CHAPTER V
CONCLUSION, SUGGESTION AND CLOSING

A. Conclusion

Based on the data of research result, the researcher is going to draw the following conclusions:

1. The students have achieved the good score of English Phonology with the higher score is 11 from 12 questions and the average is 7. The students’ achievement of English Phonology was shown by their good score and also their ability to transcribe the words with the correct transcription, even it found that one or two words weren’t transcribed well. They also can differentiate between phoneme and allophone, state the correct word for a sound (vowel or consonant sound).

2. From the result of students’ pronunciation test, the students were able to pronounce the words with the correct vowel and consonant sounds, the correct stressing on words and also good intonation. Sometimes the students were mistaken in pronouncing the different words with the similar sounds, such as “won’t” and “want”, “Plan” and “Plain”. The students’ achievement of Pronunciation was shown by their score with the higher score is 85 and the average is 76.28 (76).

3. The researcher found the correlation between these two variables, English Phonology and Pronunciation, and the result is 0.338. After consulting the result to the table of r
Product Moment with the number of subject (N) = 81 and significance level 5% and \( r_{table} \) is 0.220, because \( r_{xy} > r_{table} \), it means significant, so it was found that there is correlation between these variable with category “Low Correlation”. The result of regression analysis is 10.17. After consulting it with \( F_{table} \), on the significant level 5%, it was known that \( F_{reg} = 10.17 > F_{table} = 3.98. \) Then, the hypothesis was accepted that there was positive influence between students’ achievement of phonology toward their pronunciation.

B. Suggestion

Based on the conclusion, I would like to offer some suggestion to be considered to improve the pronunciation performance for students:

1. The students should learn more about phonology deeply because it can help the students to understand more about English sounds.

2. Learning English pronunciation is crucial in communication between speaker and listener, because if we mistake in pronouncing a word, it can make misunderstanding between speakers and listener. Then, the students should practice more in pronunciation correctly according to the phonetic transcription.
C. Closing

The researcher do thank to Allah for everything. The researcher can finish this thesis because of His help, direction and mercy. Therefore, the researcher hopes this thesis will be useful for readers especially for the researcher.

Thus this final project has been explained by the writer. The writer realized that this final project is far from perfection. Because of that, critical and suggestion from the reader are very expected for the perfection of the final project. Hopefully, this paper is useful for all of us. Amin.