ABSTRACT

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Forgiveness is often given by the victim as required to meet the social role in society. In addition, the victim is willing to forgive because they feel that they have high moral ground and to get respect from people who hurt them. There are several factors that influence forgiveness, one of them is a personality characteristic that include self-esteem. This study aims to determine whether there is a correlation between self-esteem and forgiveness of female students at SMA Islam Al Maarif Singosari Malang.

The population in this study was high school student at SMA Islam Al Maarif Singosari Malang. The random sampling technique was applied and the number of the sample was 61 students.

The design of study was quantitative research in the form of correlation. The methods of data collection were scale and interviews. The data validity was analyzed using Pearson Product Moment Correlation, and the data reliability was analyzed using Cronbach Alpha. The the data was processed using SPSS 16.0 for Windows.

Based on the results of descriptive analysis, it was found out that the mean score for the self-esteem variable was 69, while the mean score was 47.8 for the forgiveness variable. On the self-esteem variable, as many as 61 samples from 9 girls (14.8%) was in high level of category in forgiveness and a total of 41 students (67.2%) in middle category while as many as 11 students (18%) in the low category . On Forgiveness variables from 61 samples, 10 students (16.39%) was in high level category of forgiveness, 43 students (70.5%) in the middle category, and eight students (13.11%) are in low category. Overall, the majority of the 61 samples of SMA Islam Al Maarif Singosari Malang were in middle category in forgiveness. Based on correlation analysis obtained by calculating r = 0.401 sig 0.001 <0.05, it was concluded that there is a positive correlation between self-esteem and forgiveness of Female Students at SMA Islam Al Maarif Singosari Malang.