google Translate. I also try to find the meaning in Indonesia, you know? So I try when my friends from overseas say something that I don't understand about the words, then I try to find it on Google. I just used Google a lot.

**Q:** How about saying or repeating it a couple of times using it in verbal or written sentences? Don't you do that?

**A:** Saying, repeating a couple of times, maybe I will do that. You know, like singing a song maybe because, you know. I listen to hip-hop music and I used to sing hip-hop music and that's why I tried to say everything a couple of times for some kind of language expression. Or, some sentences. But, using it in written sentences. I think I'm not sure I do that.

#### **B. RQ1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** OK, this question is all about playing games that require written and spoken English communication as well as using English as the language of instruction. So, do you have any reason why you choose playing games in English as your IDLE activity?

**A:** So, the reason why I choose to play the game in English is that the server from the games is connecting people from Asia. So, we are connected by a lot of people from the Philippines, Thailand, Malaysia, Japan, China, and other countries. The overseas friend that I met in the games is Japanese, so I use English. A lot of English.

2. **Q:** Do you have any other motivation that makes you want to play the game in English?

**A:** Well, in Senior High School, I just wasted my time, you know. I just, I'm not sure what I have been doing when I'm in Senior High School because yeah, a lot of my friends are playing games and I'll just try to



follow up with them. But, when I'm in my college I mean these days, I play games because, you know, I learn. English and I would like to practice my English with my neighbors. I can speak English with my neighbors because they are Indonesian. And then I try to use English to meet other people, to meet people from overseas to practice my English. I just tried to improve the English that I learned in college. I mean these days. But oh, from junior high school until Senior High School, I just wasted my time. OK, I got it. I got some so.

3. **Q:** How often do you play games in English for a week?

**A:** Well. For weeks now, I mean, I used to play in the 5<sup>th</sup> semester in this semester, you know, it's just kind of July in 2021 that is the last time that I play games, and now I never play that game again because, you know, I don't have a much time to play the game. So now I'm not often. It's rare for me to play.

**Q:** OK, it's really to you for you to play the game recently. OK, may I know in your 5<sup>th</sup> semester, in a week, how often did you play?

**A:** I Play the game every day from 7:00 PM until 12:00 AM maybe. And then I just fell asleep. Yeah, just that. Maybe I spend a lot of time at night. In the evening, I mean, I just play games.

**Q:** OK, you say that now you rarely play the game because of the task at college right? But, in your fifth semester, you just play the game every day. May I know why you often play the game every day at that time?

**A:** Ah well, I just tried to kill time. You know, when there is no task from the college, from the lecturer. I just tried to kill time. Play games and then talk with other people from overseas and just chit and chat with them.

4. **Q:** OK. You have mentioned a lot about the reason, and the motivation you play the game, especially in English in this context. But may I know other reasons why you are interested in playing the game in English?

**A:** I remember I played the game a lot because I met people from Japan, you know. And then, because I love Japanese culture, I talk a lot about Japanese culture with them. There are four people from Japan that I met in my game. So, I talk a lot about the culture in Japan, something like that. So that's why I spend a lot of time playing the game, not only playing the game but also having a chit-chat with them.

5. **Q:** How comfortable are you when playing games in English to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** If it is on a scale of 1 to 10, I can say that I'm comfortable on a scale of 8. I mean, I'm comfortable with them. Because I'm talking and I learned. I mean, I tried to improve my English skill. I mean, I try to improve how I speak English then. And I mean, they are also supportive, you know, like if there is something that they couldn't understand, they try to ask me once again what I have said before or something like that. So, if you say how comfortable, I'm not sure, but I'm comfortable.

6. **Q:** So, what kinds of language skills do you usually improve after playing the game in English? Is that reading, writing, listening, or all of them?

**A:** Oh. Maybe spoken language that follows its instruction. Yeah, a lot of speaking and listening, but reading and writing I'm not sure. Because we just talk in the game.

7. **Q:** Can you mention 5 phrases or vocabulary that you have got from your playing games activities?

**A:** Wow. I'm not sure. all the phrases and vocabularies that are usually used in the game are just usual phrases and vocabulary. I think I never learned vocabulary when I'm in college. But, well, when I was in Senior High School, there was a lot. But I forget about it.

**Q:** But since you say that you don't know the words that they say, can you mention those vocabularies that you know? And for example, when you play games with your friend in Japan, what kinds of vocabulary bloom in your mind?

**A:** Like, OK, that vocabulary that I usually use, *"I'll set the line up"* and then. So, I usually say *"outside the line up"*. And then *"I'll back you up"*. *"Look up, affirmative"*. But then *"defuse"*, *"Come up"*, *"Throw them up"*, *"good game or GG"*.

**Q:** What is the name of the game?

**A:** The name of the game is *Valorant*.

### C. RQ 2 Question and Answer:

1. **Q:** So, the first question in this section is what kind of preparation do you usually do before playing games in English?

**A:** I think I never prepare something for playing games in English. I just logged in to the game. But, before I log in to the game, I just listen to music. Just that I think there is no kind of preparation like preparing a dictionary or something like that.

2. **Q:** How did you learn your vocabulary, grammar patterns, and language expression from playing games in English?

**A:** Just like what I mentioned before, I learn vocabulary from listening to my friends. My friends will say something that I couldn't understand. Then, I moved to Google, to try to find it. And then I use Google Translate to try to find a vocabulary. And for the grammar patterns, I have confusion about that, you know, so sometimes their grammar is not just like formal grammar. It's like informal grammar. And then, I asked them what they had said before and tried to ask my foreign friends in the game. I just tried to say "What did you say? Can you repeat what you say? something like that. I'm just asking them what they have said because I do not understand what they have said before.

3. **Q:** How did you learn new knowledge related to English? For example, new information, facts, or news from your playing games in English activities?

**A:** Like what I said before. I think the last time that I remember is meeting people from Japan. So, there's particular information like, I love watching anime and reading manga. So, I asked for information like what kind of Manga and Anime trends in Japan.

4. **Q:** Yeah. Did you record or take notes while playing games in English?

**A:** I didn't record it. I didn't take notes about it.

5. **Q:** How did you apply what you have learned from playing games in English to practice?

**A:** How can I apply what I have learned? I think I will apply it to the class when we should speak English in a presentation or something like that. Maybe I apply some language expressions or some kind of vocabulary that I've learned. And, I'm not sure how I apply what I have learned from the games to the real world.

6. **Q:** How often do you use linguistic features that you got from playing games in English activity?

**A:** I just use what I have learned from the game in that game, you know, like language expressions, curse words, curse expressions. I just use what I have learned in the game and never try to use those kinds of curse words in real life. Oh. Yeah, I use it in class. Maybe I forgot about it. Yeah, but you use it.

7. **Q:** How often do you use new knowledge from your playing game activities in your English learning? For example, you say that you often talked about Japanese culture, and have you used this to write a caption on Instagram, for example? Or maybe you try to write it in your notebook?

**A:** I mean maybe this is not according to your interview, but I'm not really into social media so that's why I never use captions in my Instagram or Facebook posts or something like that. I never tried to use captions in English, or maybe because I don't want to, but I wrote a lot of quotes that I have learned from Anime and Manga that I watch and listen to. I tried to quote what they say. I put it on my laptop or my phone just to remind myself. It's like motivation for myself.

Participant 5: Emi (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** My name is Emi.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** I am 21

3. **Q:** OK. How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** It was five years ago when I was in Senior High School.

4. **Q:** What kinds of IDLE activities do you often use from five years ago until now?

**A:** playing video games with English instruction.

**Q:** Is that only or are there any other IDLE activities that you often do? Like, for example, listening to music in English, watching movies in English maybe? Do you do that?

**A:** Oh yeah, sometimes I watch a movie without any subtitles and listen to music because I like it.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** Pronunciation, grammar, and how it sounds.

**Q:** Have you learned about topical knowledge? For example, you love the culture of Japanese, and then you just try to read an article in English about Japanese. Have you done it in IDLE?

**A:** Not exactly like that. Do you know BBC Learning English? I learned from that to get much knowledge about it. It's not about Japanese culture, but it's about the culture in America, like how they live and many others.

**Q:** How about language expressions?

**A:** Language expression I got from the BBC Learning English because they have so many examples of language expressions like slang.

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge that you mentioned previously?

**A:** When I'm not understanding the meaning, I usually use Google Translate and a machine translator, (Learning vocab) but sometimes I take notes. (additional interview) (Learning vocab)

**Q:** Have you tried saying or repeating a couple of times the word that you know, I mean the new vocabulary that you know, have you tried to do this?

**A:** I usually do that or perhaps sometimes. (Learning vocab)

**Q:** How about using it in verbal or written sentences?

**A:** No, I just read it in my mind without speaking the words. (Learning vocab)

#### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** So, do you have any reason why you chose playing games in English as your IDLE activity?

**A:** The main reason why I chose to play games in English is that this is my hobby and I don't feel stressed. Playing games is an activity that everyone likes. (reason)

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for playing games in English?

**A:** When you learn English, you need more practice to sharpen your English skill, right? Because I'm not commonly speaking or hear any instruction from a native speaker, I think it's not bad when I try to learn from the games. (reason)

3. **Q:** How often do you play games in English for a week?  
**A:** I say, I play the game when I have free time, but every day I always have free time. I always do this just like every day.
4. **Q:** Why do you play the game every day?  
**A:** Like I said previously. When playing games I feel more relaxed in learning because when I'm learning, it's also playing the game. (reason)  
**Q:** Can you mention the name of the game that you often play?  
**A:** I play Mobile Legend and PUBG, then sometimes I play Class of Clan.
5. **Q:** How often do you spend time playing the game? One hour, 2 hours, or any other?  
**A:** When on holiday, it's probably six hours a day, but on a work day, it's just four hours a day.
6. **Q:** Why are you interested in playing games? Other than what you have mentioned previously.  
**A:** It is just kind of a habit for me. It just stuck in my mind.
7. **Q:** How comfortable are you when playing games in English to facilitate your English learning?  
**A:** Very comfortable because the instruction is also clear and the kind of phrases or words is very common in society.
8. **Q:** What kind of language skills do you use so you get improve after playing the game in English?  
**A:** Listening and sometimes speaking Skills.  
**Q:** Like you said that the first skill that gets improved is listening skills and then speaking skills. I am just curious, can you compare listening skills and speaking skills? Which one gets improved the most from playing games?  
**A:** Listening skill is more. When I cannot speak, I still can hear the instruction.

9. **Q:** Can you mention 5 phrases or vocabulary that you got from playing a game activity?

**A:** Good game, defeat, victory, the enemy is missing, and you have been slain.

ADDITIONAL INTERVIEW:

1. **Q:** In a previous interview, you mentioned that you took notes, then, do you read your notes after that?

PF5: Yeah, I mean the notes are pasted in a place that I often see. So, I must have accidentally recalled the notes.

**Participant 6: Aditya** (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** My name is Aditya.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** I am 21 years old.

3. **Q:** OK how long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** Probably around six years. Five to six years. Five to six here.

**Q:** Does it mean like from your junior high school?

**A:** Yes, from junior high school,

4. **Q:** OK. What kind of IDLE do you often use from that range of time, like from your junior high school until now?

**A:** Uh, I would say YouTube and Facebook.

**Q:** OK, you said YouTube and Facebook. May I know what kind of activities are in this specific way? For example, what you are watching on YouTube and what are you doing on Facebook related to English?

**A:** Yes, I'd love to watch videos on YouTube about technology specifically about computers, and also I'd love to watch movies on YouTube. There are lots of videos on YouTube (listening to native) and I also join Facebook groups about movies. So, all of them are entertainment, which is all about English and



Hollywood movies. On Facebook, we talk about movies. They share a link to various movies. So, both Facebook and YouTube entertain me with movies.

**Q:** Alright, have you posted a comment or anything on this group? for example, your opinion about the movies, etcetera.

**A:** Yes, I did. I comment on the qualities of the movies, the plot, and whether the movies are good or not. (apply) But I haven't posted a link to the movies because I had no right to share the movies. So, I'm afraid of legal problems in the future. So, I just watch.

5. **Q:** OK, what kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE? For example, maybe vocabulary and many others.

**A:** Yes, I would say vocabulary, pronunciation, and grammar because when I read captions from a Facebook post, they taught me about new vocabulary and various vocabulary. (learning vocab) And also, when I watch a movie, sometimes I learn pronunciation and also include grammar, which as sentence patterns. (Learning vocab) So, I would say vocabulary, pronunciation, and grammar.

**Q:** All right. How about language expressions?

**A:** I have no idea about that, I'm so sorry.

**Q:** Alright, how about topical knowledge? For example, topical knowledge, if you love to learn about history in English and you just try to read the related account or maybe an article about that kind of thing. So, this is an example of topical knowledge. Have you learned it from your IDLE activities in general?

**A:** Yes, I would say yes, because when I watch a new series of movies, for example, Avengers, I would search more about Avengers. So, I will do a little research about the themes of the movies, the series of the movies, and also the information about the actors and actresses. (Learning vocab)

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge? For example, you are taking notes, etc. **A:** I cannot remember that I'm taking notes about something, but I did look at the dictionary when I encounter new vocabulary, then I would search

for them in the dictionary. (Learning vocab) And also repeating something. I do remember when watching movies entitled Transformers, the first Transformers, and Optimus Prime said some sentences at the end. Then, I repeated it all the time because I was amazed by that movie. And I would say it is verbal because I repeat it. (Learning vocab)

**Q:** Alright, I got it. So, can I say that you never write anything that you have learned informally outside the classroom related to English?

**A:** Yes. So far, no, I haven't written any kind of IDLE.

### **RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you choose posting on social media in English as your IDLE activity?

**A:** I would say I just want to practice my English skills so they will be better, and get my English even better. (reason)

**Q:** From your answer previously, maybe you can say yes or no. For example, meeting new people overseas and getting to know them personally or even better, have you thought about those reasons before you post on social media in English?

**A:** I would say no.

2. **Q:** Alright, what is your motivation for posting on social media other than what you have mentioned previously?

**A:** That I would be able to communicate using English fluently, so I need to use it in every aspect I could. For example, I want to be able to write sentences or even paragraphs to tell something that I want to say to people fluently. That's my motivation. I want to be better. (reason)

3. **Q:** How often do you post on social media for a week?

**A:** Maybe one or two posts in a week and a lot of commenting on social media by writing captions in English. (applying knowledge)

4. **Q:** Why do you rarely post on social media in English every week?  
**A:** Why am I rarely posting on social media? Yes. I would say that I have no interesting life like any other person. I live a basic life, so I have nothing to share with people.
5. **Q:** Next question. How long do you usually spend time posting on social media each time you do this?  
**A:** Yes. Writing a caption for a picture could cost me about 5 to 10 minutes.  
**Q:** Have you ever liked checking the grammar first?  
**A:** Check the grammar sometimes.  
**Q:** If you check the grammar, is the time the same around 5 to 10?  
**Q:** When I check my grammar, it probably takes 10 minutes, but when I did not, it would take me 5 minutes.
6. **Q:** OK, alright, why are you interested in posting on social media in English?  
**A:** OK, first of all, it looks cool when you post something using English, and second of all I could tell people that I am learning English. So, I'm proud of myself that I'm able to use English. So, yeah, that could be the reason why I am interested. (reason)
7. **Q:** OK, how comfortable are you with posting on social media in English to facilitate your English learning?  
**A:** Arguably comfortable because I am learning English. So, I would like to use the skills that I've learned, so I would be comfortable.
8. **Q:** Alright. What kinds of language skills do you usually improve after posting on social media in English?  
**A:** First, I would say, it improves my writing skills and also both speaking and listening and also reading. Yeah, all of my English skills are improved while I'm using or posting on social media. For example, when I write captions. It helps me with writing skills and also reading skills because I tried to put the words from my mind into written form. (Applying knowledge) And also, I read

them before I post to check whether I have a mistake or not. And listening and also speaking, I got it from watching movies. So I'm listening to sentences or utterances they say, and also practice by repeating the same utterance. (learning vocab) So I would say all of them.

**Q:** Alright, I got your point for the reading and writing, but yeah, the context is about posting on social media. So, can you give me further examples related to listening and speaking skills that you can improve related to posting on social media in English?

**A:** About posting on social media. Probably, I post videos on YouTube and I also post short videos on Instagram. I practice my speaking skills because I say something obvious, so it made me practice my speaking skill. And on listening skills, I watched the video before I posted it, so it also teaches me about listening Skills. I listen to what I say and check whether I have mistakes or not, or whether I can improve or not. So yeah, listening and speaking also improved by posting videos on social media.

9. **Q:** How many phrases and vocabulary have you learned from your posting on social media in English?

**A:** Probably 10 to 15 vocabulary and phrases in a week.

10. **Q:** Can you mention only five of those phrases and vocabulary?

