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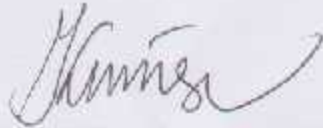
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ABSTRACT

This study is entitled “**A Study on Subject-Adjective/Subject-Verb Agreement in Abui Language Spoken in Takalelang Village**”. It was conducted in order to answer the following questions: (1) What are the morphological form of Subject-Adjective Agreement in Abui Language Spoken in Takalelang Village? (2) What are the morphological form of Subject-Verb Agreement in Abui Language Spoken in Takalelang Village? While the objectives of the study are (1) to identify and to describe the morphological form of Subject-Adjective Agreement and (2) the morphological form of Subject-Verb Agreement in Abui Language Spoken in Takalelang Village. In getting the data the writer chose three informants and collected the data by two techniques namely elicitation words/ phrases and close interview. The method used in this study was the descriptive method. The descriptive method means to describe and explain the Subject-Adjective/Subject-Verb Agreement in Abui Language. The results of the study are the following. (1) Subject-Adjective Agreement, **a.** nedi (*I*), kaang (*happy*)-No kaang ‘*I am happy*’; nedi (*I*), mayeesing (*dilligent*)-Na mayeesing ‘*I am dilligent*’; **b.** edo (*you*), kaang (*happy*)- O kaang ‘*You are happy*’; edo (*you*), mayeesing (*dilligrnt*)-A mayeesing ‘*You are happy*’; **c.** hedi (*he/she*), kaang (*happy*)- Ho kaang ‘*He/she is happy*’ hedi (*he/she*), mayeesing (*dilligent*)-Di mayeesing ‘*he/she is happy*’; **d.** pido (*we*), kaang (*happy*)- Pu kaang ‘*We are happy*’ pido (*we*), mayeesing (*diligent*)-Pi mayeesing ‘*We are happy*’; **e.** nido (*we*), kaang (*happy*)- Nu kaang ‘*We are dilligent*’ nido (*we*), mayeesing-Ni mayeesing ‘*We are dilligent*’; **f.** rido (*you*), kaang (*happy*)- Ru kaang ‘*You are happy*’ rido (*you*), mayeesing (*dilligent*)-Ri mayeesing ‘*You are dilligent*’; **g.** John (*di*), kaang (*happy*)- John dihokaang ‘*John is happy*’; **h.** Mary (*di*), kaang (*happy*)- Mary dihokaang ‘*Mary is happy*’; **i.** John and Mary (*di*), kaang (*happy*)- John ya Mary dihokaang ‘*John and Mary are happy*’(2) Subject-Verb Agreement, **a.** nedi (*I*), buuk (*drink*)- Na buuk ‘*I drink*’; **b.** edo (*you*), buuk (*drink*)- A buuk ‘*You drink*’; **c.** hedi (*he/she*), buuk (*drink*)- Di buuk ‘*He/she drinks*’; **d.** pido (*we*), buuk (*drink*)- Pi buuk ‘*We drink*’; **e.** nido (*we*), buuk (*drink*)- Ni buuk ‘*We are happy*’; **f.** rido (*you*), buuk (*drink*)- Ri buuk ‘*You drink*’; **g.** John (*di*), buuk (*drink*)- John dibuuk ‘*John drinks*’; **h.** Mary (*di*), buuk (*drink*)- Mary dibuuk ‘*Mary drinks*’; **i.** John ya (*and*) Mary (*di*), buuk (*drink*)- John ya Mary dibuuk ‘*John and Mary drink*’. It is suggested to other researchers to conduct other research to confirm and to deepen.

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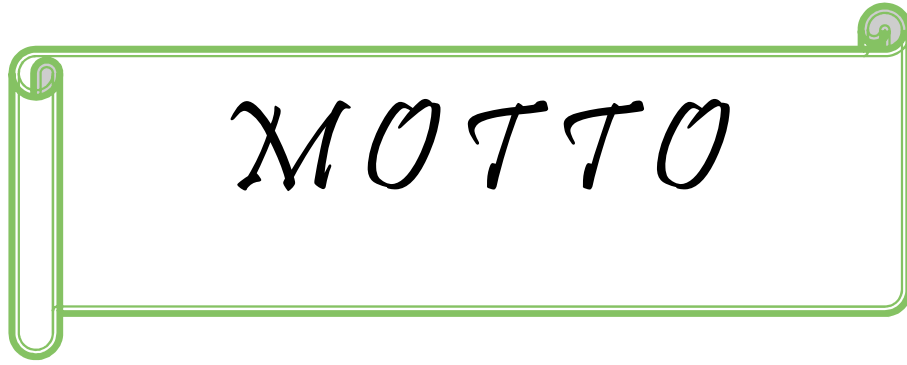
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