Socialization of Higher Education as a Means in Increasing Participation of High School / Vocational Students equally in the Pandemic Period

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Abstract

One of the compulsory courses of Real Work From Home in increasing community participation in universities, which is implemented by PGRI Wiranegara University as an obligation of community service and service to the community is also one of the government programs. This form of devotion is an effort to reach the wider community amid the limitations and ferocity of the covid-19 pandemic. In addition, the purpose and purpose of this devotion is done to provide knowledge and insight to high school students who will graduate and want to continue to the level of higher education. Not only that this devotion also has another goal that is to support government programs in preventing the spread of the corona virus which to this day has not disappeared. The support is manifested in the socialization of health protocols to high school students as equals. This devotion is done with an online system or commonly called the internet network so that it can meet virtually.

Keywords: Online, COVID-19, Devotion

1. Introduction

Achieving a development in economic, social, cultural, and technological development requires an influence or drive to achieve that goal. Universities are one of the drivers or drivers to achieve an advanced community order, because the college is a forum for scholars in conducting studies, studies, and research, to create a work that will be a driving tool or driver of such progress. Through the college, it is expected that there is a change, development, and innovation continuously. Therefore, universities cannot distance themselves from the community, as well as the community must accept the relationship in order to form good cooperation between the college and the community. Various program efforts are designed, and implemented by universities in community service, one of which is Real Work Lecture or abbreviated as KKN. KKN is a course that will move students to go into the community to do community service. Various programs and activities are organized in KKN to provide changes and solutions to problems experienced by the community. Before the COVID-19 pandemic, KKN activities were carried out directly, but during the COVID-19 pandemic was carried out online to prevent and minimize the spread of the virus. Because of the crowding ban issued by the government (Laili, 2022).

It also affects the implementation of community service carried out by students. Usually we know as real work lectures or KKN. The implementation of KKN must eventually be forced to be done virtually. Like the agenda that will be implemented by students of PGRI University in order to fulfill one of his learning tasks, namely having to do KKN. Because the implementation is done in their respective homes, this KKN is referred to as KKN-DR. However, in the implementation of students who are objects in this KKN must still comply with health protocols, and be required to minimize direct interaction to prevent and minimize the spread of COVID-19.

KKN-DR is different from previous years, because KKN-DR from the literary situation is a theme that is specifically established, namely with the theme of efforts to develop universities that become
one of the government programs to increase community participation in universities. PGRI Wiranegara University which is a place of learning for KKN students is one of the universities located in Pasuruan City, East Java. The purpose of KKN itself is to introduce PGRI Wiranegara University to a wide audience, especially the community around the establishment of this campus. Because during the pandemic attacked Indonesia many high school / vocational schools equivalents that have difficulty in accessing information about universities, so this can be used as one solution so that information can be easily conveyed and accessed by the public.

Access to information in addition to having the previously mentioned goals also has another goal that is to provide motivation to continue education from the upper secondary level to college, motivation is one way of efforts to move individuals. Therefore, information related to education in universities must be more actively given to the community and facilitated by the public to access the information.

One of the entire KKN-DR group of PGRI Wiranegara University, provides information related to universities to teenagers in Pasuruan City and Regency through Zoom or online. The selection of this theme is considered important considering the various benefits that will be caused when human resources in a city attau district are considered quite high. One of the benefits obtained is the high income of the community percapal (Kamaludin, 2017). In addition to providing information as motivation to continue education to college, in addition, the KKN-DR group of PGRI Wiranegara University also provides information on healthy lifestyles in the pandemic period. This is a form of contribution of universities through their students to the government's efforts in dealing with the covid-19 pandemic.

1.1 Purpose of the Activity
The purpose of this KKN-DR activity is to provide an understanding of the importance of having the highest possible education by introducing the nearest and quality campus for high school students who will graduate from school. In addition, it also provides counseling on the importance of implementing health protocols in the midst of the covid-19 pandemic that still lurks in Indonesia.

1.2 Benefits of Activities
The benefit of this activity is that high school students who are still confused determine which level to continue to the college level, have a good enough reference so that no longer appear words that they do not know where to study. In addition, they will also be equipped with how to implement health protocols as well as possible to avoid the covid-19 virus spreading more widely.

1.3 Community Service Exterior
The external target of community service is in the form of:

a. equivalent high school students have the knowledge that in Pasuruan City has a fairly superior campus and can be a reference for high school students of that equality to continue their education at this college.

b. High school students are equally able to implement health protocols in accordance with government advice well, in addition they can also transmit the knowledge they have to those closest to them.