**A:** These days I have learned about doctors and medical terms because I was diagnosed with pneumonia in my lungs and also scoliosis, so I would say, "Orthopedics. Oncologist, spine center. Painkiller, and inhaler".

**Q:** Alright, OK, got it that I want. Just want to come in to make it clear. So, the vocabulary that you have mentioned previously you got from your posting on social media activities, right?

**A:** Yeah, yes. I post the story on my WhatsApp or Instagram. I went to the doctor, so I used those words as a caption.

Participant 7: Fadila (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** Hi, my name is Fadila.

2. **Q:** Alright, how old are you?

**A:** I'm 21 years old.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think. It's already 6 years ago, but mostly I started doing IDLE more often when I started joining English about 3 years ago, in 2019.

4. **Q:** What kind of IDLE do you often use from six years ago since you rarely did this until now?

**A:** When I was in Senior High School, I usually posted on social media using English or sometimes I chatted with my friends using a bit of English. And now, every time I post on social media, I usually use English. And sometimes, I talk with my friends and with my family in English on WhatsApp or telegram like discussing a movie with my friends. Kind of that. (Applying knowledge)

**Q:** You have mentioned a lot about your IDLE that you often use, but how about listening to music? Watching the movie? Do you do this as an IDLE activity that you do often?

**A:** Yes, I am usually listening to music in English when I work on my assignment or my project, I usually listen to English music. (Learning vocab)

5. **Q:** OK, what kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE activities, such as vocabulary and something?

**A:** Actually, I got all kinds of English competence, like vocabulary, pronunciation, grammar, speaking, reading, and also writing. or and also. When I Post it in English, I can learn how to write, read, and speak it. I usually read the use of English like the idioms, then find references or inspirations, and how to use the language. (learning vocab)

**Q:** How about topical knowledge, for example, you are interested in business and you try to read an article about it in English or try to find the Instagram account that discusses it but in English, did you do this?

**A:** Actually, yes. OK, so I'm interested in, like human resources, also in education and technology. I usually find an article to inspire me to teach English. And also, find information about human resources. (Learning vocab)

**Q:** Alright, I got it. How about language expression? For example, the topic is congratulating others, and you just try to say congratulations on your graduation and a great job and something like this. Did you learn it from your IDLE activities?

**A:** Yes, I used to live with that. I mean. Like when I want to send a wish for someone who has his or her birthday I tried to use another language like not 'happy birthday' but 'happy level up'. I just like to try other language expressions, so it's not like just the ordinary ones. So, that's one way I improve my vocabulary by using other English expressions. (Learning vocab)

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge?

**A:** Just using the words while posting on social media or using it in video and chat. Yes, by using the language I can remember the expressions, and the phrases, like the words, as well. And about taking notes, just sometimes I do that. (additional interview) I also use it in my diary. (Learning vocab)

### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you chose posting on social media in English as the IDLE activities that you often do?

**A:** Yeah, I do have reasons. I choose English for my IDLE activity because I think that it just sounds cool. And also, I want to reach more people because, in my account, my followers, and my friends are not only from Indonesia but also from other countries. So, I want them to understand what I'm saying, like giving value to myself. So they will know that oh, 'she knows English, she's good in English', and using the language I want to express. And also to attract an employer. (reason)

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for posting on social media in English? Maybe other than what you have mentioned previously.

**A:** But I think I have answered the question by the previous one. I just want to make people know my skills in English. So, it will give me a better future. And, attracting the employer. (reason)

3. **Q:** OK, how often do you post on social media for a week? Any social media? When I was on social media.

**A:** I make a story on Instagram once a day or sometimes for two days.

**Q:** So, you rarely post on your Instagram home or the real post?

**A:** Yeah, I select which events or memories I like to post on my real post or Instagram home.

**Q:** But, if it's for a month, can you count it like how many times you post on your Instagram home?

**A:** I post on my Instagram home only once every two months.

4. **Q:** So, may I know your reason why you often post on Instagram stories in English? Do you have any specific reasons?

**A:** Yeah, actually there's no specific reason when I use English in my Instagram story. It's just to make my followers, and my friends from other countries understand what I say.

5. **Q:** How long do you usually spend time on posting on social media, each time you do this? Yeah, on your Instagram story and your Instagram home.

**A:** For my story on Instagram, I only need 15 seconds to think of what to say and then post it. But if I want to post it in my real post or my Instagram home, so I need more time, 5 minutes maybe because I need to be careful with my words and how I use the language.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in posting on social media in English?

**A:** I think I have no specific reason why I prefer English. Only it sounds cool. It's reaching more people in society and my community. Yeah. I think there's no specific reason for it.

7. **Q:** Alright, OK, how comfortable are you when posting on social media in English to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** Uh, yeah, I enjoy using English and social media, but sometimes I do feel quite worried about that and just talk to myself like "Am I using English correctly?" like that. Sometimes, I worry that the idioms that I use do not switch the context of what I say. Like that, I have to find inspiration from Google. So, that's actually how I improve my language because I discover many things on Google to find many idioms and how the language is used.

8. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually improve after posting on social media in English?

**A:** Reading because as I said before that I find inspiration on Google and try to read it. And, writing, is how to spell the words, and organize the words into sentences, and paragraphs. And listening, because, you know, sometimes I need to find inspiration from music. And, I thought that speaking is not too often, but sometimes I speak in English on my Instagram story or make a video there to speak English. So, I think all of my English skills get improved when I use English to post on my social media.

9. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after posting on social media in English each time you post? You can mention just the approximate numbers on this question.

**A:** It's approximately, maybe, 5 to 8. I will explore it On Google. So yeah, that's why I got that number 5 to 8.

10. **Q:** Ok, from these numbers, please mention five of those phrases and vocabularies.

**A:** On my social media if you can check, if you found it on my Instagram, I use "every cloud has a silver lining". These are inspirational sentences. It means



like there is a good thing in a bad thing, you know. I also got, “I get blessings in the skies”, which means that, first, maybe you feel misfortune, but, the misfortunes turn into good results, and that’s very inspirational. And also, when I post on my Instagram story to say they have to think before they make a decision, I will say “Sleep on it”. And, like to make others calm, I will say, “behave normally I use to put yourself together” .

**Participant 8: Ayu (Pseudonym)**

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** Well, thank you for the opportunity that has been given to me, my name is Ayu.

2. **Q:** Alright, so how old are you?

**A:** I’m 21.

3. **Q:** OK how long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think I started when I was in elementary school, and then did it more often when I was entering the university.

**Q:** May I know what kind of IDLE activities you did when you were in your Elementary school?

**A:** I am watching the movie in English and listening to music in English to sharpen my language learning, especially in English.

**Q:** OK, how about when you enter the university, what are the different activities that you have?

**A:** Oh, when I entered the university, I started to use the game as the facilitation of my language learning because I am interested in working on E-Sport.

**Q:** And then how about listening to music and watching movies, is that still your favorite activity now?

**A:** Not that often. I often watch a movie but not in English, it is a K-Drama.

4. **Q:** What kind of IDLE do you often use? Yeah, you have mentioned like uh, playing the game online in English, right? Is that still the answer?

**A:** Yes, it is, I just focus on playing the game in English now.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE? For example, vocabulary, etcetera?

**A:** I think I have learned a lot of vocabulary by playing the game. And I think it is related to my interest to work in the E-Sport field.

**Q:** How about pronunciation? Grammar? Topical knowledge? Language expressions? Have you gotten that knowledge from your IDLE activities in the game?

**A:** I have learned about shout caster. I think this game give me topical knowledge. this game is. Like I have to search lots of videos of shout casters. This game is well known in the world and there are lots of tournaments held. So, I Have to watch and play the game to get a lot of knowledge related to shout caster.

6. **Q:** OK, what did you do to remember that knowledge? For example, taking notes, checking the media, in the dictionary, etcetera.

**A:** OK, I sometimes take notes, but sometimes, you know, because when I play the game and don't understand the meaning, I can translate the English message through the translation feature in that game. So, if there is a conversation in English or someone texts me in English through the chat box, I can use the translation feature directly to translate the message.

**Q:** And then how about saying or repeating a couple of times in your everyday life?

**A:** Another way I apply my knowledge is by joining a giveaway, and the requirement is we have to analyze the gameplay from that person. So, I can use my knowledge very carefully, like what happened and what that person has to

do in the next game. I also make a video about the game, so I sometimes use that knowledge in the video.

**Q:** And then how about saying or repeating a couple of times? For example, by imitating the game instruction.

**A:** Yes, I do repeat a couple of times. Yes, I did it. It's just funny to pronounce and repeat words that I haven't known. And also, when we play the game, we can open the mic and speak, and all of the team can hear it because they can pronounce it, so it's very fun. I sometimes learned how to pronounce the name of the hero or character.

### **B. RQ1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you choose playing games in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** Because I'm interested in working in the E-Sport field which is I want to be a shout caster someday or a moderator in the discord. Discord is like an online community for people who like this game and there is a space to chat there.

**Q:** How about the emotional purpose? For example, you want to find a new friend from this game and then you want to create a new friendship, and other than that? Or do You want to improve your English skills? Is there one of them? Maybe you can confirm it.

**A:** Yes, all of those reasons that you have mentioned are also my reasons to play this game. This game is well known in the world, especially in Indonesia, Filipina, Singapore, America, and other countries. So, I want to make new friends around the world. And then, For the international tournament, I want to build my English skills too.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation to play a game that uses English?

**A:** OK, yes, it's the same as the previous answer.

3. **Q:** How often do you play games in English for a week?

**A:** Honestly I play this game for 4-5 matches a day. And, for a week, especially a holiday, I can play 20 matches. So, I play the game every day.

**Q:** How about on a weekday, how many matches for playing that game?

**A:** If there is no holiday. Maybe I just take 1-2 matches each day maximum.

4. **Q:** Why do you often play games in English in a week?

**A:** It is because I joined a community named Mobile Legend Content Creator that requires me to post an interesting video of the game every day. It's also part of my motivation to play that game, but I forgot to say this previously. And also, I have friends from abroad who speak English and talk in English in that game.

5. **Q:** how long do you usually play the game each time you do this? Yeah, for example, one match. How many times is needed for one match of the game?

**A:** Yes, I got it all for one match. There are several modes in that game. For classic and rank, it's about 20-30 minutes per match. but in expansion, it takes 15-20 minutes.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in playing games in English?

**A:** It is because of the comfortability. I am comfortable playing this game because they're many skins that you can choose for your character so you can switch the skin to make it more beautiful. Although for some reason I'm not comfortable in that game because there are some people who say harsh words but cannot play the character very well, that's all. But I still enjoy this game because I can mute that person.

7. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually get improved after playing the game in English?

**A:** I think reading and critical thinking. When the enemy is missing on the map, we have to think of where this enemy is, so that's the part of my critical thinking that gets improved. Communication skills and teamwork.

**Q:** So how about your listening skill?

**A:** Listening skill, not that much. Because the game doesn't have that much instruction. For example, the game says, "the enemy is missing", and sometimes

the game just pronounces the name of the character. And yeah, I just chat in the game.

**Q:** Have you improved your writing skill in this game?

**A:** I guess not that much.

8. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after playing games in English?

**A:** I got a lot of vocabulary in that game.

9. **Q:** Can you mention just 5 of that vocabulary and phrases?

**A:** “Good game, Push the turret, I’ll go to the jungle, need assistance, and more”.

### **C. RQ 2 Questions and Answers**

1. **Q:** What kind of preparation do you usually do before playing games in English?

**A:** Good Internet connection and good device. I’m not taking notes or preparing some notes because there is already a translation feature in the game.

**Q:** So, you never like to prepare any significant things, for example, read a lot of words related to the game first, so you don’t miss something, is that right?

**A:** Yes because there is also Indonesia's language so when I feel I don't understand, I will change the language, but then, after I understand it, I’ll change it to English again.

2. **Q:** So, how did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your playing games activity in English?

**A:** Yes, I got it. There are already some chat boxes that are prepared. So, when we want to congratulate, there are some chat boxes that you can choose to congratulate like ‘well done, well played, good job, good game, and many more. And the grammar pattern, I just learn ordinary English from the instruction of the game.

**Q:** So, the way you learn new vocabulary, grammar patterns, and language expression is just by reading a lot in your chat box, and listening to the instructions, right?

**A:** Yes, that's right.

**Q:** OK, hold on, what if you don't know the word that appears in the game?

**A:** I can understand the instructions in the game but not the item. Usually, each item has a different role in defeating the enemy, but I still can play the game by just using one item. And then, I will ask my friends and find on YouTube about the meaning of the item after the game is over.

3. **Q:** How did you learn new knowledge related to English from your playing games in English activities?

**A:** For example, while I am playing the game, I heard one player say "I will go to the jungle", but the meaning of that game instruction is not "Saya akan pergi ke hutan". Then after I observe the player, I know the meaning of that instruction is "the player is in the main room of the team, so they have to go to the jungle where there are lots of monsters", and it means I need to accept the invitation and go to the jungle to kill the enemy.

4. **Q:** Did you record or take notes while you were playing the games in English?

**A:** For taking notes, no, but for the record, sometimes, it depends on my phone storage. I

5. **Q:** Do you watch your recording after playing the game in English?

**A:** Oh yes. Sometimes when I get good moments when I kill someone in the game, then I will watch the recording.

**Q:** Related to English skills, do you learn something from your recording after you play the game?

**A:** I just record the gameplay and the English which is pronounced by the system is not that much, it is just the basic English instruction, like "enemies missing, etc.". So, it's not that much. But, if I want to learn English related to

my game, I can open the game offline because there are also lots of explanations in the game so I just open the game and reread it to improve my vocabulary.

6. **Q:** How did you apply what you have learned from playing games in English to practice?

**A:** For speaking, I want to, but I'm not that confident to speak yet. So, I haven't applied it to my speaking practice, but I will try it someday. About the writing, I already apply it when I join the giveaway and I have to write a short analysis related to the game played by the player. And, for listening skills, not that much.

7. **Q:** How often do you use linguistic features that you got from playing games in English activity?

**A:** I think not that often. I cannot apply what I have learned from this game that much because people around me have different interests. So, I cannot apply this in real life. But, now I'm joining a content creator event so I have to use it. Sometimes I write a caption in English and also write a comment in English. If there are cool video games from overseas people, they are mostly content creators.

8. **Q:** How often do you use new knowledge from playing games in English activities in your English?

**A:** I think it's the same as the previous answer. But, since it is a holiday, I use it often. But, I cannot apply it to my learning activity in college, because it is such a different field. So, I can only use it for my interest.

### **Participant 9: Reza (Pseudonym)**

#### **A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** My name is Reza.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** Now I am 21 years old

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think since I was in elementary school.

**Q:** Do you still remember what kind of IDLE you had at that time?

**A:** I think I usually read some instructions from the game, so I do follow the instructions while playing some PlayStation. And, I usually use it when I learn a new thing. Like learning about Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. So, I use it when I play the game house on my small computer. (LEARNING KNOWLEDGE)

4. **Q:** What kinds of IDLE activities have you often used since you were in elementary school?

**A:** Yes, yeah, I got it right now. So, the thing that I usually do is read some comics or novels. And, I also used it when reading instruction content. There will be an instruction or agreement before we play the game, and then, it's kind of picture to picture. I remember when I used the IDLE too well when I was downloading some videos or downloading films from the website, so there would be a greetings message like how to do a little bit, and it is presented by a video also, and it is presented by a picture. I think that's the kind of IDLE I usually use. (LEARNING VOCAB)

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn from IDLE?

**A:** I think I used to learn vocabulary, pronunciation and some phrases, and cultural language also. And maybe, it's just a little bit of language expressions and some idioms.

**Q:** So how about topical knowledge?

**A:** Yes, I did it when talking about the game, some cooking styles, or maybe just about how they take baths, and the activities that they do when they're cold. And then I know that they take a bath or maybe swim only one time a day. So yeah, I usually talk about topical knowledge, but not so intensely because I only



met people or people who use that kind of language topic at a specific time.  
(LEARNING KNOWLEDGE)

6. **Q:** What did you remember about that knowledge? For example, you're taking notes and many others.

**A:** I usually take a screenshot about it. (LEARNING VOCAB) And maybe sometimes if I have enough time practicing at home, like talking to the mirror and remembering in the game that I have been done. (APPLYING KNOWLEDGE) Or, in a good moment, I got a special moment in the game, sometimes I record the gameplay and then I rewatch it in my leisure time.

