CHAPTER 5

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTIONS

This chapter presents the conclusion and suggestions for the research result. The conclusion is drawn from the research results and discussion. Then, the recommendations are intended for further research in writing fan fiction in creative writing class.

5.1. Conclusion

The present study reveals the students' perception of writing fan fiction in creative writing class. The findings indicate that students appreciate the creative freedom offered by fan fiction. They find it engaging and enjoyable, which helps to foster their imagination and creativity. However, students also encounter challenges, such as challenges in developing original ideas and articulating their thoughts into coherent narratives. Despite these challenges, the overall experience of writing fan fiction in a creative writing class is positive and contributes significantly to their learning process.

5.2. Suggestion

Based on the findings of this study, the following suggestions are made for educators and future researchers. For educators, it is recommended to continue encouraging creative writing assignments like fan fiction to foster students' imagination and creativity, provide more structured guidance and support to help students overcome challenges such as challenges with imagination, and implement peer review sessions to provide students with constructive feedback and enhance their writing skills through collaborative learning.

The limitations of this research include the small number of participants, as only three students were involved, and the focus on a single university in West Java. Another limitation is that the data collection relied solely on semi-structured interviews, meaning the

findings are limited to the narratives provided by the participants. For future researchers should involve a larger and more diverse group of participants, employ additional data collection methods like classroom observation, and explore fan fiction's impact in different education or informal settings for a more comprehensive understanding.