2. REALIZATION OF ACTIVITIES

2.1 Form of Activities & Schedules, As well as Places of Activity
a. Methods and Forms of Activities
In the implementation of the KKN-DR group we use the Online method. In the current conditions we decided to do these KKN activities online from their respective homes. Because to minimize direct contact with others. Online learning system (in-network) is a way of learning that is done without direct physical interaction between teachers and students but done virtually or online with the help of the use of internet networks (Sri Harnani, 2020). Online learning is learning that is done without doing face-to-face, but through the platform that is available (Syafani Ermayulis, 2020). All forms of subject matter are distributed online, communication is also conducted online, and tests are also conducted online. This online learning system is helped by several applications, such as
Google Classroom, Google Meet, Edmudo and Zoom. However, this KKN-DR activity is done using the Google meet application.

b. **Time and Implementation of KKN-DR Activities**

KKN-DR which we conducted on July 24, 2021. At 10.00 WIB took place at the home of each member of the group with 10 high school students. With the following implementation details:

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c. **Place of Activity**

The place of implementation of this activity is at the home of each student and high school / vocational school students as equals. But for speakers still use campus facilities located at Jl. Ki Hajar Dewantara No.27-29, Tembokrejo, Kec. Purworejo, Pasuruan City, East Java 67118

![Location Maps](image-url)

**Table 1. Implementation Details**

2.2 **Service and Basic Duties**

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*Socialization of Higher Education as a Means in Increasing Participation of High School / Vocational Students equally in the Pandemic Period (Innayatul Laili, et al)*
2.3 Summary of Material

a. Importance of Higher Education

Education is essential for everyone who aims to educate and develop potential in themselves. Education influences various developments in humans ranging from the development of creativity, knowledge, to personal personality. The importance of universities can also be linked to improving economic levels and ruling out the perception of women is not important if they have higher education (Nabila & Umro, 2020). The explanation of the importance of higher education to students in Pasuruan City who are still high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA Sederjat is so important to provide information and also spirit in order to continue to a higher level, namely Lectures.

The target of socialization of the importance of higher education is high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA Sederjat Kota Pasuruan, where KKN-DR students think that high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA Sederjat Pasuruan City has so much potential to step up to a higher education level. Lecturers and students of KKN-DR explain various forms of universities including universities, institutes, colleges, polytechnics, and academies. As well as explaining various universities that have accreditation that can be said to be the flagship in Indonesia, the campuses are as follows:

1) University of Indonesia
2) Universitas Gadjah Mada
3) IPB University
4) Sepuluh Institute of Technology November
5) Universitas Brawijaya
6) Universitas Airlangga
7) Telkom University
8) Bandung Institute of Technology
9) Bina Nusantara University
10) Universitas Sebelas Maret UNS Surakarta

Because the target of KKN-DR is high school students / vocational / MA equivalent in Pasuruan City, KKN-DR students provide a list of universities located in Pasuruan City-Regency, following the list of universities / universities in Pasuruan City-Regency:

1) PGRI Wiranegara University
2) Merdeka Pasuruan University
3) University of Jember Pasuruan campus
4) STAI Salahudin Pasuruan
5) AKBID / STIKES Ar-Rahma Pasuruan
6) Yudhartha Pasuruan University
7) ITSNU Pasuruan
8) Integrated Sakinah Pasuruan
b. **College Scholarships in Indonesia**

To encourage and facilitate high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA equivalent in Pasuruan City so as not to be burdened with payments when studying higher education at the University etc., then KKN-DR students socialize the form of scholarships at the level of study in Indonesia in the form of Smart Indonesia Card - Lecture (KIP-Kuliah). KIP-Kuliah 2021 KIP-Kuliah is an educational cost assistance from the government for graduates of High School (SMA) or equivalent who have good academic potential but have economic limitations. This year the government re-opened the registration of KIP College starting February 8, 2021 for account creation and opened until October 3, 2021 through kip-kuliah.kemdikbud.go.id (Septiana Tiyas, 2021). This Smart Indonesia Program is a realization of the government that began to be launched in 2020 with a focus on the target of high school students who have lower economic levels, the goal is to provide opportunities for these students to be able to continue their education to a higher level. The enthusiasm of high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA Equivalent in Pasuruan City is very good when KKN-DR students explain about how to get KIP-Kuliah so that high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA equivalent in Pasuruan City are not burdened with payments when deciding to enroll in the intended University.

c. **Introduction of PGRI Wiranegara University (UNIWARA) Pasuruan**

In the introduction of PGRI Wiranegara University (UNIWARA) Pasuruan to the target of activities, namely high school students / VOCATIONAL / MA Equivalent in Pasuruan City, KKN-DR students explained the beginning of the formation of PGRI Wiranegara University (UNIWARA) Pasuruan which had shocked pasuruan city. PGRI Wiranegara University or commonly known as UNIWARA is a private university that has a religious major, although at the beginning of the establishment of a college of education or STKIP but after becoming a University by holding on to the Decree of the Minister of Education and Culture of the Republic of Indonesia Number 259 / M / 2020 dated February 18, 2020 majors on this campus became very developed and no longer limited to education majors.