**Q:** So, do you never take note of this? As you have mentioned previously.

**A:** Does the screenshot count as taking notes? I usually take a note of it, but you know in picture mode. (LEARNING VOCAB) (additional interview)

### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you choose playing the game in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** Yes, I do so my reason is to have fun and use my time to play the game. (REASON) And also, to practice English and have some relationships with foreigners. Do you understand what relationship means? Like we make friends or like we talk about them more. And also, because the default setting of the game is the English language, it's just not so coincidental in playing the game to meet foreigners. There are some reasons I could change the language to Indonesia, but I chose to play in English, like PUBG and Mobile Legend, so I can play with my friends using English. (REASON)

**Q:** Is there any other game that you usually play other than that game?

**A:** Yeah, of course. I usually play Minecraft and also some game houses usually on my personal computer. Also, it is an offline game, like Naruto, Best of football, fooKtball game and sometimes I play the game on a website like when you don't have any Internet connection, you have ever played a t-rex game. I often do that to make fun of the game like I get scoring more than 1500 or more.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for playing games in English?

**A:** The one that motivated me to play the game in English, is how I can interact with foreigners to learn about their culture, habits, and their language. Also, having fun playing the game while talking about all of that. Maybe the motivation is like being curious about what they do. (REASON)

3. **Q:** How often do you play games in English in a week?

**A:** It is 2 to 3 hours a day. So, for a week it might be four times a week. So sometimes, I do not have enough time to play games.

4. **Q:** So, why do you often play that game in a week?

**A:** OK, if it is necessary, it is because I need to manage time to do homework from college, help with my house activities, exercise, socialize, and take some rest because of all the activities that I've done during the day. So, I usually play a game at night after working on homework. Or maybe if I have enough leisure time, I will contact my foreign friend later to play the game.

5. **Q:** Why are you interested in playing games in English?

**A:** Something that I can say is that I have been interested in English and abroad culture since I was little and then, fortunately, I have some friends to play with and because my environment supports it. I enjoy it and I am interested in playing games in English because well, I like reading in English. At the same time, I improve my speaking and listening skills. (REASON) That's why I only trust English. About comfortable, just look like, I'm laying in the swimming pool using my imagination, and then I feel like going to walk. And I can gain some experience by just playing the game. So, I feel relaxed. Do you get the point? So, it's still like, you are laying on the. swimming pool, and then you gain some experience as they come to your mind. It is like, you feel like you can cook right now but you are still laying in the swimming pool. Or you can play badminton but you still lay at a swimming pool, just it comes to your mind, so it's still relaxed. So yeah, I think I feel comfortable

6. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually get improved after playing the game in English?

**A:** It is improving my listening and speaking skills. So, sometimes, it improves my reading skills.

**Q:** How about your writing skills? For example, when you chat with your foreign friends in the game.

**A:** Maybe Using typing on the phone to chat with them. I usually chat with them and bring up some topics. Chatting with them in English and using some slang language, acronym, or others. (APPLYING KNOWLEDGE)

**Q:** From that chatting activity, do you feel your writing skill getting improved?

**A:** Yes I feel it has improved my writing skill because sometimes I get stuck and I open Google to do what they mean. For example, how to answer it? And then sometimes I get stuck even when I ask them things like “What do you mean with those sentences? How can I answer it?” And they give me some explanation and some more explanation. And yeah, I can understand what they mean.

**Q:** And then I can conclude that you can improve your four English skills.

**A:** Yes, all of them would be.

7. **Q:** OK. Well, how many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after playing games in English? Just mentioned the approximate number only.

**A:** Approximately, it is a hundred vocabulary words, but if it counts 4 times a week maybe it is 20 to 30.

8. **Q:** And then can you mention five of those phrases and vocabularies?

**A:** I got five phrases like, “it is a piece of cake”. And, when we played the game, like PUBG, I said, “I need ammo, fire in the hole”, which means I’m throwing some grenades. And, warn my friend by saying, “enemies are hard to make”, which means they come back from the field and or more dislocation. Then, “To mark the location of the enemies” and then “I need attachment”, means to ask for something that's not for them. And when I find some supplies or some beatbox step containing more ammo, I say, “I supplies”. And also, I can learn

building OK, and vocabulary from there, it's a kind of Minecraft game. So, in Minecraft, usually, there are a lot of ingredients, like bricks, stone sands, library boxes, and flash.

### **Participant 10: Rara (Pseudonym)**

#### **A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** Yeah, my name is Rara. It's a pleasure to participate in your interview.

2. **Q:** Alright, thank you, Ira. How old are you?

**A:** I am 21 now.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think it was when I'm in middle school when I became interested in English because I'm one of the fans of One Direction.

**Q:** Is it in your junior high school or Senior High School?

**A:** It's Junior High School, but I just used it regularly when I became a college student majoring in English.

4. **Q:** So, what kind of IDLE do you often use from when you were in junior high school until now in college?

**A:** Well, for the first time, of course, because I am one of the fans of One Direction. I usually listen to music and then I use chat and then video chat.  
(LEARNING VOCAB)

5. **Q:** Alright. What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE? For example vocabulary, etcetera?

**A:** There is a lot of knowledge, especially for pronunciation. And then, vocabulary, grammar, and terms nowadays.

**Q:** How about topical knowledge and language expressions? For example, you are interested in One Direction, right? And you try to find in-depth about where he lives and a bit of information about their country as well as culture.

**A:** Now I know that I get the information about them, for example, how old they are, etc.

**Q:** But do you try to find more about the country, like the culture of the country that they lived in?

**A:** Yes, I do. (LEARNING KNOWLEDGE) H

**Q:** how about language expression?

**A:** It's more about reading the literature, information related to the country, and the music. (LEARNING KNOWLEDGE)

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge that you mentioned previously?

**A:** Of course, I sing it all the time, because I like music. (LEARNING VOCAB)  
I also try to check the meaning in the dictionary when I don't know new terms or vocabulary. (LEARNING VOCAB)

**Q:** And how about taking notes? Did you do this by taking notes from the knowledge that you have gotten?

**A:** Yes, it was, but I don't do it anymore. So, I did it in the past very often as well as checking the dictionary. I think it was already 10 pages at that time. (LEARNING VOCAB)

**Q:** When exactly do you often take notes and when were you decided to stop?

**A:** It was since I was in middle school which is Junior High School when I became a fan of my direction. I often take notes for that time and then I'm done and I don't do it anymore when I became a Senior High School student. (PF10) (additional interview)

### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you chose doing video chat in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** It's because I can discuss the latest information about movie series and also about One Direction. (REASON)

**Q:** Is improving your English skills one of the reasons?

**A:** You know. I didn't think so before, but after I became a college student majoring in English, and now, I know the benefits are something like that. Before I just took it as a fun activity, and I didn't think about improving my English skills. So, I didn't think about it before. (REASON)

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for doing video chat in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** It's just because I want to continue to follow the latest news from my favorite movie series, my favorite music, and my idols. (REASON)

3. **Q:** How often do you do a video chat in English for a week approximately?

**A:** It is almost twice a week.

4. **Q:** Why do you rarely do a video chat in English for a week?

**A:** So, it is just because I want to follow the latest news from my idols and One Direction. And, also to follow the latest news from my movie series. So, I don't play pretty much before if I think I don't want to miss any information about my idol.

**Q:** I would like to ask this question, is making new friends with foreigners and talking to random overseas people a part of your motivation to do a video chat in English?

**A:** I am too scared to do this because I'm insecure.

5. **Q:** Why are you interested in doing video chatting In English?

**A:** I have the same answer as my previous motivation and reasons.

6. **Q:** How comfortable are you when doing video chatting in English to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** I feel very, very, very comfortable because, like what I said before, I'm the insecure one. It's helped me to talk in video chat.

7. **Q:** What kind of language skills do you usually improve after doing video chat in English?

**A:** Pronunciation is the most skill that I can improve after doing video chat. Before, my English was really "Medok".

**Q:** So only one skill that you highlight from this activity or is there any other skill that you want to highlight again?

**A:** Yeah, my speaking skills also.

8. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after doing video chat in English until now?

**A:** As I have mentioned, I only do this twice a week, and just focus to learn from this since I entered college, so, it's approximately 40 vocabulary words.

9. **Q:** Can you mention 5 of those phrases and vocabularies?

**A:** First is the common term nowadays, like, “YOLO” which means You Only Live Once. And then, if you want to describe something that big, big, very big, now I know it’s called “huge”. And I got it, like before, I don’t know how to describe what is tired in a very very, very tired way and I know it is “exhausting”. Then the words like, “Ignore”, “Hold on”, and “Step on my feet”.

**ADDITIONAL INTERVIEW:**

1. **Q:** In a previous interview, you mentioned that you took notes, then, do you read your notes after that?

**PF10:** Yes, Ristia..

I read it very often at the time. Whenever I forget a vocab in English, or whenever I wanna know the meaning of a vocab in Bahasa, I’ll look back at my notes.

**Participant 11: Rita (Pseudonym)**

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** OK, my name is Rita.

2. **Q:** Alright, how old are you?

**A:** I’m 21 years old.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think I have done it since I was in junior high school. So, it’s already 9 years.

4. **Q:** Do you still remember what kind of IDLE you had when you were in junior high school?

**A:** I like to post on social media, but back in English. And then I like to watch videos with English subtitles and so on.

**Q:** OK, do you listen to music in English?

**A:** Yes, I listen to your music in English too.

**Q:** Alright, until now, is the activity still the same or it's getting various?

**A:** Yeah, it's getting different because I often watch English movies without subtitles so I can know how to understand when they're native speakers speaking in English.

**Q:** Alright, is the previous one the IDLE activity that you often use?

**A:** Yes, it is.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE, for example, vocabulary, pronunciation, etc.?

**A:** I learn about vocabulary and grammar the most.

**Q:** How about pronunciation?

**A:** I even watch the video with or without subtitles then I repeat what the speaker is speaking and then yeah, I learned the pronunciation.

**Q:** OK, how about topical knowledge? I will explain a little bit about topical knowledge, for example, you are interested in beauty stuff for example. And you try to read an article in English or Watch Video in English that is related to this, like beauty, makeup, etcetera. Have you learned it from your IDLE activities?

**A:** Oh yeah, sometimes, when I find something that I want to understand, I look for the article in English and then read the article.

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge? There are various activities such as taking notes, checking the meaning in the dictionary, saying, repeating a couple of times, and many others. So, which one usually do you do to remember that knowledge?



**A:** Um, I am rarely taking notes because I am more into reading, and I just maybe say and repeat it a couple of times and I said it in my daily life. And also, I can say that I have a friend that talks in English too. So sometimes I talk with her in English.

**B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** So, do you have any reason why you chose posting on social media in English as your IDLE activities?

**A:** So I can say that I am almost active on social media for about 15 to 20 hours a day. And, I feel more comfortable speaking my opinion in English.

**Q:** So, what are your reasons, like wanting to improve your English? Is that part of your reasons?

**A:** Yes, that is one of them. The reason why I post on social media in English is that I want to improve my English skills.

2. **Q:** I want to know what is your motivation for posting on social media in English. Is there still the same with the previous reasons?

**A:** Yeah, I think it's the same as the previous one. And I want to speak like another native speaker. A

**Q:** Is there any emotional purpose, for example, you want to stand for your opinion and you try to post what you think about a certain topic, is there one of your motivations or not?

**A:** Yeah, that's also one of the motivations because almost all of my online friends are speaking in English. And, they also live overseas. They live outside. I want them to know what I'm thinking about certain topics so they can also share their opinion with me so we can share.

3. **Q:** Now, how often do you post on social media for a week? For example, on your Snapchat, maybe posting on WhatsApp story, posting on your Instagram, how often in a week?

**A:** In a way, I think it's. That's quite often because I am always on social media almost every day maybe. So, it is about Four to five days a week.

4. **Q:** Yeah, it's quite often OK. Why do you often post on social media in English every week? Is there any reason behind it?

**A:** Yeah, like what I said before, I feel more comfortable speaking my opinion in English rather than in Indonesia, so that's why I often post on social media.

5. **Q:** How long do you usually spend your time posting on social media each time you do this?

**A:** For one post it takes 40 minutes.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in posting on social media in English?

**A:** I just find that when I see people speak English using high languages, we usually use basic English right? When we speak. But when I see a native speaker who speaks that fluent English, then I feel so

7. **Q:** How comfortable are you when posting on social media in English?

**A:** I am very comfortable when posting in English.

8. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you improve?

**A:** I want to improve my writing, and sometimes my speaking and reading. Reading a certain article on the topic that I am interested in.

**Q:** OK, so no listening skill getting improved after you post on social media, right?

**A:** Yes.

9. **Q:** OK, how many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after posting on social media in English/ you can mention the approximate number only.

**A:** Maybe I got 3-5 words in a day.

10. **Q:** Can you mention those 5 vocabularies and phrases that you have gotten maybe that you remember?

**A:** I can't remember all the words, but sometimes I know one word that I got in a day but sometimes I forget it. But, I still know the meaning of that vocabulary.

### **C. RQ 2 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What kind of preparation do you usually do before posting and commenting on social media in English?

**A:** I didn't do any specific preparation, but sometimes I search for the right grammar before posting and commenting, because, you know, there is a lot of grammar nazi in that post. They may judge you based on your environment if you got your voicemail. And that's why I sometimes search for the right OK, good, it's relatable.

2. **Q:** How did you learn your vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your posting and commenting activities in English and social media?

**A:** For me when I see words that I have never listened to or read before, I always search them up in Internet Google, and then sometimes I also use the Twitter search bar and then search on the Internet to know what the meaning of the new probability or idiom that I got from posting and commenting on the social media.

**Q:** OK, what you have mentioned previously is about what you do with others' posts, how about your post? I mean from your post and other social media, how did you learn new vocabulary, grammar patterns, and language expressions?

**A:** OK, so as I mentioned before I often search for the right fact when I post on social media and comment on social media. So, I research before I post and comment.

**Q:** How about searching for the meaning of the vocabulary that you want to use while you write a post? Do you try to find the meaning of those specific vocabulary and language expressions?

**A:** Yeah, sometimes I often search for the meaning. I have read or listened to some vocabulary, but sometimes I don't know the meaning. And, I want to use that vocabulary.

**Q:** And then how about the language expression? Is that the same technique that you do? Do you search on Google or maybe ask your friend?

**A:** So, usually I opened and searched it on Google, but sometimes I also asked my friend what that's been I mentioned before that I have a friend that speaks in English too, and sometimes, I do share with her about the English.

3. **Q:** Yeah, how did you learn new knowledge related to English? For example, new information, facts, and news from your posting and commenting activity using English.

**A:** OK, for the new knowledge, I learned it from the article that I read before while I was posting and commenting on social media. I got a lot of new facts and new information about certain topics.

4. **Q:** Did you record or maybe take a note while posting and commenting in English on social media?

**A:** No, I did not take a note because I just remembered what I learned and then just took it.

5. **Q:** How did you apply what you have learned from posting and commenting using English on social media into practice? For example, applying it to your English skills.

**A:** I often apply it in my speaking skill, I always, when I find a new vocabulary and I use it when I speak so I can know what the meaning is, and clearly know how to place the words that I want to use when I speak.

6. **Q:** How often do you use linguistic features that you got from posting and commenting activities?

**A:** I can say I often use the linguistic features that I got from posting on social media because like I said before when I found a new vocabulary, I will use it when I speak to know clearly how to place the words into a sentence.

7. **Q:** How often do you use new knowledge from posting and commenting activities in English

**A:** I often use the new knowledge that I got from posting and commenting on social media because when I found a new fact or new information was happening, I always share it with my online friends so they also know that. We also got new information about something or some topic.

**Participant 12: Putri (Pseudonym)**

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** Alright, my name is Putri.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** I am 21 years old this year.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I have been doing IDLE since I was in middle school. It's probably 10 years more or less. So, since I was in Junior High School.

**Q:** Do you still remember what kind of IDLE you do in your middle school?

**A:** My first IDLE was to listen to English songs. (LEARNING VOCAB) And then, I moved to the next level in the textbook, school textbooks, and then some movies. And. The last is a video. It's videos and literary books.

4. **Q:** So what kind of IDLE do you often use?

**A:** I often listen to English songs. And yeah, and watching YouTube videos, so it's the most

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you get from your IDLE activity?

**A:** I get language expressions, vocabulary, topical knowledge, and I got some grammar.

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge you have mentioned? Do you take notes or something?

**A:** Yes, first of all, I do take notes, but. I just like to practice. Practice, practice saying it, practice reading it, and write it. But it's just like practicing directly. Alright, so I'm rarely taking notes, but sometimes I'm taking notes. (LEARNING VOCAB)

**B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you choose contributing to online English language forums as your IDLE activities?

**A:** Yes, I do have many reasons, because if we practice English, we cannot practice alone, right? It is just because we cannot talk or speak alone but when we meet people that are really into English speaking. I mean, people who speak English. Yeah, that's the challenge as a learner. So, I think to learn in the English community, we can practice directly with people who can speak English also. So, it's like if you love to practice your English skills it's better than learning. (REASON)

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2. **Q:** And, what is your motivation for contributing to an online English language forum in English?

