ABSTRAK

Penelitian ini dilatar belakangi oleh pentingnya keteladanan guru Pendidikan Agama Islam (PAI) dalam membentuk karakter religius siswa di sekolah. Guru PAI tidak hanya berperan sebagai penyampai ilmu pengetahuan, tetapi juga sebagai teladan dalam sikap, perilaku, dan pelaksanaan ajaran agama Islam dalam kehidupan sehari-hari. Namun, perkembangan teknologi, pengaruh lingkungan pergaulan, serta rendahnya kesadaran sebagian siswa terhadap nilai-nilai religius menjadi tantangan dalam pembentukan karakter religius siswa. Oleh karena itu, penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui bentuk keteladanan guru PAI, proses pembentukan karakter religius siswa, serta hambatan dan upaya guru PAI dalam membentuk karakter religius siswa di SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara.Penelitian ini menggunakan pendekatan kualitatif dengan jenis penelitian studi kasus. Subjek penelitian terdiri dari guru PAI, kepala sekolah, wakil kepala sekolah, dan siswa SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara. Teknik pengumpulan data dilakukan melalui observasi, wawancara, dan dokumentasi. Teknik analisis data dilakukan melalui reduksi data, penyajian data, dan penarikan kesimpulan.Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa bentuk keteladanan guru PAI dalam membentuk karakter religius siswa dilakukan melalui keteladanan dalam beribadah, kedisiplinan, akhlak, tanggung jawab, dan interaksi sosial. Proses pembentukan karakter religius siswa dilakukan melalui pembiasaan kegiatan keagamaan, pemberian nasihat, pengawasan, serta keteladanan langsung yang diterapkan guru dalam kehidupan sehari-hari di lingkungan sekolah. Karakter religius yang terbentuk pada siswa meliputi kedisiplinan dalam beribadah, sikap sopan santun, tanggung jawab, kejujuran, dan kepedulian sosial. Hambatan yang dihadapi guru PAI antara lain pengaruh lingkungan pergaulan, penggunaan media sosial yang berlebihan, kurangnya perhatian orang tua, serta rendahnya kesadaran sebagian siswa terhadap pentingnya perilaku religius. Adapun upaya yang dilakukan guru PAI yaitu memberikan pembinaan secara terus-menerus, membiasakan kegiatan keagamaan, menjalin kerja sama dengan orang tua, serta menciptakan lingkungan sekolah yang religius dan kondusif.Berdasarkan hasil penelitian dapat disimpulkan bahwa keteladanan guru PAI memiliki peran yang sangat penting dalam membentuk karakter religius siswa di SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara. Keteladanan yang dilakukan secara konsisten mampu memberikan dampak positif terhadap sikap dan perilaku siswa dalam kehidupan sehari-hari.

Kata Kunci: *Keteladanan Guru PAI, Karakter Religius Siswa*

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ABSTRACT

This research is motivated by the importance of the exemplary role of Islamic Religious Education (PAI) teachers in shaping students' religious character at school. PAI teachers not only act as transmitters of knowledge, but also as role models in attitudes, behavior, and the implementation of Islamic teachings in daily life. However, technological developments, social environmental influences, and the low awareness of some students toward religious values have become challenges in forming students' religious character. Therefore, this study aims to determine the forms of exemplary behavior demonstrated by PAI teachers, the process of forming students' religious character, as well as the obstacles and efforts made by PAI teachers in shaping students' religious character at SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara. This study employed a qualitative approach with a case study research design.The research subjects consisted of PAI teachers, the principal, vice principal, and students of SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara. Data collection techniques were carried out through observation, interviews, and documentation. The data analysis techniques included data reduction, data presentation, and drawing conclusions the results of the study showed that the exemplary behavior of PAI teachers in shaping students' religious character was carried out through role modeling in worship, discipline, morality, responsibility, and social interaction. The process of forming students' religious character was conducted through habituation of religious activities, giving advice, supervision, and direct exemplary behavior applied by teachers in daily life at school. The religious character formed in students included discipline in worship, politeness, responsibility, honesty, and social care. The obstacles faced by PAI teachers included peer environmental influences, excessive use of social media, lack of parental attention, and the low awareness of some students regarding the importance of religious behavior. The efforts made by PAI teacher included providing continuous guidance, habituating religious and conducive school environment. Based on the results of the study, it can be concluded that the exemplary role of PAI teachers has a very important role in shaping the religious character of students at SMP Negeri 2 Kluet Utara. Consistent exemplary behavior is able to provide a positive impact on students' attitudes and behavior in their daily lives.

Keywords: Exemplary Role of PAI Teachers, Students' Religious Character.

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