Abstract

Social media is attarcting considerable attention from English learners around the world. Learning

using English videos from social media will give a lots of benefits such as that learning will be

more fun and can also be a way to make the materials more quickly understandable. This research

aimed to find out about the students perception on the advantages of using English videos from

social media for their learning English and also the challanges of using English videos from social

media for their learning English. The researcher used the qualitative research design. To gather the

data for this research, the researcher interviewed three English students in an English Language

Education Department at one of Islamic university in Yogyakarta as the participants on this

research. This research revealed that the advantages of using English videos from social media are

that it could improve vocabulary, pronunciation, and also speaking skills. The challanges of using

English videos from social media include videos which have no subtitles, issues with internet

connection, and videos which have short duration.

Keywords: social media, video, students' perception