**A:** Yeah, my motivation is I want to develop my English speaking skills and I want to be confident in speaking English, so that's my main motivation in joining online English forums. (REASON)

3. **Q:** How often do you contribute to an online English language forum for a week?

**A:** So, I joined English Online forums two years ago. I'm sorry, I mean, for a semester.

**Q:** For a week, can you measure how often you do join this community?

**A:** OK, in joining the English online forums, I contributed for an hour. Yeah, we have like an hour session three to four times a week. So in that session, we were speaking English for an hour.

**Q:** May I know the name of that English community that you have joined? Which online platform is that?

**A:** OK, so. I only joined one program. It's called ICEE. So, it's like an International English forum.

**Q:** Do you talk with a real native speaker here? Or, is it Asian people?

**A:** Actually, the people in that community are very diverse. Mostly they are Asians, but some coaches come from America and Europe and then Southeast Asian as well. So, it's very diverse.

4. **Q:** Why are you interested in contributing to the online English language forum?

**A:** OK, so the other reason why I am interested in joining that English forum is that it's from campus information. So. It's like a part of a campus organization, but still part of the campus. And also, it's free. I want to learn English but I'm so limited in the tuition and fee, so I tried to find English language programs that are free.

5. **Q:** How comfortable are you when contributing to an online English language forum to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** Um from range 1 to 10. I feel uncomfortable, but I'm still trying to practice again, so I will increase my confidence in speaking English.

**Q:** Alright, so can I feel like you are very comfortable in this community, right? Because it's motivating yourself to do better?

**A:** Yes, Because we're still learning, right? So yeah, if we're not comfortable, we cannot grow.

6. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually improve after contributing to an online English language forum?

**A:** I think my language skills, especially in speaking and listening are gradually increasing.

**Q:** OK. Speaking and listening, how about reading and writing?

**A:** OK, I feel like I'm going in listening and speaking, but in reading and writing, I don't find it improving. So it's just like the same level over and over.

7. **Q:** So, my next question is how many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after contributing to an online English forum for each session?

**A:** For one session of class, I got like, 5 to 10 phrases.

8. **Q:** Can you mention just five of those phrases and vocabularies?

**A:** I remember these words such as *accountability, responsibility, respect, weaknesses, and strange.*

### C. RQ2 Questions and Answers:

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R OK, what kind of preparation do you usually do before joining online English forum activities?

PF4 OK, my preparation, I do prepare some notes, stationeries of course, and my phone also because I like to type the new words, vocabulary, or phrases that I got from the English Forum activities. So yeah, that was only my preparation.

R OK, how about preparing related to your four language skills? For example, you try to read some articles before doing the class and then read your dictionary to find the new word.

PF4 OK, I do read the material that the English forums had given to me.

R How did you learn new vocabulary, grammar patterns, and language expression from your online English forum activities?

PF4 I did learn from discussions and conversations, and I also learned new vocabularies, new language expressions, and new words from coaches. So, I do learn by listening. Listen to it. Listen to what people say.

R OK, how did you learn new knowledge related to English? For example, new information, facts, and news from your online English forum activities.

PF4 I did find some information about it, so it might tell some language expressions. Yeah, I will find some information about that language



expression, so that I'll remember it and after that, I will take some notes or I will type in the phone directly.

R Alright, the new knowledge that I mean, for example, your coach tells you about the facts about the culture, or the discussion is about the culture or the specific topic, and any kind of new information.

PF4 Alright, so in the middle of the session we usually discuss it. Yeah, sometimes I ask my friend. And I also asked my coach, but I usually do some research myself too, so it's like a combination of those things. Until I find new facts, information, and something else.

R When you just did the discussion, did you record or take notes while joining an online English forum?

PF4 Yes, I did take some notes. Yeah, usually type it on the phone or take notes with my pen and paper. So, I do record, but it is more taking notes or typing on the phone.

R Did you read your notes after doing an online English forum?

PF4 Yes, I did, but I also forgot to read about it. Yeah, sometimes I forget. And then, try to do it again. (Listen recording nya lupa ditanyain)

R How did you apply what you have learned from joining an online English forum into practice?

PF4 I always talk with my friends or try to build a discussion with my friend after class. So, it's mostly talking with my friends and trying to discuss our material or what we have learned from that English forum. And also, I chat with my friends.

R How often do you use linguistic features that you got from joining online English forums?

PF4 I often use linguistic features, yeah, when I'm chatting. Mostly if we talk about certain things or certain topics that need a lot of new phrases or

some advanced vocabulary. So, it mostly happens when we talk about certain things or specific things.

R Can I say that you use it every day when you're chatting, speaking, and doing many other English language activities?

PF4 Yes, I use it every day.

R How often do you use new knowledge by joining online English forum activities in your English learning?

PF4 Yeah, I often use it like, one to four times a week. But, it is only when I'm still active in English online forums. And at this moment, I don't join any English forums anymore, so I have never used it for this time.

**Participant 13: Putra** (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** My name is Putra.

2. **Q:** OK, how old are you?

**A:** Currently I'm 19 years old.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** Basically or in this case I mean, I Have been learning from the forum from Senior High school, yes. First grade, I think.

4. **Q:** What kind of IDLE do you often use?

**A:** In the form of a forum and also voice chat. If you know that discord is the platform that I use to support my hobby in-game. So, this website is quite amusing for me because the specific game or forum that I want is not available in my language, so I have to try to learn English from the forum and the website. So, because of my interest, I pretty much love learning about English, I think that's about it.

**Q:** So, most of your ideal activities are on joining the community in English on discord, right? How about listening to music anyways? Watching a movie anyways, how about that? Do you do this often or just rarely?

**A:** I think yes. Well, mostly, my entertainment media is in English. Yes, mainly I consume media in English.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** Mainly what I learned from my IDLE is about vocabulary. And, the way they speak there are certain accents. Umm. Well, I think that's all that I pretty much get from it. As for the others like grammar and such are just barely. As you know, speakers of the English language are not always the native speakers and as such, it is quite difficult actually to learn correct grammar in the entertainment that I consume every day.

**Q:** How about topical knowledge? I will explain a little bit about it. For example, if you are interested in the culture, then you try to read an article or watch a video related to this culture in English. Do you get this knowledge?

**A:** Yes, I learned some of it, like the nobility, what is the history of sets, the culture of the country, World War I or II, One or two. Those topics are much easier to learn in English than to learn in my language.

**Q:** Then how about another topic like business, maybe education? Have you got it from your IDLE activities?

**A:** I'm not particularly interested in learning about business, but in education, I usually use YouTube as a platform there to learn about any topic that is related to my current education. It is quite helpful for me because with YouTube I can search about what I want and what I need in a short amount of time rather than asking in a forum. In a forum, I need to wait for the reply and sort of that and it could take quite some time for them to reply. Again, it's about the education and stuff that is related to my school activity.

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge? For example, taking notes and many others.

**A:** Well, I didn't do any notes. I just repeated the same word like maybe if they spoke like this, like that and. (learning vocab) Or, I invite them to speak. And also, I watch the videos by listening to what the person is speaking. (LEARNING VOCAB)

**Q:** How about using it in a verbal and written sentence?

**A:** Well, I certainly use this for speaking with my overseas friends through the internet using English. it's not like I basically could meet them, but yeah, I speak with them virtually. It's actually needed while doing video games because we need to communicate with our teammates and stuff, so certainly we have to learn about English and learn to speak. (APPLYING KNOWLEDGE)

### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you chose contributing to an online English language forum as your IDLE activities?

**A:** Basically because it is my preference, my hobby. I took interest in video games and history. There's something that I enjoy, like playing video games, talking about history, talking about world politics, and all that stuff. The thing that I find interesting. This is discussing our local community or culture as what I have experienced. Well, it's quite subjective actually, but that's discursive. So, if there is no local community related to my interest, then I have to try to find the community that I find interesting whether overseas or in other languages. (REASON)

**Q:** Is improving your English skill also part of your reason to do this activity?

**A:** To be honest, it's not the part of why I learned or joined this English forum, but it certainly helped me in learning about my English language.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for contributing to the online English Language Forum in English?

**A:** My motivation is to express my ideas. Express my feelings about certain things that I find interesting. I think that's all.

3. **Q:** How often do you contribute to an online English forum for a week?

**A:** Well, I open the forum every day if possible. But, posting is about maybe one post per week or one day per week.

4. **Q:** Why do you often contribute to an online English language forum in a week?

**A:** I don't have any specific reasons, I just want to share what I find interesting.

5. **Q:** How long do you usually do an activity and contribute to the online English forum each time you do this, for example, just for a day how long do you spend your time here in this community?

**A:** Well. Two to four hours I think. OK.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in contributing to the online English forum?

**A:** My reason is the individual in this forum is very accepting of the mistake that I made. Maybe some grammar that I use as well, they're forgiven. Not to mention that they are also so tolerant with the other point of view or the other side of the world culture like, what we did and think normal and what they think as normal is different, quite different, but they are quite tolerant in this case as their mindset. It's quite open. The forum that I joined is quite organized in the sense that finding information is not hard or I don't have to ask it again and again and again, but I can just simply search it with the search bar that is accompanied in the forum.

**Q:** Is that forum also on Discord? Or, any other platform?

**A:** Yes, it's in Discord.

7. **Q:** How comfortable are you in contributing to online English language forums to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** Very comfortable and it's sometimes when I contribute it feels as some sense of achievement that I get from contributing to this forum.

8. **Q:** What kinds of English skills do you usually improve after contributing to an Online English forum?

**A:** Well, certainly, it's a condition like speaking. It is a speaking skill, and this thing is quite fascinating because we have to assemble it. Reply following what they have to say. Reading and writing in this case is also quite important because not everyone can use the voice feature, but to accommodate them we have to do well right in English also, so I think, reading, writing, listening, and speaking are all included in the interaction of this forum.

9. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabularies have you been getting after contributing to an online English forum each day?

**A:** In the ballpark, maybe 2 new vocabularies and phrases. Well, not each day. If it is kind of repeated from the same forum or community often and more, that becomes quite inadequate. So, as time goes by, all of the new vocabulary will decrease. Well, just, we will not learn about new vocabulary each day any more if we have contributed to this specific kind of forum for quite some time. So maybe if you join first for one or two weeks you will learn about 3 to 5 phrases and vocabulary, but later on, when you're staying in the forum, the number will decrease and expand exponentially.

10. **Q:** And then can you mention just five vocabularies and phrases that you got from that forum?

**A:** I learned about it from the forum, *ballpark* means the estimate of something in terms of the size. I did learn about it, it's not a kind of formal vocabulary, but it's quite like slang. The first slang is *dif*, it is a kind of saying that is derived from the word difference. It means that you perform badly. Then the word *dif* means you perform weirdly, but it is in a bad situation. The other thing is *lag*, it is like an internet term when you have a bad internet connection. Then, *noob*, Last, *juke* means that you successfully evade your enemies and all sorts of that thing. That's all that I learn.

### C. RQ 2 Questions and Answers:

#### Code Transcript

R What kind of preparation do you do before joining online English forum activities?

PM4 Well. It's quite strict in our forum or our community. We have to follow the strict rule. We have to register ourselves. So, what we usually do is register about ourselves, about what kind of thing we find interest in, what should be avoided, and what should be followed. So, we have to read the rules first.

R How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expression from your online English forum activity?

PM4 Well, if you mention it, I learned it passively, it's not that I am learning the language. I learn it because I do it every day. Sort of makes me well accustomed to dealing with itself.

R When you just join this community and you just get new vocabularies, grammar patterns, language expression, how do you deal with it, how do you learn it?

PM4 Well, it is because, when people mention it repeatedly, it will start this sort of subconscious kind of thing, and my mind will just recognize that. I can recognize the particular word or vocabulary as what is being meant by the speaker itself. I mean that's, when they say, "oh, this game is lagging", and all sort of that in an angry tone, that means the game has some problem and I associate the word with problem just passively like that.

R How did you learn new knowledge related to English? For example, information, facts, and news from your online English communities? For example, if you find any interesting topic, then you try to learn from it or discuss it.

PM4 Actually, we discussed a specific topic about what kind of perspective we have on that certain subject. So, what they meant by this is I learned it from other people. So, I actively try to make them explain it to me maybe.

R Did you record or take notes while you were joining this community?

PM4 Uh, No.

R How did you apply what you have learned from joining the online English community into practice?

PM4 Well, I applied it directly. Maybe I'll try to write something and try to speak about a certain thing. I will. Just get it. I want to try it maybe, like the vocabulary and all sorts of that, and try to incorporate my idea or what I want to express with that set of new vocabulary or phrases.

R How often do you use linguistic features that you got from joining this community?

PM4 Because the forum itself is in English, I think we use it very often. Well, almost every day I use the vocabulary, the grammar, and the language expression itself. OK, I got it.

R How often do you use new knowledge?

PM4 Essentially the reason why I found this forum is because I'm unable to discuss this kind of knowledge, the specific kind of knowledge that I find interesting in real life with my friend in real life. Well, in the sense that my friend near me doesn't have the same interest and therefore I have to research to find the online forum to get the knowledge and discuss it very well. So, if you ask how often, I think, it will be quite often that I use it in my online session but it is rarely in the day-to-day situation.

#### **Participant 14: Agus (Pseudonym)**

##### **A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?



**A:** Thank you for having me here. So, my name is Agus.

2. **Q:** Alright, how old are you?

**A:** I am 21 years old.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** I think that I started studying IDLE in college I guess.

**Q:** OK, I just want to confirm it. Since you study in college, how about when you were in junior high school maybe? Did you listen to music in English, or watch a movie in English, or play games that use English as the instruction? How about that activity?

**A:** Yeah, when I was in junior high school. Yeah, I guess I like to listen to music that is in English, watch movies in English and also play games in English. I have played online games in English since junior high school until now.

**Q:** So, I can say that you started to do IDLE when you were in Junior High School, right?

**A:** Yes.

4. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** So mostly when I do IDLE, I learn a lot about new vocabularies, words, phrases, and idioms. And, I think that I learn the accent when I listen to music, watch movies, and play games.

**Q:** Alright, how about grammar patterns? Have you learned about it? I mean, have you got this knowledge from IDLE?

**A:** Yes, yes. Actually, yes, I forgot to mention that.

5. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge? For example, taking notes and many other activities.

**A:** What did I do? When I listen to music, to be honest, I like to sleep, it looks like sleep. Well, I sleep, but just close my eyes, and then listen to music. Then, when I listen to the music I just remember the music and the singer, and what they sing. And after that, if I find any new words or vocabulary, I will write it

down in my notes. I will try to translate them, and then I can say that is how I learned that knowledge and how I remember that. (additional interview)

**Q:** And then, how about using it in verbal or written sentences for example?

**A:** To be honest, I am an introverted type of guy, so I rarely talk to my friends about a certain topic in English. So, I prefer to talk when I am alone. And, I like to talk in front of the mirror by repeating the phrases that I mostly hear in music and movies. And yeah, Play games, yeah, I would use that. I will use it to communicate with my friends in the game.

**Q:** OK, So you use it with your online friends, right?

**A:** Yes, yes.

#### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you chose contributing to online English language forums as your IDLE activities?

**A:** My reason for contributing to an English group as my IDLE activities is that I want to learn real English from other countries using the internet. And because I don't actively speak English in real life, yeah, so I chose this forum.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for contributing to an online English language forum in English? **A:** Yeah, as I mentioned before because I want to know how people communicate in the real situation, not like what we learn from the dictionary, especially through the game, because I love to play on my game, so I will use it as my IDLE activity.

**Q:** Alright, do you have any emotional purpose? Now let me explain it first. For example, you just want to find your overseas friends from an online forum, you want to talk about another topic, like culture, random topic, or many other topics outside the game? Is that part of your motivation or reason?

**A:** As I mentioned before I am an introverted type of guy, so, I rarely talk about things outside the game. So, I'm kind of shy when I talk. I just talk to people all around the world because I don't have any friends in real life that talk in English.

**Q:** So even when you talk, you just want to talk about the game, right? Don't talk about any private thing or any point of view about certain topics, yes or no?

**A:** Yes, because when I think about myself, I think my vocabulary is not that much to talk or explain things outside the game, so it is only for the game.

3. **Q:** How often do you contribute to an online English forum for a week like a forum that you have joined?

**A:** So, in a week, when I play the game, I will contribute to this forum seven days a week. So I think I contribute to this forum seven days a week, and it's every day.

4. **Q:** Why do you often contribute to an online English forum in a week?

**A:** So, the main reason when I talk in English with my friends, because of that, I played the game. So, I think I have no other reasons because like I said before, I'm shy when I try to talk to other people. So, I have the same reason as I mentioned before because I joined this forum when I played the game and I play games every day so that is why I often join this forum once a week.

