

CHAPTER III

METHOD OF THE RESEARCH

This chapter explains about qualitative research used in this final project. It consists of some parts. The first part is research design. The second part tells the source data of the research. The third part discusses what are the object and the subject of the research. The fourth part explains how the data are collected. The last part describes the data analysis.

3.1 Research Design

This final project focuses on qualitative research to analyze and collect data from the sources. It is because the data is collected based on words form and the data is analyzed for description and theme using text analysis and interpreting the larger meaning of the finding that suit to Creswell (2003:16) theory about the characteristic of qualitative research. The results of the research contains of quotation from the data, which is from the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky. It can be concluded that this final project analyzes the novel deeply to get the data and formulates the result of analysis.

In this final project, the researcher used psychoanalytical approach for getting the result of the analysis. The researcher focuses on the analysis about personality and the correlation between the main character's childhood life with his personality.

3.2 Data Sources

There are two types of data sources in this final project. The first source is called primary source. This source comes from the main data of the analyzing. It is taken from the object of the research which means from the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky. The second source is called secondary source. This source is taken from books, articles, journal, e-books, websites and another source that are related to the analysis.

3.3 The Object of the Research

This final project used the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky as the object of the research and only focused on the main character named Charlie. It also just focused on the analysing of Charlie's personalities that belongs to psychoanalysis aspect. This final project looked deeply through Charlie's *id*, *ego*, and *superego* in order to identify Charlie's personalities. This final project also analyzed the correlation between Charlie's personalities with his childhood life.

3.4 Data Collection Technique

In order to collect the data, this final project takes several steps. They are:

- (1) Reading the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky repeatedly to understand the content of the story,
- (2) Attempting to find out the concepts of psychoanalysis,
- (3) Sorting the data in the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky that related to the statement of the problem.

3.5 Data Analysis Technique

There are some steps that apply to analyze the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky. They are: the first the researcher collected the data from the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* based on the theories of psychoanalysis. The second she identified the main character's *id*, *ego*, and *superego* of the novel *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* written by Stephen Chbosky in order to find what the main character's personality. The third, the researcher analyzed the correlation between the main character's personalities with his childhood life by using psychoanalysis theories. The last she made the conclusion from the data analysis.