

CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Study

The language is a system of communication which consists of a set of sounds and written symbols which are used by the people of a particular country or region for talking or writing. Language is the use of a system of communication which consists of a set of sounds or written symbols. It can refer to the words used in connection with a particular subject as the language of that subject. The language of a piece of writing or speech is the style in which it is written or spoken. It can use language to refer to various means of communication involving recognizable symbols, non-verbal sounds, or actions. It can refer to someone's use of rude words or swearing as bad language when people find it offensive. Talking about offensive language, there are many development styles of language one of them is slang words. This type of words is always used by people nowadays, especially by teenagers. Which mean it will become a good words or offensive words.

According on linguistic.ucsc.edu (2017:-) Linguistic is Each human language is a complex of knowledge and abilities enabling speakers of the language to communicate with each other, to express ideas, hypotheses, emotions, desires, and all the other things that need expressing. Linguistics is the study of these knowledge systems in all their aspects: how is such a knowledge system structured, how is it acquired, how is it used in the production and comprehension of messages, how does

it change over time, Linguists consequently are concerned with a number of particular questions about the nature of language. What properties do all human languages have in common, How do languages differ, and to what extent are the differences systematic, i.e. can we find patterns in the differences, How do children acquire such complete knowledge of a language in such a short time, What are the ways in which languages can change over time, and are there limitations to how languages change, What is the nature of the cognitive processes that come into play when we produce and understand language.

According to jimmi (2014:39) In globalization era people need to be able to speak more than one language in order to adapt with current era, language as a tool of communication to deliver what is in people mind again to change ideas and interaction is needed. By using a language people are able to introduce themselves, convey their ideas and feeling. English as one of languages that is used in many countries to communicate in the world for the last few years millions of people. about how to use language itself but why a language used. There are many subfield in linguistics one of them is slang, slang is a kind of language consisting of very informal words, slang is more common in speech than in writing. The aim of people use slang mostly is in order to be accepted in a group and socialize with others. Slang as one of language varieties phenomenon comes from the diversity of the speakers in one environment or culture. Current slang has often found in any media such as television

, movies and song lyrics, slang appears in the movie that reflects social life from the movie itself also there are so many movies that used slang to express the expressions in the dialogue, one of them is Grown Ups Movie. In daily life, especially among teenagers and young children sometimes there is a dialogue that using slang to express their ideas. Grown ups released in 2010, this movie is enjoyable because the story tells about young people and teen life which is familiar with the usage of slang in their daily conversation.

The writer chooses to use semantic methods, such as change of meaning. words do undergo only two types of meaning change, not amelioration and pejoration, but generalization(a word's meaning widens to include new concepts), and specialization(a word's meaning contracts to focus on fewer concepts). In a broader sense, context may refer to any aspects of an occasion in which a speech-act, how it change, including from the English dictionary and what the meaning about the words.

In this paper the writer chooses this film as the object because Grown ups movie script contain some unusual words to express some feelings. The writer chooses is a 2010's movie entitled "*Grown ups*" which is written by Adam sandler.

The example of movie script which is consist of slang words are below:

Marcus Higgins: Hey Lenny, remember when we'd come here after we got "wasted"?

Donna Lamonsoff: [Hearing what Marcus just said] What's wasted?

Lenny Feder: Nice one, Higgins. “Wasted” is when you have a hankering for ice cream.

[All the kids are talking about wanting to get “wasted”]

Donna Lamonsoff: I want to get “wasted” every day of my life.

Becky Feder: I want to get chocolate “wasted”.

The slang word in the example is wasted. Wasted in English dictionary is from Wasted which in Indonesian dictionary means “menyia-nyiakan”. In slang words Wasted have change of meaning into another words. In slang words wasted meaning became “mabuk alcohol” in Indonesian words.

The writer might think that “*Grown ups*” have a slang word from quotations above. In order to solve the problem, the writer decides to find whole slang words within *Grown ups* Movie The reason why the writer choose this title is because it’s unique that the writer found some new kind of slang words. Not like other movies which is have common slang words that usually used in real life.

The reason why the writer chooses this subject for his paper is to give an information to anyone that slang words is not always bad words, and it can be used in everyday life, without being offended or offend someone.

1.2 Identification of the Problem

Slang as one of language varieties phenomenon comes from the diversity of the speakers in one environment or culture. Current slang has often found in any media such as television , movies and song lyrics, slang appears in the movie that reflects social life from the movie itself also there are so many movies that used slang to express the expressions in the dialogue, one of them is Grown Ups Movie. In daily life, especially among teenagers and young children sometimes there is a dialogue that using slang to express their ideas. Grown ups released in 2010. In Grown ups movie appears two types of slang words generalization and specialization slang.

1.3 Limitation of The Study

This paper will only be focused on the finding types of slang words that is used in “*Grown ups*” movie. The writer only use the theory of semantic, based on Change of meaning.

1.4 Research Questions

The research questions that will be analyzed:

1. What type of slang words that used in “*Grown ups*” movie ?
2. What is the most type of slang used in “*Grown ups*” movie ?
3. Why the “*Grown ups*” movie used slang language ?

I.5 Objectives of the Study

Objectives of this study:

1. To identify slang words that used in the movie .
2. To know what slang words can be used in any situation .
3. To know how slang language implemented in the movie.

I.6 Significances of the study

In making this paper the writer has some aims to get. The main thing is the writer makes this paper to himself as acknowledgement in doing analysis of literary works.

The result of this study can be used to becomes a reference for the next researcher who wants to conduct a research which same with this study.

For the readers, the result of this study is expected to be useful for the readers to give alternative way to increase their vocabulary in slang words.

For institution, the result of this study is expected to be useful as a reference for reader who interested in slang words study.