**Q:** So. What kind of platform does one use to contribute to this forum? Is that telegram or Discord or the other?

**A:** Yes, I used Discord.

5. **Q:** How long do you usually do activities and contribute to the online English forum, for each time or one day?

**A:** Yeah, about time, every day I am going to play for like 5 hours. Then, repeat for the next day and the next day, and so on. When I was playing the game, I would open Discord or the online forum, I think it is the same as when I play the game for 5 hours a day using Discord.

**Q:** So, I just want to make it clear. So yeah, we talk about joining the community, right? And your community is about the game. And, talking in your community is the same as when you play the game. So, you play the game while talking in your community on Discord, is that what you mean previously?

**A:** Yes, yes, because it's a technical shooter game, so we will communicate with others in Discord and voice chat, so we'll try to. Our teammates communicate through Discord to know the coordinate of the enemy.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in contributing to this forum?

**A:** I think I will skip this question. I have the same answer with my reasons as well as my motivation for joining this forum. I just want to know how people speak in real situations.

7. **Q:** How comfortable are you when contributing to online English language forums to facilitate your English learning?

**A:** Yeah, it's been a pleasure, you know I love to play the game. So yeah, it's really comfortable to join the online thing in this legal forum because I can meet people even if they come from other countries. Thanks to the affordance that the internet gives to me, I don't need to meet people in person as I mentioned before like I'm an introvert type of guy. I was shy when I talked to people in real life and I think that is really comfortable for me to join this community.

8. **Q:** What kinds of language skills do you usually get improved after contributing to an online English forum?

**A:** I play games using chat and voice chat. I think all of my language skills were improved in that session. You know, because I chat in English, I type it in English, and then I will talk and listen in English also.

9. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabulary do you usually use each time or each day you join this community?

**A:** I think when I play the game, the phrases and the vocabulary are kind of the same, you know. For example, *GG means Good Game* when people play the game in a good way. And then. I think. I think it can be 2 to 8 new vocabulary and phrases.

10. **Q:** Can you please mention five of those phrases and vocabulary here?

**A:** As I said before, mostly the phrases and the vocabulary is around the call out in the game for example *I'll pick off you* mean my teammate will pick me. And, the word *pick*, means looking at the enemy, showing my body as little as I could do. Then, *walking out*, my teammates and I walk to the middle of the map in a game or the enemy walks to the middle of the map in the game. Then. That is 3 already. Then, *b-hop* stands for Bunny hop, Bunny hop, which means I'm jumping constantly as he moves, which represents the movement of his body. So, lastly, *Doubletree*, is similar to I will pick the enemy at the same time, at the same time as my teammate, I think that's all.

**Participant 15: Alif (Pseudonym)**

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What is your name?

**A:** My name is Alif.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** I am 25.

3. **Q:** OK. How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** Since I entered the university.

**Q:** I just want to confirm your answer. Have you ever liked listening to a song in English, or watching a movie in English when you were in junior high school?

**A:** Yes, I have done that kind of activity since I was in elementary school.

4. **Q:** OK, So what kind of IDLE have you often used since you were in elementary school?

**A:** Watching the movie in English, listening to an English song.

**Q:** How about posting on social media in English?

**A:** Yes, posting on social media too. I use English to write caption for my ideas to post on my social media such as Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram.

**Q:** Do you often post on your Instagram story?

**A:** Yes, of course, almost every day, and it is mostly in English.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn in IDLE?

**A:** Yeah, mostly I got the vocabulary.

**Q:** Alright, mostly, you learned about vocabulary, then how about topical knowledge, language expression, pronunciation? How about that?

**A:** Yes, I learned grammar, pronunciation, language expressions, and topical knowledge. We have to write this down with correct grammar in our caption, right? And, topical knowledge is related to the topic or content. And, language expression, of course, I learned it too.

6. **Q:** So what did you do to remember that knowledge? Did you take your notes or something? **A:** That, when I write the caption or anything I use notes on my phone, so I like stuff like that first and then upload it.

**Q:** OK, it's all about your posting on social media, right? Yeah, but my question is still on the general IDLE. In your general IDLE, for example, you listen to music, and then after that, you try to write on your notes after you heard some idioms, maybe from the song.

**A:** Yes, I got it, actually I repeat that either it is a movie or song. Then, if I get some new words and vocabulary, I will check the dictionary also, so that I can understand and remember them.

### **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** Do you have any reason why you chose posting on social media in English as r IDLE activity?

**A:** Actually, my first reason is that I want to interact with other people, not only Indonesian but also the whole world because we can do this now. Second, yeah. People will see our posts, and we also it can reach people around the entire world. So, therefore, I give English exposure in the caption of my post.

**Q:** Is improving your English skill also part of your reason?

**A:** Yes, I also want to improve my English. Of course, yes.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for posting on social media in English?  
**A:** I think my motivation is the same as my reason, I think I will skip this question.
3. **Q:** How often do you post on social media for a week?  
**A:** 4-5 times a week including Instagram stories.
4. **Q:** Why do you often post in English for a week? Is there any interesting topic you want to share?  
**A:** Alright, it is because I want to tell my audience about my activity, and also I would like to tell my audience that I was here in that place. So, I can interact with them, and make it more interactive.
5. **Q:** how long do you spend time posting on social media each time you do this? for example for one post on your social media account until you upload it, how long?  
**A:** Actually, it's quite short, maybe 10 to 15 minutes.
6. **Q:** Why are you interested in posting on social media in English other than what you have mentioned to me previously?  
**A:** Yes, I do have a reason, I am interested in using English because it looks cool, and that's it.  
**Q:** Other than to look cool, is there still any reason?  
**A:** Other than to be so cool because my content itself it's quite different from other people. So that's why I just looked it up. So, it's related to the content itself.
7. **Q:** How comfortable are you when posting on social media in English to facilitate your English learning?  
**A:** I am quite comfortable. And, yeah, because my followers are also from another country, so I think I am very comfortable using English for my post on social media.

8. **Q:** What kinds of language skills usually improve after posting on social media in English?

**A:** Yeah, mostly speaking and listening, writing, and reading. For reading, like reading articles. And for writing, yes, I am writing my caption for my post.

**Q:** OK, I will confirm again about this question. And then you said that you have improved your listening and speaking. Can you mention what kind of activity you do until you get to improve on those skills?

**A:** I usually record myself when creating a video on social media. And, for listening, I usually check my video and listen to it repeatedly. If there is an error in pronunciation or grammar, I can retake the video until it's suitable.

9. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabulary have you been getting after posting on social media in English? For example, for one post.

**A:** Actually, it's interesting to answer. I do not usually use any unknown words in my posts. Maybe, 1 or 2 new phrases and vocabulary. Let's say, it is less than 10.

10. **Q:** Can you please mention just five phrases and vocabulary that you got from your posting activity?

**A:** First, *emotional damage*, *I am on the date with my shadow*, and then, *rock paper*.

### **C. RQ 2 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** What kinds of preparation do you usually do before posting and commenting on social media?

**A:** First, of course, I prepare the content itself. Then, I write the caption. Or, type the caption on my notes first. Then, if I think it's appropriate to the content that I upload it.

**Q:** OK, I want to ask again. How about doing research related to the topic that you're interested in? Is that part of your preparation?



**A:** Actually. Yes, because you know, we have to know what kind of trend is on social media so we can interact with them and get their attention.

**Q:** How about searching in your dictionary for unfamiliar word vocabulary that you don't know yet like you try to find an appropriate word for your caption?

**A:** Actually, I don't have to because I usually take the familiar word for my post.

2. **Q:** OK, I'll move to the next question then. How did you learn new vocabularies, grammar patterns, and language expressions from your posting and commenting activities in English on social media?

**A:** Yeah. Just like I did before, I took notes. Then, I checked the words in the dictionary.

3. **Q:** OK, How did you learn new knowledge related to English, for example, new information facts, news from your posting, and commenting activities?

**A:** I read the information first and then find it. What are you making? Sunday. Article. So I am I I I tried to find the main topic.

4. **Q:** Did you record or take notes while posting and commenting in English on social media? **A:** Yes, I do.

5. **Q:** My next question, did you read your notes after posting and commenting in English on social media?

**A:** Yes, I did.

**Q:** Do you always read your notes or just sometimes?

**A:** Yes, just sometimes. I just read an important topic.

6. **Q:** OK, how did you apply what you have learned from posting and commenting using English and social media into practice?

**A:** Actually, I will apply it in every conversation.

**Q:** Do you apply it in daily conversation, or through online media like texting your friends? **A:** Yes, sometimes I do text in English. Sometimes I just talk to my friends face to face.

**Q:** How about using it in the written form, for example in your college life, did you use some vocabularies that you have learned on your posting in English activity?

**A:** Yes, of course, I have learned a lot of vocabulary, so I could use my knowledge to write the task or assignment in my college.

7. **Q:** How often do you use linguistic features that you got from posting and commenting in English?

**A:** Alright, quite often. Five times a week, approximately.

8. **Q:** How often do you use new knowledge from posting and commenting on activities using English in your English learning? It's about new vocabulary.

**A:** You know, whenever I get new knowledge, I use it. So, it's quite often.

**Q:** OK, so is it the same frequency with the use of linguistic features? Is that right?

**A:** Yes, yes, correct.

**Participant 16: Nada** (Pseudonym)

**A. Demographic Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** So what is your name?

**A:** OK, so my name is Nada.

2. **Q:** How old are you?

**A:** I am 21.

3. **Q:** How long have you been doing IDLE?

**A:** Since I've been preparing to become a future teacher.

**Q:** How about, OK, let's say when you were in Junior High School, have you been listening to music, watching a movie in English, music in English? Did you do this activity? Because this kindness activity is part of IDLE.

**A:** Yes, of course. So, my answer is since Junior High school, I have already watched a movie in English and listened to music in English.

4. **Q:** What kind of IDLE activity do you often do?

**A:** Obviously, watching a movie. Watching movies is the best.

**Q:** How about joining the English community based on your interest? Is that often?

**A:** Yes, I did it as well.

5. **Q:** What kind of knowledge do you usually learn from your IDLE activity?

**A:** Vocabulary, pronunciation, and also, language expression. And yeah, grammar as well.

**Q:** So, how about topical knowledge? For example, you are interested in education and try to search about student psychology and read an article or watch a video about it. Have you got that knowledge?

**A:** Oh yes, of course, by finding out some strategies or methods that adjust to the student's level.

6. **Q:** What did you do to remember that knowledge, for example, taking notes, and many other activities?

**A:** Really, I love to take notes to memorize or remember the vocabularies that I got from the Internet. Or maybe some resources. (additional interview)

**Q:** How about using it in verbal or written sentences like the knowledge that you got from IDLE?

**A:** I think I did, like, check the meaning in the dictionary, saying or repeating a couple of times and using it in verbal and written sentences, like texting, when I keep in touch with my friends.

## **B. RQ 1 Questions and Answers:**

1. **Q:** So, do you have any reason why you choose contributing to an online English forum as your IDLE activities?

**A:** Because I thought that by contributing to the online English language I could enrich my skill, especially in learning English as a foreign language or maybe in the future as a second language.

**Q:** Do you have any reason, like, for example, you want to find an overseas friend, and then want to know their culture and so on?

**A:** Yes, actually I'm interested to know the culture of foreign people like America, Australia, and many others. I thought that was interesting to learn further about the culture. And then I have a dream to study abroad. So, that maybe could be one of the reasons why I contribute to the online English forum.

**Q:** May I know the name of the platform or the community that you have joined?

**A:** Yes, of course, I can share with you. So, I have joined forums like ICEE. I do believe that you have heard about this forum. So, I joined this forum in the fifth semester. So, I learned a lot about what you mentioned before, about their culture, and then the way the tutors or mentors taught us very good strategies or methods. That's all. Yeah, I thought that I learned a lot from this forum.

**Q:** Other than ICEE, are you joining any online forum again? For example, joining a forum on Telegram that uses English related to the culture or information about studying abroad, maybe.

**A:** For now, I am not joining any forum, but I have planned for it. Because I'm the future teacher who will teach about English subjects. So yeah, I will enrich my experience by joining the English forum in the future.

2. **Q:** What is your motivation for contributing to the online English forum?

**A:** I thought that the reason is the same as the previous question.

3. **Q:** So how often do you contribute to online learning online English forums for a week?

**A:** For now, I am not joining any online English forum because my focus right now is on teaching English, not joining any English forum anymore.

**Q:** OK, let's go back to your experience when you joined ICEE. For one week, how many times have you joined ICEE?

**A:** So, there were twice. It has two meetings a week. For the first meeting, the other one was to focus on the study group, and the other one was about discussing the general topic, but in the corner class. Then, in the second class, we will learn about a specific topic. We will discuss hobbies, culture, foods, and many others.

**Q:** Is that held online or just face to face on campus?

**A:** It's online this year, but uh, this month, uh, there will be an English Camp. It is also from ICEE, and it's online. But I don't have any intention or motivation to join it because I have another schedule.

4. **Q:** How long do you usually contribute to ICEE for one session?

**A:** It will take one hour in the main class, and then for the English corner it will be one hour.

5. **Q:** Why do you rarely or only twice a week join this community? Is that because of the schedule from the forum?

**A:** Yes.

6. **Q:** Why are you interested in contributing to the online English language forum?

**A:** Because I'm an English language education student, I had to enrich my experience and join some forums like this. Another motivation is because when I heard from my friend that I feel this is one of the good forums to learn English or I have interest in joining this forum, that's why I joined this forum. I learned a lot from the way they teach me and also enrich my opinion about how we conduct learning. So besides, giving games without a tutor also allows the students to actively participate in the discussion. So I thought that this forum is what you mentioned before, it gives me space to be comfortable and then

express everything that I thought in my mind and it also provides us the opportunity to pronounce some words that we never know and we never see the word. Yeah, because in each meeting, the teacher from the ICE always tries to enrich our vocabulary, and then allow us to pronounce some words. And then, the best thing that I could observe is that they always try to conduct student-centered learning. So yeah, I thought that this is the main reason why this forum is very recommended for those who are looking for an online English forum to improve their English skill. So far, ICEE is the most comfortable place to learn English.

7. I got your point about it. So, I will not ask you the next question, which is about how comfortable you are because obviously, you are very comfortable in this forum, right?

**A:** Yes, that's right.

8. **Q:** What kind of language skills do you get improved after contributing to an online forum?

**A:** This is what I mentioned before, like reading, writing, listening, and speaking. So, I can get all my English skills.

9. **Q:** How many new phrases and vocabulary that you've been getting after contributing to ICEE for one meeting? You may mention the approximate number.

**A:** I have to tell you that this is the best one as well. Yeah. So, after we learn in 60 minutes to 90 minutes, there will be a path for us to discuss, and it depends on our interests. From this, we have to list some vocabulary that we learned in one meeting. We can put as many as we know and as many as we learn from the class. And, I forget about the numbers. But, I thought I had enriched so much vocabulary when I joined ICEE. Then maybe you can put around more than 100 because we have so many topics in the general class and also the corner class.

10. **Q:** Can you just mention 5 of those phrases and vocabulary?

**A:** For the phrases, like *I feel you* exchange the expression of I understand you and then hit *me up* or text me. And then, *to feel blue*, to express, to feel sad. And then, when you said to your friend, please give me the update of the information you can say, *keep me posted*. And then after that, you can say, very soon in another way by saying *in no time*. And then you can say I'm tired or exhausted by saying *that tire* or maybe like lately someone will say *burn out* like that. That's for the phrases, and then for the vocabulary. I'm so sorry that I forgot about it.