UNIWARA includes a new university in Pasuruan, so in the introduction this time KKN-DR participants listened well. Even KKN-DR participants did not expect uniwara to have several faculties and consisted of various departments or study programs, the following include:

1) Faculty of Pedagogy and Psychology
   - Pancasila Education and Citizenship (S1)
   - Mathematics Education (S1)
   - Economic Education (S1)
   - Indonesian Language and Literature Education (S1)
   - English Education (S1)

2) Faculty of Technology and Science
   - Computer Science (S1)
   - Industrial Engineering (S1)
   - Food Technology (S1)

3) Graduate Program
   - Master of Economic Education (S2)

With the introduction of UNIWARA to KKN-DR participants, it can provide an explanation that in Pasuruan itself has a university that is not inferior to universities in other cities. The quality and potential of UNIWARA has also been tested so well that there is no need to worry about the stigma that is not good about PGRI Wirangera University (UNIWARA) Pasuruan because it has proven the quality of good students and achievers in UNIWARA. For more on what KKN-DR
participants want to know, KKN-DR students recommend visiting uniwara's official website, https://pps.uni.wara.ac.id/.

c. Socialization of Healthy Lifestyles in Pandemic Times
Before ending the KKN activities carried out, KKN-DR students socialize a healthy lifestyle in the Pandemic Period. Because KKN-DR participants are teenagers, it is considered important to provide education on the importance of a healthy lifestyle. When KKN-DR students explained healthy lifestyle materials in the Pandemic Period, the KKN-DR participants gave many statements of the lifestyle they were living. Most of them often stay up late at night just to play games or even watch Korean dramas, thus disturbing the health of the body. KKN-DR students explain about how to maintain the body's immune function, because if the body's immune system is weak it will be easy to get paradise and any disease. The body's immune system has 3 roles, namely acting as a defense of the body, as homostatic and also acting as a supervisor for the human body. Then a healthy lifestyle can also make our body become more energetic, so that the body will continue to actively do various activities.

In maintaining a lifestyle to be healthier, we are physically and mentally fit. The amount of pressure that can be faced by each of us can cause stress so that it can interfere with the mental health that we milliki. One way that mental health is not disturbed is to change the mindset to think more positively so that it can shape our hearts to be more peaceful and not depressed about the problems that arise in our lives (Sub Bag Program, 2021). By changing the way we think to be positive, our mental health will be better. KKN-DR students hope that KKN-DR participants, namely the teenagers, will always apply a healthy lifestyle to themselves, their families, and the community. Because healthy is very important to support daily health. In order to continue the ideals of being highly educated, you must have a healthy body and a strong mentality to avoid dangerous viruses.

2.4 Target Society
All students who are high school students / vocational equivalents in the Pasuruan region, are given freedom for all students and students to participate in this activity, especially for those who are currently in class XII.

3. Review of Results Achieved

From the results of KKN-DR can be concluded the importance of education for the community. Education cannot be separated from individuals, there are various levels of education in Indonesia, one of which is education in universities. Access to information has the goal to provide motivation to continue education from the upper secondary level to college, motivation is one way of efforts to move individuals and is expected to change the mindset of the community towards the education. Therefore, information related to education in universities must be more actively given to the community and facilitated by the public to access the information.

As each individual grows and develops, each individual can have creativity, broader knowledge, a good personality and become a responsible person. So it can be understood that Higher Education is an education that prepares learners to become members of a high-ability society that is academic and or professional so that it can apply, develop and create science, technology and art in the framework of national development and improve human welfare. Higher education is education at a higher level than secondary education in the path of school education.

In addition to the importance of higher education, people are required and expected to be able to implement a healthy lifestyle, especially in the current pandemic that hit Indonesia and other countries in the world. The way immunity works in the body has 3 functions, namely defense function, homostatic function, and surveillance function. Then a healthy lifestyle can also make our body become more energetic, so that the body will continue to actively do various activities. A healthy lifestyle is not only about physical but also with mental needs and immune boosts (Nopiyanto et al., 2020). Positive thinking can make our hearts become peaceful and can beat various diseases including when we are under pressure. By changing the way we think to be positive, our mental health will be better.
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