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As internet and an online platform are applicable, invaluable and favorable for language learning, at the present, they can be fused with face-to-face, and it characterized as Blended Learning. Blended learning was developed and implemented by schools, researchers, lecturers, teachers, and even pre-service teachers. This study aim to explore pre-service teacher's experience from implementing blended language learning during school based internship in one of senior high school in Tasikmalaya, West Java, Indonesia. A reflective practice was used as the research design and involved me as the participant. The data were collected by analyzing participant's diary thematically, and photovoice. The findings revealed experiences that pre-service teacher got during implementing blended learning including (1) Self-evaluation and (2) Students' responses. Therefore, my experience about implement blended learning as pre-service teacher has been expand and it can be useful in the future as the first-step for another stages.

Keywords: Pre-Service Teacher's Experience, Blended Language Learning, School Based Internship.

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Dikarenakan internet dan media online yang mudah digunakan, memilik banyak kelebihan dan memilik banyak keuntungan untuk pembelajaran bahasa, oleh karena itu internet dan media *online* bisa digabungkan dengan kelas *face-to-face*, dan ini disebut sebagai blended learning. Blended learning telah berkembang dan banyak digunakan oleh sekolah-sekolah, para peneliti, para dosen, para guru bahkan oleh guru praktikan. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui tentang pengalaman yang didapatkan oleh guru praktikan dalam menerapkan blended learning selama masa Pengenalan Lapangan Persekolahan (PLP) di salah satu Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA) di Tasikmalaya, Jawa Barat, Indonesia. Penelitian ini menggunakan design reflective practice dan melibatkan saya sebagai obyek penelitian. Data dikumpulkan dengan menganalisis diari guru praktikan secara tematik dan photivoice. Penemuan menunjukan pengalaman yang di dapatkan oleh guru praktikan selama menerapkan kelas blended learning mencakup (1) Evaluasi yang terjadi untuk diri sendiri dan (2) Respon siswa yang diterima oleh guru praktikan. Oleh karena itu, saya sebagai guru praktikan telah mendapatkan banyak pengalaman tentang blended learning dan ini bisa digunakan untuk tingkatan selanjutnya di masa depan.

Kata Kunci : Pengalaman Guru Praktikan, *Blended Language Learning*, Pengenalan Lapangan Persekolahan.

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