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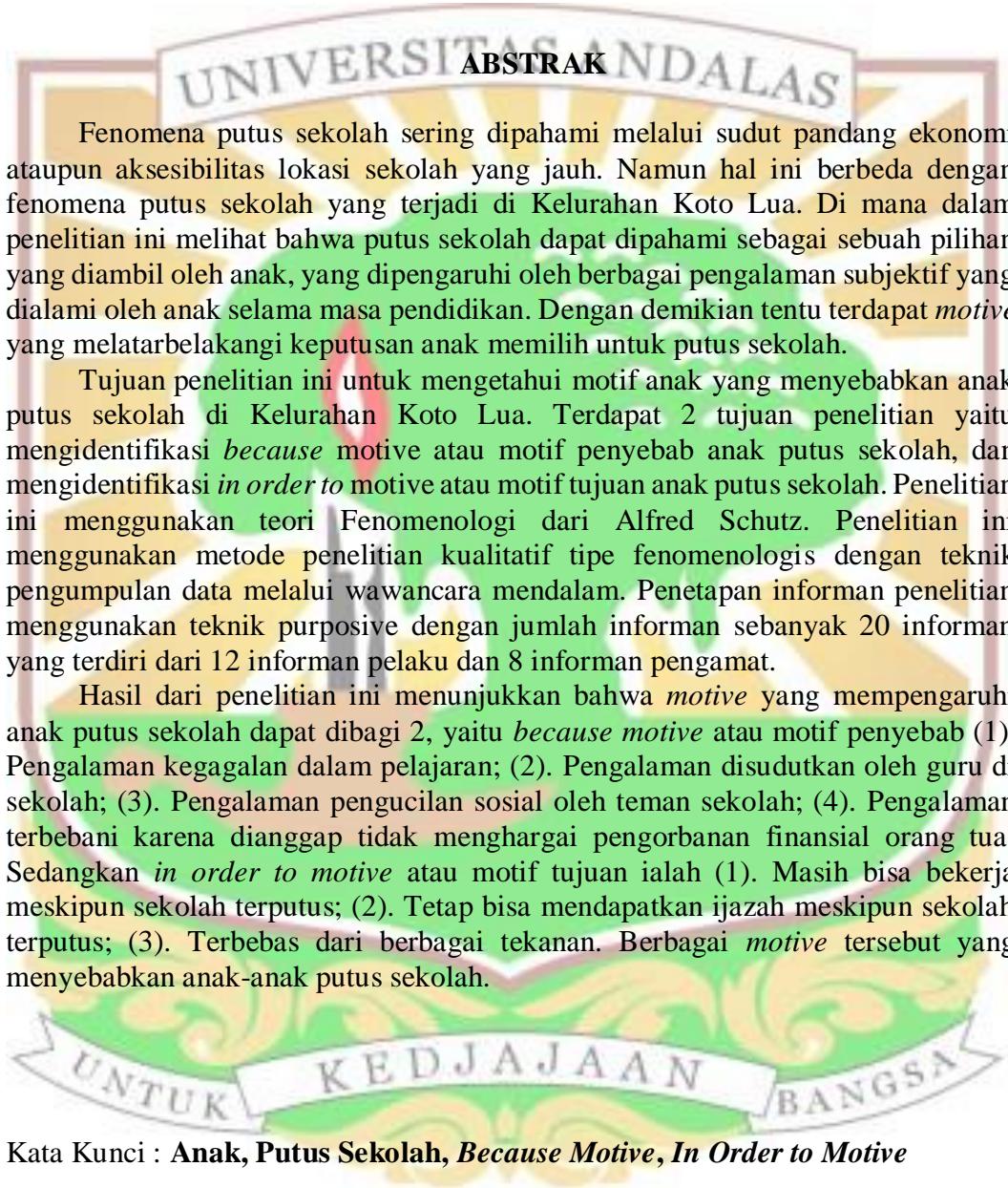


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ABSTRACT

The phenomenon of school dropout is often understood from the perspective of economics or the accessibility of distant school locations. However, this is different from the phenomenon of school dropout occurring in Koto Lua Village. In this study, it is observed that school dropout can be understood as a choice made by children, influenced by various subjective experiences they encounter during their education. Thus, there are indeed motives underlying the children's decision to choose to drop out of school.

The purpose of this research is to understand the motives of children that lead to school dropout in Koto Lua Village. The study has two main objectives: to identify the because motives for school dropout and to identify the in order to motives that children consider when choosing to leave school. This study applies Alfred Schutz's phenomenological theory, using a qualitative research method with a phenomenological approach. Data was collected primarily through in-depth interviews. Informants were selected through purposive sampling, resulting in a total of 16 informants, including 12 participants and 4 observers.

The results of this study indicate that the motives influencing school dropout can be divided into two categories: because motives or causal motives, which include (1) experiences of failure in lessons; (2) experiences of being cornered by teachers at school; (3) experiences of social exclusion by peers; (4) feelings of being burdened due to being perceived as ungrateful for their parents' financial sacrifices. Meanwhile, in order to motives or goal-oriented motives are (1) being able to work even after dropping out of school; (2) still obtaining a diploma despite discontinuing school; (3) escaping various pressures. These various motives are what drive children to drop out of school.

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