#### ADDITIONAL INTERVIEW:

1. Q: In a previous interview, you mentioned that you took notes, then, do you read your notes after that?
2. PF16: Obviously yes. it aims to review that I got

#### Appendix 5. Interview Coding Analysis 1

##### Preparations

Theme	Sub-Theme	Excerpts	Total	Total Excerpt
Well-prepared	Preparing gadgets/ devices/ tools	OK, my preparation, I do prepare some notes, stationeries of course, and my phone also because I like to type the new words, vocabulary, or phrases that I	3 Females	3 excerpts

		<p>got from the English Forum activities. So yeah, that was only my preparation. (Putri)</p>		
		<p>...and also use the Internet since I am using an online platform. Then, I have to get ready for the nervousness that I've got (Jyoti)</p>		
		<p>Good Internet connection and good device. I'm not taking notes or preparing some notes because there is already a</p>		



		translation feature in the game. (Ayu)		
Do no preparation	Do not preparation for leisure activity	I'm doing video chat in English when I'm lying on the bed. So, I think there is no preparation that I do before doing this activity. (Adi)  I just prepare nice clothes and also use the Internet since I am using an online platform. Then, I have to get ready for the nervousness that I've got. because, you know when you start, you	2 Males / 1 Female	3 excerpts

		<p>just got the next person as well as talking with them in real-time. So, it will help me to build my confidence even when I am talking in English. (Jyoti)</p> <p>But, before I login to the game, I just listen to music. Just that I think there is no kind of preparation like preparing a dictionary or something like that. (Bayu)</p>		
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## While doing IDLE

Theme	Sub-Theme	Excerpts	Total	Total excerpts
Learning vocabulary/language expressions/new knowledge	Taking notes	<p>so that I'll remember it and after that, I will take some notes or I will type in the phone directly (Putri)</p> <p>Yes, I did take some notes. Yeah, usually type it on the phone or take notes with my pen and paper. So, I do record [information from English community], but it is more taking notes or typing on</p>	4 Males / 7 Females	16 excerpts

		<p>the phone. (Putri)</p> <p>Then, when I listen to the music I just remember the music and the singer, and what they sing. And after that, if I find any new words or vocabulary, I will write it down in my notes (Agus)</p> <p>Really, I love to take notes to memorize or remember the vocabularies that I got from the Internet. (Nada)</p>		
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		<p>I remember the new vocabularies that I got, and then sometimes I take a note. (Adi)</p>	
		<p>and sometimes I also take note of the new vocabulary and the new knowledge that I got. (Adi)</p>	
		<p>...then I take notes. I write about the new vocabulary and then the meaning of the vocabulary. (Adi)</p>	

		<p>And sometimes I just take notes. And to be honest at that time. I usually write. I don't know. I cannot say like Diaries, but I love to, you know, take notes on the phones and just take pictures and you can write the description that you feel at that time. So, for example, when my favorite singer released a song, then I would write about it and how I feel, and at that</p>	
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		<p>time I don't care about the grammar because I keep it to myself. So, I think that is the way that I've learned English consciously. (Jyoti)</p> <p>...but sometimes I take notes. (Emi)</p> <p>And about taking notes, just sometimes I do that. I also use it in my diary. (Fadila)</p> <p>OK, I sometimes take notes, but</p>	
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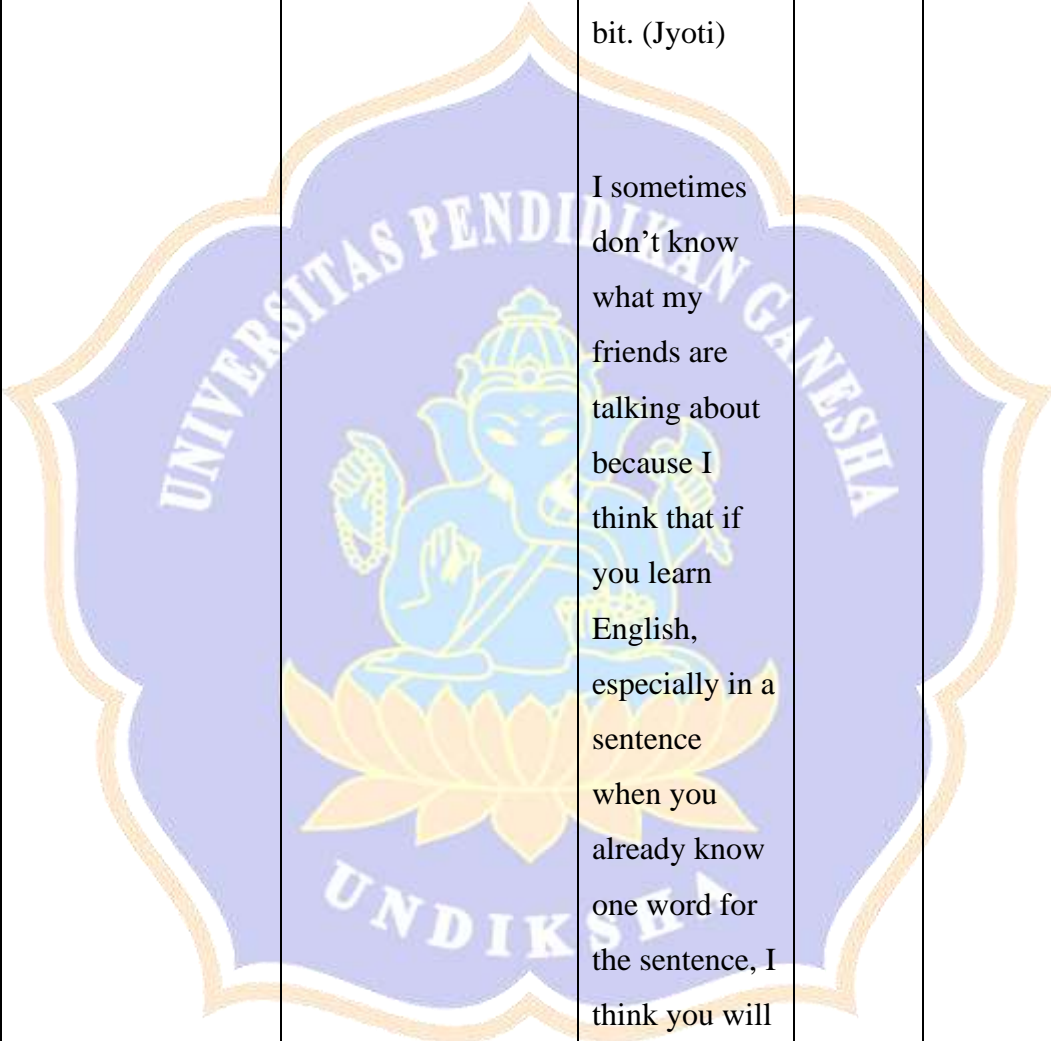
		<p>sometimes... (Ayu)</p> <p>Does the screenshot count as taking notes? I usually take a note of it, but you know in picture mode. (Reza)</p> <p>Yes, it was, but I don't do it anymore. So, I did it in the past very often as well as checking the dictionary. I think it was already 10 pages at that time. (Rara)</p> <p>It was since I was in middle school which is Junior High</p>	
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		<p>School when I became a fan of my direction. I often take notes for that time and then I'm done and I don't do it anymore when I became a Senior High School student. (Rara)</p> <p>Yeah. Just like I did before, I took notes. (Alif)</p> <p>Yes, I do. [taking notes] (Alif)</p>		
	Consulting on dictionary/Translating	I will try to translate them (Agus)	5 Males / 6	16 excerpts

		<p>I think I did, like, check the meaning in the dictionary (Nada)</p> <p>like when I got the new vocabulary, the first thing that I do is check in the dictionary and then I take notes. I write about the new vocabulary and then the meaning of the vocabulary. (Adi)</p> <p>I like the first one, I check the meaning in the dictionary so</p>	<p>Female s</p>	
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		<p>that I can understand the meaning of the new vocabulary that I got. (Adi)</p>		
		<p>So at that time I needed a dictionary and google translate when I didn't understand English. I use Google Translate but it came out a little bit weird in Indonesia, so I started to find the meaning just on Google. For example, try to find what is the meaning in it and the idioms that I</p>		

		<p>found. It led me to read the definition in English, so I think I've learned about the culture a bit. (Jyoti)</p>	
		<p>I sometimes don't know what my friends are talking about because I think that if you learn English, especially in a sentence when you already know one word for the sentence, I think you will understand the rest of them. So, there's one time when I've read the</p>	

		<p>sentence or they're replaying a message that my friend sent to me and I don't understand one of them. And then I start to try to find what is the meaning of one of the words and then after I find the meaning, and then I get the point, and I replay it. And I got like, Oh my answer was right because after it I found it on Google. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Yeah, yeah, I am still there.</p>	
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		<p>And I just say, 'just wait a minute, I think I need to find the meaning'. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Well, when I'm in Senior High School, I used to use Google Translate for some words. I mean, it's not about Google Translate. I also try to find the meaning in Indonesia, you know? So I try when my friends from overseas say something that I don't understand about the words, then I</p>	
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		<p>try to find it on Google. I just used Google a lot. (Bayu)</p> <p>Then, I moved to Google, to try to find it. And then I use Google Translate to try to find a vocabulary. (Bayu)</p> <p>When I'm not understanding the meaning, I usually use Google Translate and a machine translator. (Emi)</p> <p>but I did look at the dictionary</p>		
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		<p>when I encounter new vocabulary, then I would search for them in the dictionary. (Aditya)</p> <p>...you know, because when I play the game and don't understand the meaning, I can translate the English message through the translation feature in that game. So, if there is a conversation in English or someone texts me in English through the chat box, I can</p>	
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		<p>use the translation feature directly to translate the message. (Ayu)</p> <p>I also try to check the meaning in the dictionary when I don't know new terms or vocabulary. (Rara)</p> <p>For me when I see words that I have never listened to or read before, I always search them up in Internet Google, and then sometimes I</p>	
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		<p>also use the Twitter search bar and then search on the Internet to know what the meaning of the new vocabulary or idiom that I got from posting and commenting on the social media. (Rita)</p> <p>Then, if I get some new words and vocabulary, I will check the dictionary also, so that I can understand and remember them. (Alif)</p> <p>Then, I checked the</p>	
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		words in the dictionary. (Alif)		
	Listening from the native speakers	I did learn from discussions and conversations, and I also learned new vocabularies, new language expressions, and new words from coaches. So, I do learn by listening [using zoom]. Listen to it. Listen to what people say. (Putri)  My first IDLE was to listen to English songs. (Putri)	5 Males / 7 Female s	20 excerpts

		<p>And also, I watch the videos [YouTube] by listening to what the person is speaking. (Putra)</p> <p>Well it is because, when people mention it repeatedly, it will start this sort of subconscious kind of thing, and my mind will just remember that. I can remember the particular word or vocabulary as what is being meant by the</p>	
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		<p>speaker itself. (Putra)</p> <p>I learn a lot about new vocabularies, words, phrases, and idioms. And, I think that I learn the accent when I listen to music, watch movies, and play games. (Agus)</p> <p>Actually, it would be pronunciation because I heard songs and also the way my favorite singer and also the interviewer talk. (Jyoti)</p>	
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		<p>...and also, by the songs I start to learn unconsciously . Learn unconsciously because sometimes the song contains an idiom. (Jyoti)</p> <p>And about pronunciation s. I used to listen to music and sing songs. Maybe I learned a lot of pronunciation from the music. And also, from playing games because some people from overseas speak English and then I listen to it. I</p>	
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		<p>learned from how they speak, I mean how they pronounce the words and grammar. (Bayu)</p>	
		<p>Maybe from movies, music, and games. Especially for games with simple grammar like a simple present, simple past tense, or future tense. I learned from the games because they speak English and because we had a chat in the game. (Bayu)</p>	

		<p>Just like what I mentioned before, I learn vocabulary from listening to my friends. My friends will say something that I couldn't understand. (Bayu)</p> <p>Oh yeah, sometimes I watch a movie without any subtitles and listen to music because I like it. (Emi)</p> <p>Yes, I'd love to watch videos on YouTube about technology specifically</p>		
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		<p>about computers, and also I'd love to watch movies on YouTube. There are lots of videos on YouTube. (Aditya)</p> <p>And also, when I watch a movie, sometimes I learn pronunciation and also include grammar, which as sentence patterns. (Aditya)</p> <p>Yes, I am usually listening to music in English when</p>	
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		<p>I work on my assignment or my project, I usually listen to English music. (Fadila)</p>		
		<p>I am watching the movie in English and listening to music in English to sharpen my language learning, especially in English. (Ayu)</p>		
		<p>And the grammar pattern, I just learn ordinary English from the instruction of the game. (Ayu)</p>		

		<p>I usually listen to music and then I use chat and then video chat. (Rara)</p>	
		<p>Yes, I listen to music in English too. (Rita)</p>	
		<p>Yeah, it's getting different because I often watch English movies without subtitles so I can know how to understand when they're native speakers speaking in English. (Rita)</p>	

		Watching the movie in English, listening to an English song. (Alif)		
	Finding more information	I did find some information about it, so it might tell some language expressions. Yeah, I will find some information about that language expression (Putri)  Yeah, sometimes I ask my friend. And I also asked my coach, but I usually do	4 Males / 7 Female s	22 excerpts

		<p>some research myself too, so it's like a combination of those things. Until I find new facts, information, and something else (Putri)</p> <p>OK, in doing an assignment, we got a lot of information. So, we research this information. So, I think while video chatting in English, especially in the context we discuss the assignment or we discuss</p>	
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		<p>particular information, we do research like exploring the Internet or Google. (Adi)</p> <p>...and read some articles that related to my favorite singer and read some news in English about what my favorite singers currently do. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Um, actually from the video chatting I learned about culture a lot since I often share what's</p>		
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		<p>happening in our country. So, since she lives in a different country, there may be so many cultures that I just know she lived in France and I just recently watched Emily in Paris. I often asked her about the news in Paris. Is that? Is that true? For example, so, I ask about culture a lot. And also, new information like, what you can do in Paris and what you cannot do in Paris or</p>	
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		<p>France, something kind of like that. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Topical knowledge, maybe I learned from the book, maybe the philosophy books. A lot of reading philosophical books. I mean, when I'm in college I read a lot of philosophical books in English. (Bayu)</p> <p>Like what I said before. I think the last time that I remember is meeting</p>	
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		<p>people from Japan. So, there's particular information like, I love watching anime and reading manga. So, I asked for information like what kind of Manga and Anime trends in Japan. (Bayu)</p> <p>Do you know BBC Learning English? I learned from that to get much knowledge about it. It's not about Japanese culture, but it's about the</p>	
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		<p>culture in America, like how they live and many others. (Emi)</p> <p>Yes, I would say yes, because when I watch a new series of movies, for example, Avengers, I would search more about Avengers. So, I will do a little research about the themes of the movies, the series of the movies, and also the information about the actors and actresses. (Aditya)</p>		
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		<p>I usually read the use of English like the idioms, then find references or inspirations [to be posted on social media], and how to use the language. (Fadila)</p> <p>I usually find an article to inspire me to teach English. And also, find information about human resources. (Fadila)</p>		
		<p>I think this game give me topical knowledge. this game is.</p>		

		<p>Like I have to search lots of videos of shout casters. This game is well known in the world and there are lots of tournaments held. So, I Have to watch and play the game to get a lot of knowledge related to shout caster. (Ayu)</p> <p>I can understand the instructions in the game but not the item. Usually, each item has a different role in defeating the enemy,</p>	
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		<p>but I still can play the game by just using one item. And then, I will ask my friends and find on YouTube about the meaning of the item after the game is over. (Ayu)</p> <p>Now I know that I get the information about them, for example, how old they are, etc. (Rara)</p> <p>[But do you try to find more about the country, like the culture of the country that</p>	
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		<p>they lived in?]          Yes, I do.          (Rara)</p> <p>It's more          about reading          the literature,          information          related to the          country, and          the music.          (Rara)</p> <p>Oh yeah,          sometimes,          when I find          something          that I want to          understand, I          look for the          article in          English and          then read the          article. (Rita)</p> <p>I want to          improve my          writing, and          sometimes my          speaking and</p>		
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		<p>reading.          Reading a certain article on the topic that I am interested in.          (Rita)</p> <p>OK, so as I mentioned before I often search for the right fact when I post on social media and comment on social media. So, I research before I post and comment.          (Rita)</p> <p>[And then how about the language expression?]          So, usually I opened and searched it on</p>	
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		<p>Google, but sometimes I also asked my friend what that's been I mentioned before that I have a friend that speaks in English too, and sometimes, I do share with her about the English. (Rita)</p> <p>OK, for the new knowledge, I learned it from the article that I read before while I was posting and commenting on social media. I got a lot of new facts and new</p>	
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		<p>information about certain topics. (Rita)</p> <p>I read the information first and then find it. So, I tried to find the main topic. (Alif)</p>		
	Reading notes	<p>Yes, I did, but I also forgot to read about it. Yeah, sometimes I forget. And then, try to do it again. (Putri)</p> <p>Yes, of course, I read my note. So, when or whenever I feel like it, I mean I need those words. So, I open the</p>	<p>2 Males / 6 Females</p>	<p>8 excerpts</p>

		<p>notes that I have. (Adi)</p> <p>Of course, I always read what I have write, then I found the meaning on the internet and if it seems weird, I often pay attention to the context then find the suitable meaning. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Yeah, I mean the notes are pasted in a place that I often see. So, I must have accidentally recalled the notes. (Emi)</p>		
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		<p>Yes, only after I play the game.</p> <p>Because the notes are not that much.</p> <p>Only vocabulary, so it's not hard enough to remember.</p> <p>(Ayu)</p>		
		<p>Yes,</p> <p>I read it very often at the time.</p> <p>Whenever I forget a vocab in English, or whenever I want to know the meaning of a vocabulary in Bahasa, I'll look back at my notes.</p> <p>(Rara)</p>		

