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Abstract. ICCACRE stands for Interaction, Connection, Collaboration, Application, Creativity, Reflection, and Extension. The seven words consecutively refer to the syntax of the mathematics learning model called ICCACRE. It is actually the result of the developmental research referring to the theory of development of Plomp. The theory contains five stages of development, Those are preliminary investigation, designing, realization, giving test evaluation and revision, and implementation. In the implementation or limited trial stage, it was conducted an experimental research to investigate the effectivity of the model in developing mathematics creativity of junior high school students. Students from class VIII-2 were selected as participants in this study based on the selection with cluster random sampling technique from all students class VIII of SMPN 27 Makassar for 2019-220. Mathematical creativity data were obtained using the mathematical creativity test developed by the researcher referring to the creative indicators: fluency, flexibility, and originality which was equipped with an assessment rubric. The collected data were analyzed with descriptive statistics to explore mathematical creativity in detail. Meanwhile, inferential analysis is used to see the effectiveness of the model in developing students' mathematical creativity. The results showed that the students' fluency was in the high category. Meanwhile, the flexibility and originality of students are included in the medium category. Normalized N-Gain mean. indicates that fluency and flexibility increase in high category. Is increasing originality in the medium category. Furthermore, the results of the infrential analysis show that the ICCACRE model is effective in developing the mathematics creativity of junior high school students.

1. Introduction

One type of high-order thinking that is currently receiving very wide attention among cognitive psychologists and is the goal of education in every country is creative thinking

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skills [1]. Sternberg, Mumford & Gustafson, Runco, Fisher, Kitano, Torrance, Craft, Feldman & Benjamin said that there are three things that underlie this phenomenon, namely: 1) Everyone should have creative thinking skills in facing the 21st century, 2) Creative thinking skills can be developed through continuous practice, and 3) creativity is not only found in art disciplines, but also in other disciplines, including the discipline of mathematics known as mathematical creativity [2].

Mathematical creativity is defined differently by experts and a general definition of creativity is adopted. Generally, the experts are of the view that creative mathematical thinking is different from mathematical creativity. Creative thinking in mathematics is a mental activity that occurs in the human mind, those are: understanding / finding problems, formulating problems, developing knowledge that is already possessed from learning experiences, synthesizing knowledge with problems, viewing information from different points of view, predicting from limited information , formulate hypotheses based on observed phenomena and test hypotheses [3], Rhodes [4], [5], [6], [7], [8]. Meanwhile mathematical creativity is the product of mathematical thinking with fluent, flexible and original indicators. Fluent is the student's ability to come up with multiple ways / answers using the same concept. Being flexible is the student's ability to suggest different ways / answers using different concepts. Furthermore, the original ability of the students suggests ways / answers that are not common and new for deaf students [9], [10], [11].

To develop students' mathematical creativity skills through mathematics subjects, NACCCE, 1999, Jeffrey & Craft, 2004, Jeffrey & Craftsaid that teachers are required to be more creative in using or applying models, strategies, and learning methods that can encourage the development of student creativity. Learning that focuses on developing students 'imaginative, creating a dynamic atmosphere, providing space for students to innovate, facilitating students in exploring divergent thoughts will stimulate students' ability to find new ideas [2].

Learning theories related to mathematical creativity are the learning theory of cogivism, constructivism, Ausubel's theory of meaningful learning, and cooperative learning. Cogtivism focuses on forming students' knowledge through mental processes, including information processing theory, hierarchy of thinking, as well as creative and critical thinking theories. Constructivism emphasizes the role of students in constructing material and solving problems, including problem posing, problem silving and open-ended problems. Ausubel theory privileges the formation of new knowledge by completing the knowledge schemes that students already have. The results of the elaboration of the learning theory form the basis for developing the Mathematics Learning Model ICCACRE (Introduction, Connection, Collaboration, Application, creativity, Reflection, and Extension) the author created through development research referring to Plomp's theory of development. The theory contains five stages of development. 1) initial investigation, 2) design, 3) realization, 4) test, evaluation, and revision, 5) implementation. This paper describes the results of experimental research with the aim of knowing the effectiveness of the application of the ICCACRE Mathematics Learning Model in developing students' mathematical creativity.

2. Method

2.1. Research Context and Data Collection

Quasi-experimental research that is conducted requires only one treatment group to reveal the effectiveness of the learning ICCAARE in developing junior high school student creativity.

