

## ABSTRAK

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Prison inmates serve to make the whole human family, realizing his mistake, to improve and not repeat the offense, so it can be received by the community. But there are still many who have not been targeted coaching and have not touched the child's personality. And to make someone like that need optimism towards the future. Therefore, this study aims to investigate the influence of personality types and kinds of crimes against optimism for the future of the young inmates at the Penitentiary Children Blitar.

Optimism on the child inmates could mean that they are with all the conditions, threats, challenges, adversity they face, still have expectations of good results for the future. Factors affecting the optimistic mindset, the first, in the form of ethnocentric factor family, gender, religion, culture, and social status (inmate child with this type of criminal acts). Second, the form factor egocentric aspects of personality that is unique and different personal with each other, such as interests, creativity, self-confidence, self-esteem and motivation. By Florence Literature personality typology is divided into four, namely Choleric, melancholy, Phlegmatic, and sanguine. While this type of crime can be divided into four, namely: violent offenses, property offenses, public offenses and drug and liquor offenses.

The study was conducted at Children's Penitentiary Blitar using purposive sample with a sample of 85 children of a total population of 240 children. Engineering data analyst of this research using techniques ANOVA (analysis of variance) two-way. Methods of collecting data using personality scales adopted from Florence, optimism scale adopted from Carver, and prison documents about the type of crime.

The result is the personality type that is Choleric child prisoners 25.9%, 31.8% melancholy, Phlegmatic 17.6%, and 24.7% sanguine. While these types of criminal acts such as violent offenses 49.4%, 21.2% property offenses, 8.2% public offenses, and drug and liquor offenses 21.2%. Future levels of optimism are: 83.5% of high category, the category was 16.5%, and 0% lower category. While the influence of personality types and kinds of crimes against optimism for the future of the child inmates in Penitentiary Children Blitar 23.4% have influence.