		<p>Yes, just sometimes. I just read an important topic. (Alif)</p> <p>Obviously yes. It aims to review what I got. (Nada)</p>		
	<p>Copying/imitating/repeating</p>	<p>saying or repeating a couple of times (Nada)</p> <p>...and repeat them a couple of times. (Adi)</p> <p>Because the idiom that I've learned as I've said before, it comes from</p>	<p>6 Males/ 6 Females</p>	<p>13 excerpts</p>

		<p>the songs. So, whenever I find or I am curious about the meaning, I start to remember unconsciously by singing the song so it can be a repetition. (Jyoti)</p> <p>Saying, repeating a couple of times, maybe I will do that. You know, like singing a song maybe because, you know. I listen to hip hop music and I used to sing hip hop music and that's why I tried to</p>	
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		<p>say everything a couple of times for some kind of language expression. (Bayu)</p>	
		<p>usually do that [repeating] or perhaps sometimes. (Emi)</p> <p>And also repeating something. I do remember when watching movies entitled Transformers, the first Transformers, and Optimus Prime said some</p>	

		<p>sentences at the end. Then, I repeated it all the time because I was amazed by that movie. And I would say it is verbal because I repeat it. (Aditya)</p> <p>So I'm listening to sentences or utterances they say, and also practice by repeating the same utterance. (Aditya)</p> <p>Yes, I do repeat a couple of times. Yes, I did it. It's just funny to</p>	
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		<p>pronounce and repeat words that I haven't known. And also, when we play the game, we can open the mic and speak, and all of the team can hear it because they can pronounce it, so it's very fun. I sometimes learned how to pronounce the name of the hero or character.</p> <p>(Ayu)</p> <p>Of course, I sing it all the time, because I like music.</p> <p>(Rara)</p>	
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		<p>I Often watch the video with or without subtitles then I repeat what the speaker is speaking and then yeah, I learned the pronunciation. (Rita)</p> <p>I am more into reading, and I just maybe say and repeat it a couple of times and I said it in my daily life. (Rita)</p> <p>Yes, I got it, actually I repeat that either it is a movie or song. (Alif)</p>	
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		<p>I just repeated the same word like maybe if they spoke like this, like that and.</p> <p>(Putra)</p>		
Applying the knowledge	Communicating with others	<p>I always talk with my friends or try to build a discussion with my friend after class [using zoom]. So, it's mostly talking with my friends and trying to discuss our material or what we have learned from that English forum. (Putri)</p>	<p>8 Males / 4 Females</p>	23 excerpts

		<p>Well, I certainly use this for speaking with my overseas friends through the internet using English. it's not like I basically could meet them, but yeah, I speak with them virtually. It's actually needed while doing video games because we need to communicate with our teammates and stuff, so certainly we have to learn about English and learn to speak. (Putra)</p>	
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		<p>... and try to speak about a certain thing. (Putra)</p> <p>And yeah, Play games, yeah, I would use that. I will use it to communicate with my friends in the game. (Agus)</p> <p>Yes, yes, because it's a technical shooter game, so we will communicate with others in Discord and voice chat, so we'll try to. Our teammates communicate through</p>		
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		<p>Discord to know the coordinate of the enemy. (Agus)</p> <p>So, I apply it when I speak English with my friends. (Adi)</p> <p>I often talk in English with my friends. Even though, I mean it can be from just regular chatting or while we're on the phone or while we have a meeting, or when we see face to face. (Jyoti)</p>	
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		<p>We talk a lot and also sometimes we can improve our confidence even though there are some mistakes, maybe grammatically , but I don't care since I have that confidence to talk in English and also the partners that I'm talking with understand what I'm saying. [through video chat] (Jyoti)</p>		
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		<p>I often use online video conferences to chat and talk with my friends and teacher through Zoom, Google Meet, and also Discord. (Raka)</p> <p>Uh, usually I talk with my friends for the vital moments about the events that happen these days. And also, assignments or tasks that my friend and I find difficult. So, I discuss it with my friends, and we might find the</p>	
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		<p>solutions to solve it together.</p> <p>[online through video conference]</p> <p>(Raka)</p>		
		<p>Honestly, yes, I will talk in the vital moments if there is free time. It's like three times a week. [online through video conference]</p> <p>(Raka)</p>		
		<p>Oh. It can do it directly and I can do that through Zoom, or Google meet. So, it helps me to communicate directly with</p>		



		<p>my friends. (Raka)</p> <p>We talk together and we often express our emotions via video chat by using the English language. (Raka)</p> <p>I learned a lot of grammar in school, but I try to improve what I have learned from school in the Games because I tried to speak English in the games. (Bayu)</p> <p>How can I apply what I have learned?</p>	
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		<p>I think I will apply it to the class when we should speak English in a presentation or something like that.</p> <p>Maybe I apply some language expressions or some kind of vocabulary that I've learned.</p> <p>(Bayu)</p> <p>I remember I played the game a lot because I met people from Japan, you know. And then, because I love Japanese culture, I talk a lot about Japanese</p>	
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		<p>culture with them. There are four people from Japan that I met in my game. So, I talk a lot about the culture in Japan, something like that. So that's why I spend a lot of time playing the game, not only playing the game but also having a chit-chat with them. (Bayu)</p> <p>And sometimes, I talk with my friends and with my family in English on</p>	
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		<p>WhatsApp or telegram like discussing a movie with my friends. Kind of that. (Fadila)</p> <p>Yes, I did it when talking about the game, some cooking styles, or maybe just about how they take baths, and the activities that they do when they're cold. And then I know that they take a bath or maybe swim only one time a day. So yeah, I usually talk about topical knowledge,</p>	
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		<p>but not so intensely because I only met people or people who use that kind of language topic at a specific time.</p> <p>[CULTURE]</p> <p>(Reza)</p> <p>...And also, I can say that I have a friend that talks in English too. So sometimes I talk with her in English.</p> <p>(Rita)</p> <p>I often apply it in my speaking skill, I always, when I find a new vocabulary and I use it</p>	
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		<p>when I speak so I can know what the meaning is, and clearly know how to place the words that I want to use when I speak. (Rita)</p> <p>When I say I use it when I speak then it is mean that I usually talk with others, for example, I talk with my friend who also like to speak English like me. (Rita)</p> <p>I will apply it in every conversation. (Alif)</p>	
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		Sometimes I just talk to my friends face to face. (Alif)		
	Chatting in English	I often use linguistic features, yeah, when I'm chatting. Mostly if we talk about certain things or certain topics that need a lot of new phrases or some advanced vocabulary. So, it mostly happens when we talk about certain things or specific things. (Putri)	4 Males / 2 Female s	7 excerpts

		<p>Maybe I'll try to write something [on an online forum] (Putra)</p> <p>You know, because I chat in English [on a game forum], I type it in English (Agus)</p> <p>...sometimes I chatted with my friends using a bit of English. (Fadila)</p> <p>Like when I want to send a wish for someone who has his or her birthday I</p>	
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		<p>tried to use another language like not 'happy birthday' but 'happy level up'. I just like to try other language expressions, so it's not like just the ordinary ones. So, that's one way I improve my vocabulary by using other English expressions. (Fadila)</p> <p>Maybe Using typing on the phone to chat with them. I usually chat with them and bring up some topics. Chatting with</p>	
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		<p>them in English and using some slang language, acronym, or others. (Reza)</p> <p>Yes, sometimes I do text in English. (Alif)</p>		
	<p>Writing captions/simple descriptions/ quotes</p>	<p>And if doing the assignment, I also expressed it in my speaking and written context. (Adi)</p> <p>And I also recently started to, you know, I'm not brave enough to write a caption in English</p>	<p>4 Males / 3 Females</p>	<p>11 excerpts</p>

		<p>because I'm afraid that many people will judge my grammar. But these days I try to have that confidence and try to write the caption. So, whenever I post a picture on Instagram, I am trying my best to have to write the caption and also pay attention to the grammar. (Jyoti)</p> <p>And the things that I still do from junior high school as I mentioned before. Now, I</p>	
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		<p>still write mini notes about, for example, what is happening with my favorite singer or the hot news of my favorite singer with my own words. And still, I keep it to myself. Yeah, I think that's. (Jyoti)</p> <p>but I wrote a lot of quotes that I have learned from Anime and Manga that I watch and listen to. I tried to quote what they say. I put it on my laptop or my phone just to remind</p>		
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		<p>myself. It's like motivation for myself. (Bayu)</p>		
		<p>For example, when I write captions. It helps me with writing skills and also reading skills because I tried to put the words from my mind into written form. (Aditya)</p>		
		<p>When I was in Senior High School, I usually posted on social media using English. (Fadila)</p>		

		<p>Sometimes I write a caption in English and also write a comment in English. If there are cool video games from overseas people, they are mostly content creators. (Ayu)</p> <p>About the writing, I already apply it when I join the giveaway and I have to write a short analysis related to the game played by the player. (Ayu)</p>	
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		<p>I use English to write captions for my ideas to post on my social media such as Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram.</p> <p>(Alif)</p> <p>I prepare the content itself. Then, I write the caption. Or, type the caption on my notes first. Then, if I think it's appropriate to the content I upload it.</p> <p>(Alif)</p> <p>Yes, of course, I have learned a lot of vocabulary,</p>	
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		so I could use my knowledge to write the task or assignment in my college. (Alif)		
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Appendix 6. Documentation 1



Figure 1 Bukti Melakukan IDLE



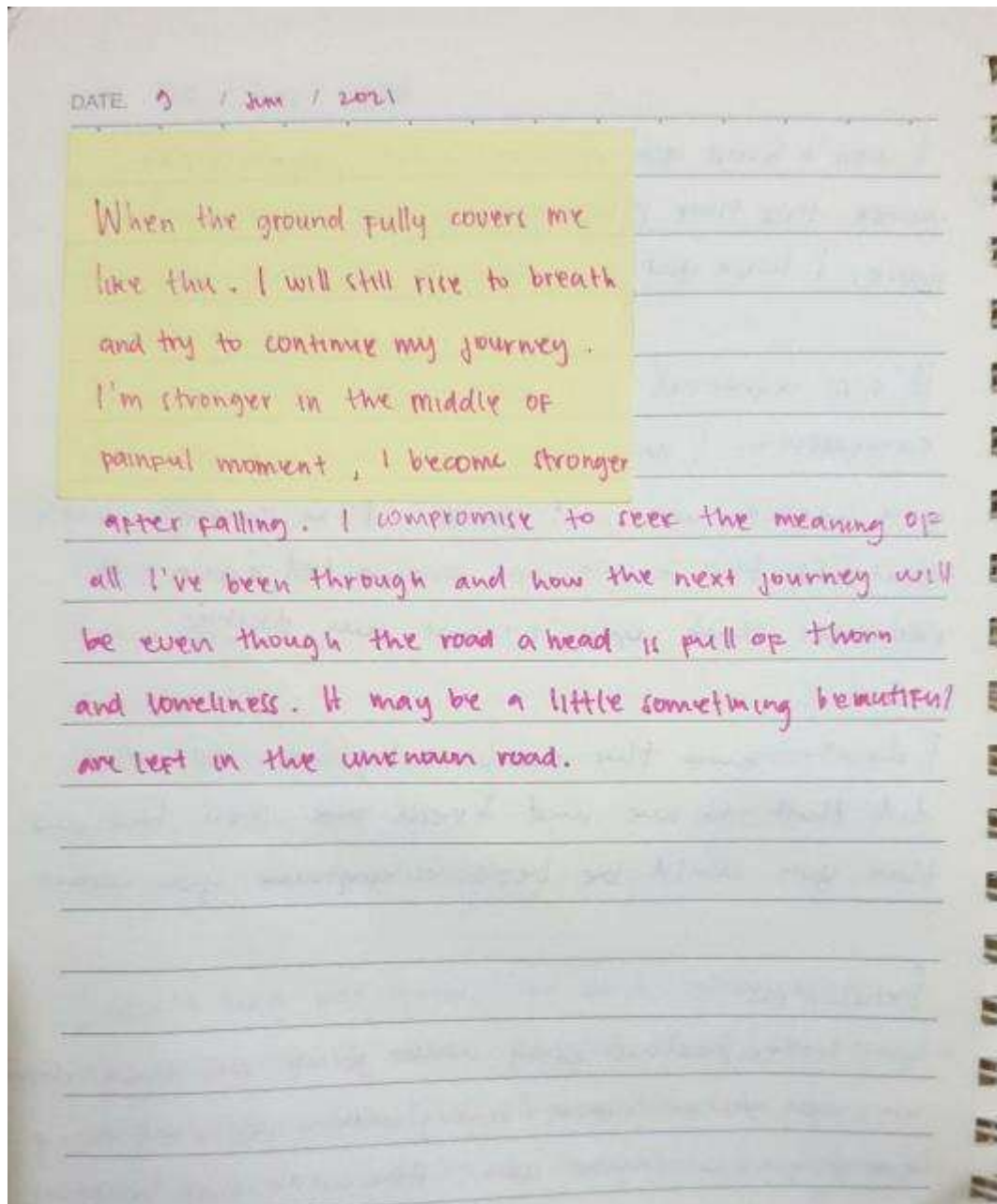


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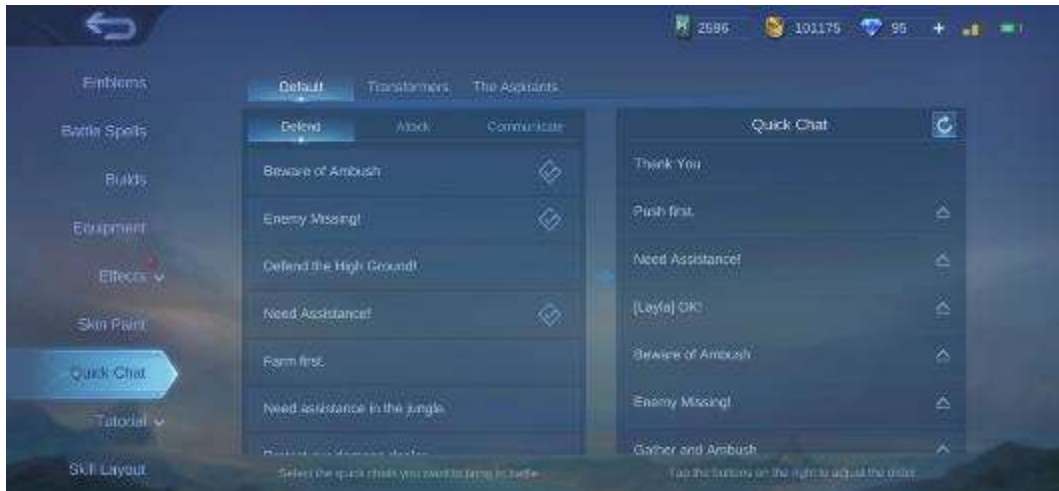


