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ABSTRACT

With the new era of technology advance today, learning can be improved and delivered in more creative and effective way. Nowadays, many children not interested in reading book because now the technologies are very developed. For example, development on gadget have influence them more than other thing where it be as an up to date trend. In this project, courseware approach have been chosen for the learning basic tajweed for primary school children. Learning basic tajweed for aged between seven until ten years old is a learning process using courseware which contain about tajweed focusing on *Mad Asli*. This courseware approach is to help the teachers in their teaching and for the student to understand more on what they have learned. Besides that, it aims to motivate students in learning basic tajweed. Based on the user testing for effectiveness, this project shows 84% of successes rate increase from 46% from the pre and post user testing. It also shows that the courseware attracting the children to learn tajweed and trigger them to explore more about tajweed; *Mad Asli* that highlighted in this project. Thus, this type of educational software should be introduced to attract the interest from the students to learn tajweed. In conclusion, this project; Motivating Primary School Children in Learning Basic Tajweed (*Mad Asli*) has been successfully achieved the objective.

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of Study

In this manifesto era, there are numerous primary school children who do not have good knowledge or even do not know anything about learning basic tajweed. In Al-Quran, there are many rules of tajweed that all Muslims need to know before reciting Al-Quran. Tajweed is a rule that uses an Arabic language as the pronunciations during tarannum recitation. It has also being use as a main language in Al-Quran. According to Tabbal et al. (2006), rules for recitation must be considered in order to ensure to get the right meaning of Al-Quran. A good recitation is based on the knowledge of tajweed. However, the way it has been taught may cause the students be bored during the lesson.

Computer Aided Learning (CAL) has been used for quite some time in teaching students in variety of knowledge such as learning languages, mathematics, and many more. Children nowadays are very addicted on using gadget and they also depend on new technology to get information, learning, and playing games. The recent advancements in technology have changed the society and the way we live. In Malaysia education, tajweed has been taught as a religious syllabus in the school that consist of Muslims students. It has been taught in a classroom and the teacher will do a two-way communication or one-to-one communication approach.

Therefore, I purpose to improve the learning way by encouraging the primary school children learning basic tajweed by using courseware approach. In this chapter, the brief description and clarification about the project background, problem statement, objectives, project scope, and significance of the study for this project will be explain.