CHAPTER V
CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

5.1 CONCLUSION

Based on the research finding and discussion, the research conclusion can be drawn as follows. The existence of Basic Writing module that is supported by Android application is hoped to be able to be meaningful additional learning sources. Also, it is used to solve the problem that is faced by the learners in developing academic paragraph, especially in composing the supporting sentences. Basic Writing module is developed based on discovery learning principle, i.e. stimulation, problem statement, data collection, data processing, verification, and generalization. Basic Writing application that has been developed is oriented to the Android operating system. The application is easy to be operated and has features to facilitate independent learning, such as the summary of the material for each unit and exercise that are programmed with information gap and multiple choice forms. Those exercise models provide feedback relates to the users’ answer. In multiple choices form, the sound effect is adjusted based on feedback notification (wrong or right answer). Also, the vibration effect is included to support the right answer. The application provides menu choice, easy operated navigation buttons, consistent user interface, attractive colour composition, and contains multimedia object, including texts, sound, and pictures that are supported to the material presentation.

The eligibility level of the product according to media expert includes in “Good” category; meanwhile, the eligibility level of the product according to material expert includes in “Very Good” category.
The eligibility level of the product according to English Education Department students who enrolled in Basic Writing subject at 2015/2016 period includes in “Very Good” category.

The developed products of this study give innovative contribution in Basic Writing subject. The previous Writing module and books were developed in paper based only. In this research, the paper based module is facilitated with Android application as supplement. However, the application is only support for Android high version.

5.2 RECOMMENDATION

Based on the research that has been conducted, there are some recommendations for the other researchers. First, Basic Writing application is only support to the Smartphone that has high specification. If the other researchers want to develop Android application, they should determine how to make the capacity of the application, including the graphic, content, and the variation program inside it can be supported in various Android versions. Second, it needs to look for the way in developing Basic Writing application that covers all of the module content (200 pages) with various programmed menu in one application (if possible).