Figure 3 Bukti Melakukan IDLE



Figure 4 Bukti Melakukan IDLE



Figure 5 Bukti Melakukan IDLE



Figure 6 Bukti Melakukan IDLE





Figure 7. Bukti Melakukan IDLE





figure 8 *Bukti Melakukan IDLE*

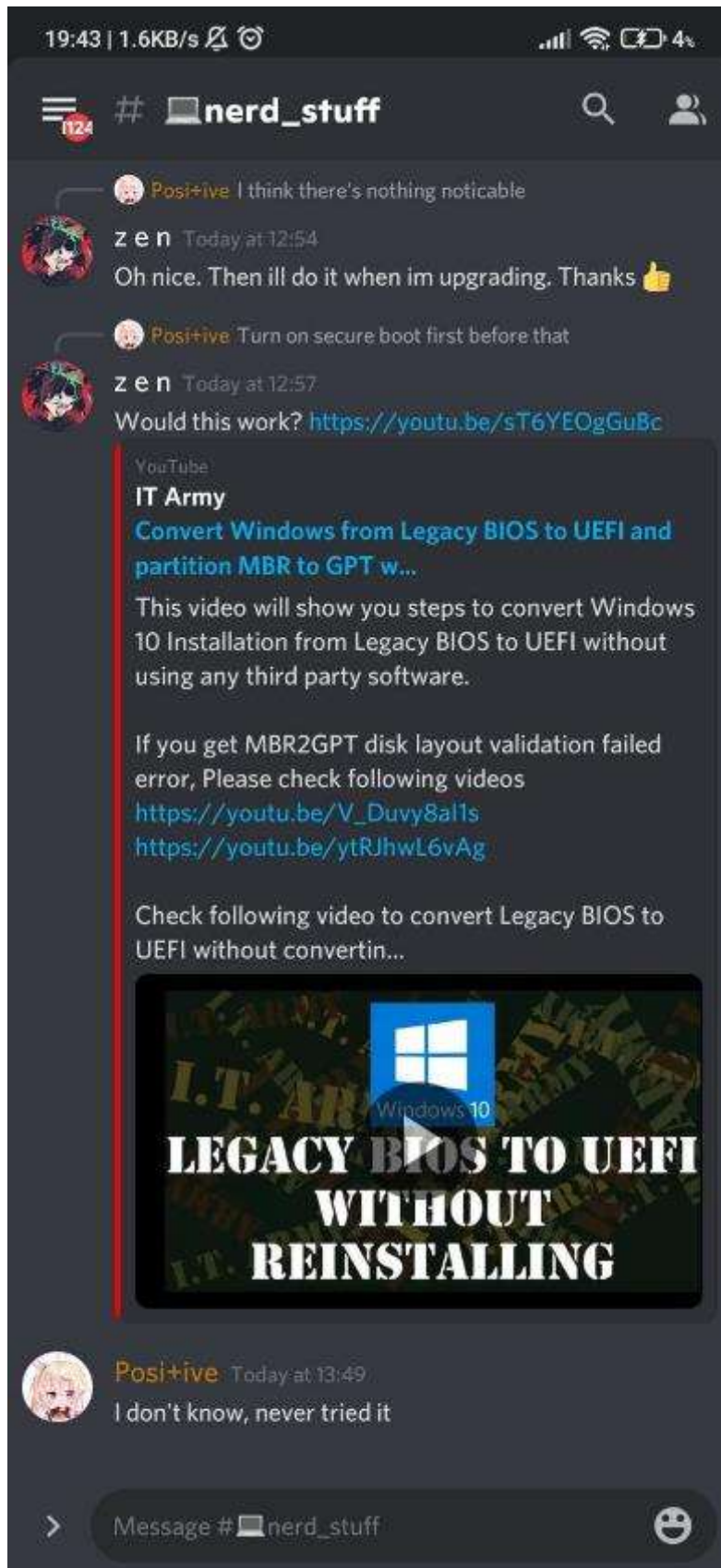


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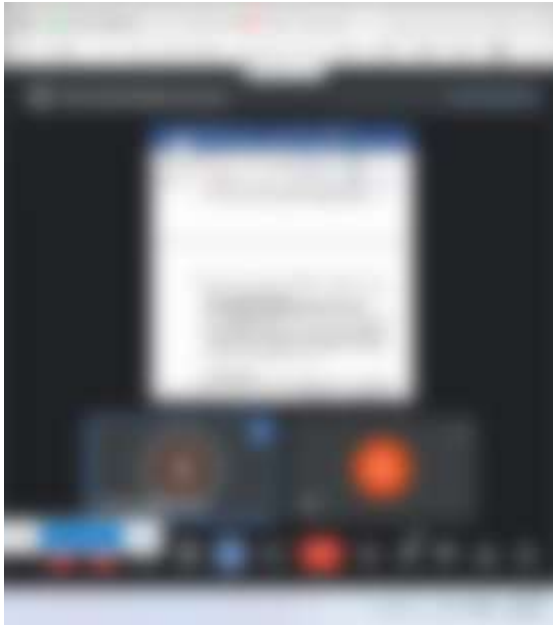


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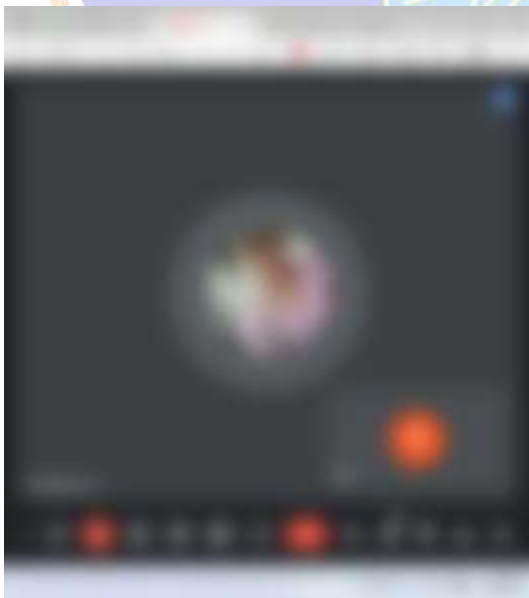




Figure 11 Bukti Melakukan IDLE



*Figure 12 Interview*



*Figure 13 Interview*



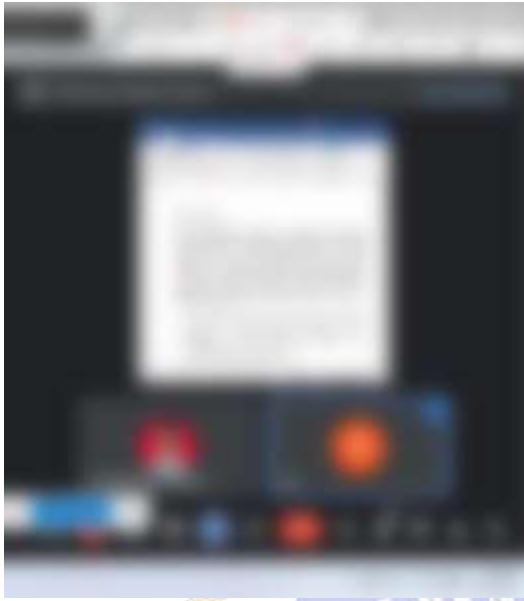


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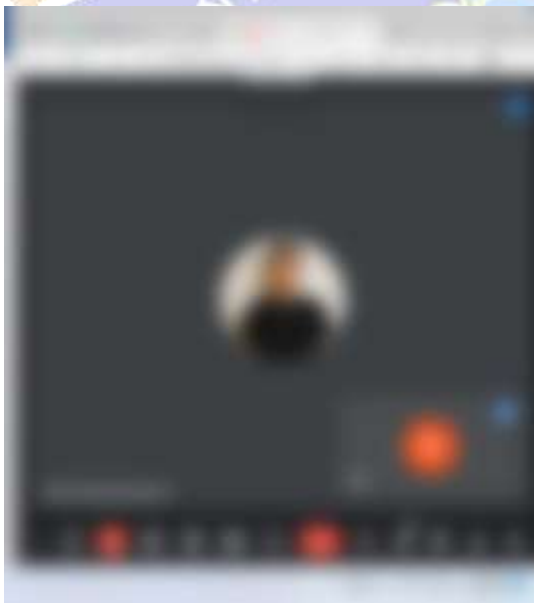
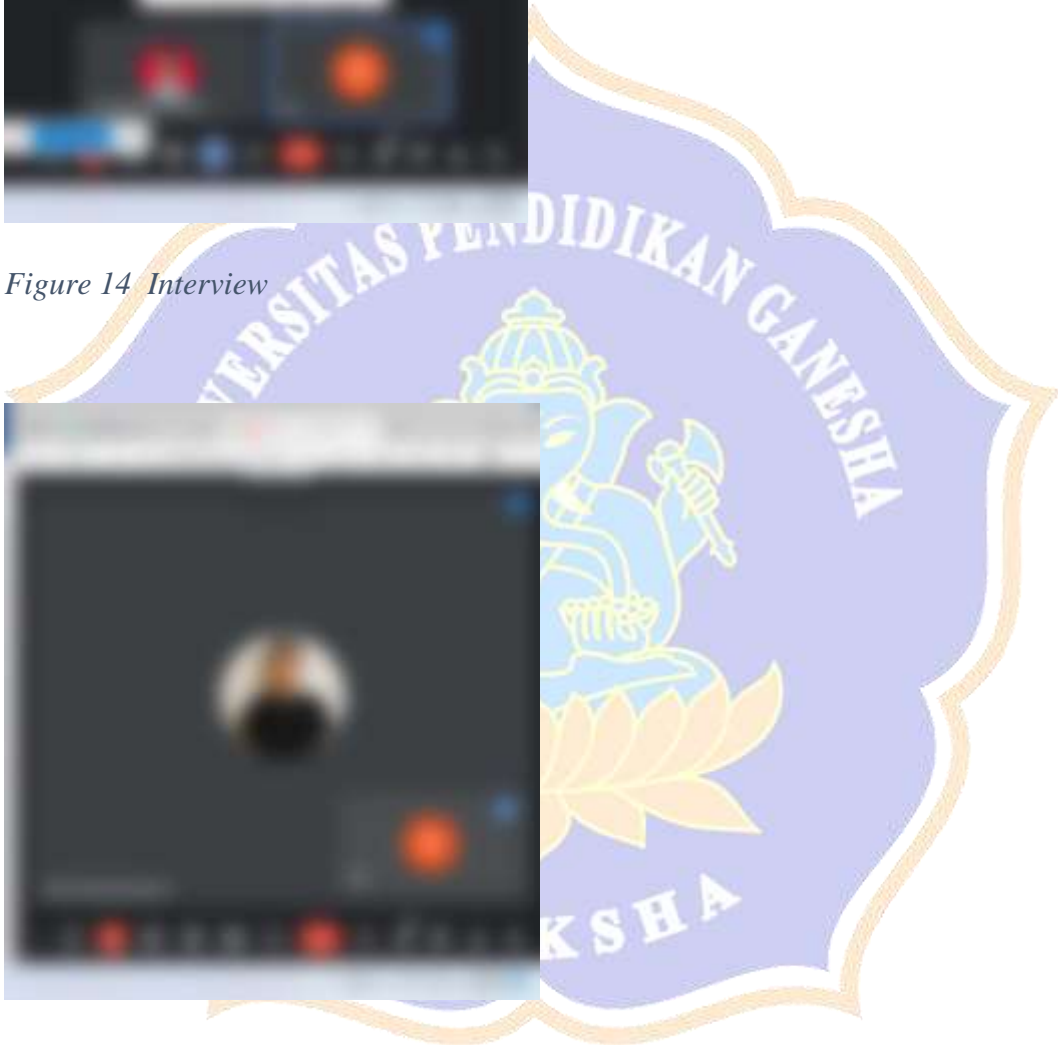


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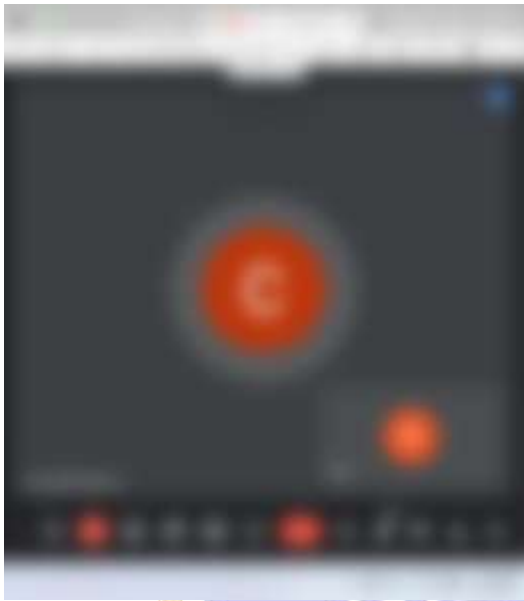


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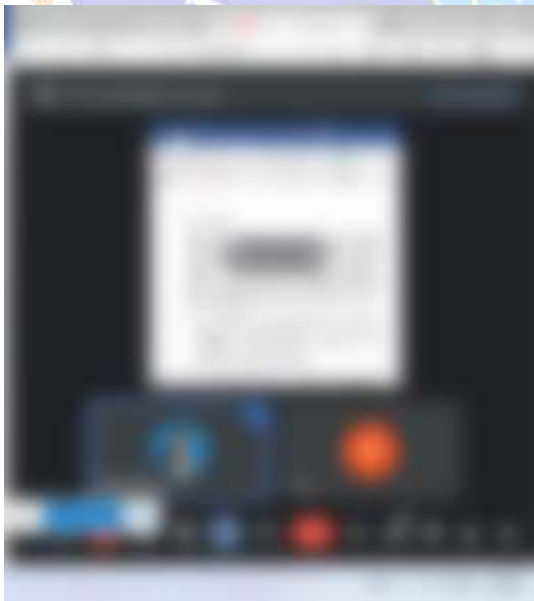
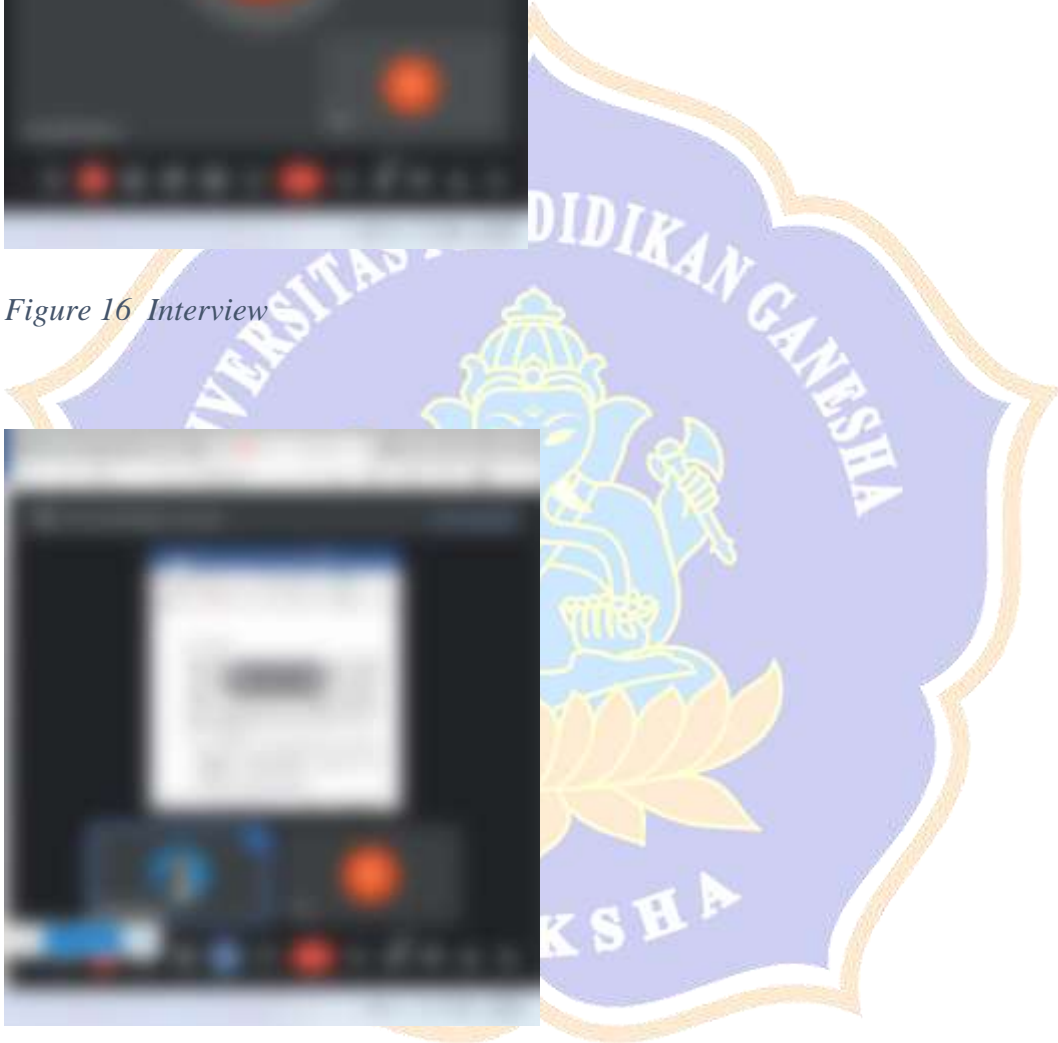


Figure 17 Interview





*Figure 18 Interview*



## Appendix 7. Daftar Riwayat Hidup 1

**RIWAYAT HIDUP**

Ni Putu Ristia Ayu Ningsih lahir di Batur Selatan pada tanggal 2 November 2000. Penulis lahir dari pasangan suami istri Bapak I Wayan Rencana dan Ibu Ni Nengah Muliarni. Penulis merupakan warga negara Indonesia yang kini berdomisili di Br. Dinas Batur Selatan, Desa Batur Selatan, Kecamatan Kintamani, Kabupaten Bangli. Penulis menyelesaikan pendidikan dasar di SD Negeri 1 Batur pada tahun 2013. Kemudian, penulis melanjutkan pendidikannya di SMP Negeri 1 Kintamani, dan lulus pada tahun 2016. Pada tahun 2019, penulis lulus dari SMA Negeri 1 Kintamani dengan jurusan Matematika dan Ilmu Alam (MIA). Setelah menyelesaikan pendidikan SMA nya, penulis melanjutkan pendidikannya ke jenjang perguruan tinggi di Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha. Lalu, pada bulan Januari 2023, penulis menyelesaikan skripsinya dengan judul “The Investigation of Informal Digital Learning of English Conducted by Male and Female Students in the Department of English Language Education of Universitas Pendidikan Ganesha.”