Instilling Values Character Education Through Playing Role Model in Learning History

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Abstract – This paper aims to describe the history of the efforts of teachers in instilling the values of character education through learning model "role playing" in school. Efforts were made so that the values of character education integrated into history courses through the learning model "role playing". In addition, the need to identify a suitable historical material applied through learning model "role playing." This paper is expected to contribute ideas to the history teacher, about the learning model that can be used as a reference in instilling the values of character education and awareness of history to students.

Keywords: Instilling the value of character, Model Role Playing, Teaching History

I. INTRODUCTION

Concern for knowledge exaggerated and used as indicators of educational success, has led educational neglect other dimensions of human potential, such as aspects of values, attitudes, manners, ability to coexist with all elements of the difference, the love of the homeland and the nation, respect for the hero, and the values of heritage. Long tradition, rooted in the test as a tool to determine the amount of knowledge a person has, led to another dimension mentioned earlier, and difficult to measure with tests to be ignored. Various statutes and efforts to restore the function of education to develop the overall potential of students to be hindered in their realization. Education and teaching of history should Participate inculcate and develop human potential learners, that "in addition to intellectual potential, human beings have emotional potential, the potential to communicate through symbols, the potential of culture, the potential interest, the potential rewards, the potential for cooperation, creative potential, and the potential for self-actualization. In this case education history can be the inspiration driving force in the effort to build character (nation and character building). The aims in this researches are to know why learning model "role playing" very important to be applied in an effort to instill the values of character education in the subjects of history in school and to instill the values of character education through the model "role playing" in the subject of history in school.

II. ASSESSMENT THEORY

"Role playing" is a model of learning that comes from individual and social dimensions of education. This model can help each learner to find personal meaning in their social world, and help solve a personal dilemma with the help of a social group. In the social dimension of this model easier for people to work together in analyzing social circumstances, in particular the relationship between the human [1]. Model "role playing" in learning to develop politeness, instilling democratic values, social values in the face of every problem learners. This model, according [2] in the group of social learning model of values, which is to bid in the face of every issue of personal and interpersonal, and social activities.

"Role Playing" also called socio dramas or play the role performed by the students about the situation, which is very important for the development of cognitive, social, and emotional learners [3], [4]. Model "role playing" in the teaching of history that has been planned properly, can instill understanding the role of others (historical figures) in the context of the lives of people, such as the value of responsibility, the value of teamwork, the value of unity, values of caring, respect differences, and learning takes decisions in labor relations group [5], [6], [7]. "Role playing" is acting on specific behavior of people in a position to distinguish their respective roles within an organization or group in the community [8], [9]. So the model of "role playing" or role play is a way or a way to portray how people behave a certain (historical figures) in a position to distinguish the role of each [10], [11]. In other words, the learning model "role playing" is a learning model that is set by teachers by engaging learners in the play attitude, behavior, character of the hero in that role in playing a part In history within the context of events [12], [10]. In the learning model "role playing", learners are given the opportunity to develop the imagination in playing a character, and get reviews from teachers, so that learners can appreciate the properties of the example of the hero [13], [14], [15], [16]. Meanwhile, according to [17] "role playing" or role play is learning model as part of the simulation are directed to creativity historical events, creativity actual events, or events that may arise in the future. In the editorial or less the same, [18] stating the, that the "role playing" is acting in accordance with pre-defined role for a specific purpose,
such as reviving the historical atmosphere, for example, reveal
the struggle of the heroes of independence, or disclose the pos-
sibility for state will come. Of these references this can be said
of "role playing" as a model of teaching history is to focus on
themes or social issues, such as history, insurrection, upheaval,
and the struggle for the independence movement [19], [20].
"Role playing" emphasizes the role of the learners in a game or
an event. Through this role play, students can experience other
situations through role play, so that students will have the ex-
perience of the identity of the character of those who played
[21].

a. Objectives Learning Model Role Playing

From the aspect of purpose, model "role playing" ac-


cording [18] and [22], suggests that the goal of "role play-
ing" in history among other things: (1) to motivate feel-
ings of learners, (2) to clarify the historical or contempo-




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dary situation, where in which there are conflicts, emo-
tions, differences, prejudices, problems caused differences
of race, age, religion, nationalism, and ethnic back-
grounds, (3) to create awareness of differences in the pat-
tern of view, and consequently, the sensitivity or concern
for the award each other's, teach the values embodied in
human relations [23], [24].

b. Learning strategies

Learning strategy role playing, with regard to two

things: (1) strategy of drafting the text to be played, and
(2) learning strategies staging [25], [26], [27].