The research was conducted at SMPN 27 Makassar in the academic year of the even semester 2019-220. Research procedure: 1) Selecting the research sample using purposive cluster random sampling technique and the selected class VIII-2, 2) Discussing with model teachers and observing with the aim of equalizing perceptions, 3) Giving a pretest of mathematical creativity to see students' initial abilities, 4) implementing learning ICCACRE for 6x3x40 minutes, and 5) Giving math creativity test

2.2. Research Instruments.

Table 1. The instrument is a modified version of the Siswono instrument, 2007

No	Information	Question			
01.	volume Balok dibawah ini adalah 512 cm^3	Buatlah sebanyak mungkin bangun ruang bidang datar yang volumenya sama dengan volume balok disamping lengkap dengan gambar dan panjang rusuk-rusuknya. Dibolehkan menggabungkan beberapa bangun ruang sisi datar.			
02.	Luas permukaan kubus dibawah ini adalah 216 cm ² . F E 6 cm C C	Buatlah sebanyak mungkin bangun ruang bidang datar yang luas permukaannya sama dengan luas permukaan kubus disamping lengkap dengan gambar dan panjang rusuk- rusuknya. Dibolehkan menggabungkan beberapa bangun ruang sisi datar.			

2.3. Data analysis

6 cm

Descriptive statistical analysis (mean, standard definition, and percentage) aims to describe in detail the mathematics creativity of students. While the normalized N-gain test aims to see the increase in students' mathematical creativity before and after being taught by the learning model ICCACRE.

 $Ternormalisasi \ gain = \frac{Skor \ pos \ tes - Skor \ pre \ tes}{Skor \ maksimal - Skor \ pre \ tes},$ (Meltzer, 2002:1260). Kolmogorov-Smirnov one sample test with a significance level $\alpha = 0.05$ used to see whether the data is normal or not. Data is normally distributed if p-value > 0,05. Furthermore, the t-test used is one sample t-test with a significance level $\alpha = 0.05$ aims to test the hypothesis.

Table 2. Research criteria and hypothesis							
Statistical Hypothesis	Mathematical Creativity Criteria	N-Gain criteria					
<i>H</i> 0: $\mu g_1 \le 0.3$ vs <i>H</i> 1: $\mu g_1 > 0.3$							
	81-100/very high	$\langle g \rangle \geq 0,7/\text{high}$					

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$\mu g1$: average N-Gain	61-80/high	$0,3 < \langle g \rangle < 0,7/\text{medium}$		
<i>H</i> 0: $\mu_i \le 56$ vs <i>H</i> 1: $\mu_i > 56$	41-60/medium	$\langle g \rangle < 0,3/\text{low}$		
μ_i : the average mathematical	21-40/low			
creativity of the i-th indicator	0-20/very low			
	[12]	[13]		

3. Findings and Discussion

This study aims to determine the effectiveness of ICCACRE learning in developing students' mathematical creativity. The collected data were analyzed descriptively and informally. The results of the descriptive statistical analysis are shown in table 1.1. For the results of the inferential analysis are shown in the table 3.

	Descriptive statistics					Inferential ($\alpha = 0.05$)		
Indicator	u.sam	Mea	Modu	Sd	Maks	N-Gain	p – value	p – value
	p.	n	S		/min		μ <i>g</i> 1	μ_i
Fluency	35	72,5	72	5,0	84/46	0,67	0,004	0,003
		2		3				
Fleksibilit	35	58,8	56	5,6	78/40	0,46	0,009	0,008
as		5		5				
Originality	35	46,3	44	6,9	68/26	0,42	0,03	0,014
		6		8				

Table 3. Recapitulation of Descriptive and Inferential Analysis Results

Table 3 shows that after ICCACRE learning, students' mathematical creativity on the Fluency indicator is in the high category. The highest score was in the very high category, while the lowest score of the students was in the medium category. N-gain indicates a moderate increase tends to be high. The flexibility indicator is in the medium category. The highest score was in the high category, while the lowest score of the students was in the medium category, the N-gain showed moderate improvement. Furthermore, the Originality indicator is in the medium category. The highest score is in the medium category which tends to be low, while the lowest score is in the low category. The N-gain indicates a moderate increase. The value distribution for the 3 indicators of mathematical creativity tends to the average value so that the average value for each indicator is not influenced by outlier data. Infrential statistics show that there is a significant increase in mathematical creativity after ICCACRE learning. Based on the results of statistical analysis, it was concluded that ICCACRE learning was effective in developing students' mathematical creativity. This is possible because the ICCACRE Learning provides free space for students to construct their new knowledge by using previously owned knowledge structures and linking it to new material with collaboration and communication. Open-ended problems encourage students to come up with different ideas that lead to the growth and development of students' divergent thinking skills. Although this research has not shown maximum results, especially on the indicators of novelty, the characteristics of student activity and the results obtained show a trend towards a better direction. To develop student creativity, it is not enough to do 6x3x40

minutes of learning, but it needs a continuous and long-lasting process. (Fisher (1990),

4. Conclusion

Kitano (1986).

The ICCACRE Learning Model is one of the 21st century mathematics learning models that can be an alternative for teachers to develop students' mathematical creativity

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