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ABSTRACT

Students feel anxious from time to time. New environment is one cause of students' anxiety. This study aim to examine factors that influence to students' anxiety, investigate the effects of anxiety to students, and to reveal students' efforts to overcome the anxiety.

The data collection method employed in this study was interviewed. Ten students in English education department of UMY participated in this study. They were invited to attend interview session. They were interviewed one by one. Each participant interview was recorded for analysis.

The research found that there were some causes of anxiety namely self-perception, cultural differences, social status and self-identity, presentation in the classroom, fear of making mistake, pressure by parents, and being away from home. Thus, anxiety can affect to students' performance. Participants revealed some positive startegies to overcome the anxiety.

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