Play a role in learning is an effort of teachers to discuss
problems in the lessons through demonstration or staging, the
steps of problem identification, analysis, characterization, and
discussion [28], [29], [30], [31]. For this purpose, a number of
students acting as an actor, and the other as an observer. An
actor should be able to live up to the roles they play. Through
role, learners interact with other people who also take the role
of certain correspond to the selected theme. Roles must be tak-

en from the real life stories in history (not imaginative).

III. METHOD

A. Participants of the study

Participants of the study were high school in Makas-
sar who were taking a capstone secondary teaching meth-

ods course with a sustained service-learning component (i.e.,
coaching an after school soccer program). The course was specifically designed to prepare pre-service
teachers to become history education teachers and coach-
es in the public school. Those taking the course in the fall
of 2015 and 2016 were in control group (N=40), and the
other students who took the course in the fall of 2015 and
spring 2016 participated in the role-play intervention
(N=42). A Subset of 26 of the 42 intervention group stu-
dent (15 males and 11 females) participated in the specif-
ic role-play activities and responded to both of the two

questionnaires administrated in this study [32], [33]. The
two investigators were lecturer in the same of Department
of History Education (one from a Department of History
Education University of Pejuang of the Republic of In-
donesia in Makassar, and the other from a Department of
History Education State University of Makassar).

B. Role Play Activities.

The role-playing model in learning used in the study
is by George and Fannie Shaft and consists of nine
steps: (1) warm the atmosphere and motivate learners, (2)
select cast (casting), (3) set up the observer, (4) setting up
the stages of the scenario roles, (5) acting or performing
in front of the class, (6) discussion and evaluation I, (7)
characterization of the stage again, (8) discussion and eval-
uation II, (9) to share experiences and draw generali-

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IV. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

Characterization of this history, can be achieved internali-

zation of values, attitudes, perceptions, skills in negoti-
ating and negotiating, problem solving, and analysis of the subject
matter. Impact accomplishment that can be achieved through
role play are: (1) analysis of values and behaviors personal, (2)
the skill in solving problems, (3) awareness, empathy for oth-
ers, (4) an appreciation of the social values of the national cul-
ture, and (5) the ability to express opinions, negotiate, dem-
ocracy and respect the opinions of others [2], [38], [39], [6].

During proses learning takes place, every characterization
can train empathy, sympathy, hatred, anger, pleasure, and other
appropriate roles played historical characters. The cast of
"drifting" and "late" in the role it plays, while observers in-
volves themselves emotionally and seek to identify feelings
with feelings that churned and master characterization [39],
[25], [11].

The learning model "role playing", is a model that is versa-
tile, which can be applied in several learning objectives.
Through "role playing", learners can improve their ability to
recognize the feelings of others, the circumstances when the
event occurred, and the ability to resolve the problems [40].
Therefore the focus model "role playing" is related to the feel-

ing of exploration, exploratory behavior, criticism, creativity,
leadership, values, and perceptions of, the development of
skills in problem solving, and exploration of the subject matter
[22], [12], [4].

The learning model "role playing" is interactive analytic.
This model focuses on the attitudes and behavior of people in
their natural environment (teachers and students) [41], [42]. Teachers and students are instrumental in interpreting the phenomenon, and to find the meaning of the game is played in learning. Learning outcomes illustrate that described in detail from the perspective of teachers and students [43], [24], [23]. This interactive learning describes the context of a historical phenomenon that never existed. Through interactive analytic methods descriptive, with a variation of a case study, learning "role playing" information very effectively in the effort to inculcate the values of character education in the nation's history in school subjects [44], [45].

How to design learning for planting Values? Learning is designed with attention to: (1) subject matter or material, or themes in the subjects of history that matches the model of role playing; (2) the involvement of learners when acting occurs, and after characterization happen, that the behavior of learners, teacher performance, and support facilities; (3) about the values of national character that can be internalized into the self-learners, namely: the value of responsibility, respect and courtesy, unyielding (firm establishment), love of homeland and nation, leadership and spirit of unity and self-sacrifice [46]. For example, the material on Independence Day Events Around Indonesia. Rengas Dengklok, Formulation Text Proclamation and Declaration of Independence Proclamation Indonesia August 17, 1945, and Maintaining the demands of Indonesian sovereignty in the Round Table Conference (RTC).

V. CONCLUSION

One model of learning that can be applied to embed or bequeath the value of the nation’s character to students in the subjects of history is through the “role playing”. Basic consideration is that this model can help learners to explore their feelings, attitudes, values and perceptions, skills development, building empathy and feelings of others. Therefore, the recommended model of this learning can be an example and a program conducted by the teacher to instill character values of the nation to the students as mandated by the Law on National Education System of the Republic of Indonesia No. 20 of 2003.

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