

**GAMBARAN STATUS KARIES PADA SISWA
KELAS 1 SDN 02 PAMEUNGPEUK
KABUPATEN GARUT**

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ABSTRAK

Latar Belakang: Karies merupakan penyakit jaringan gigi yang diawali dengan kerusakan jaringan yang dimulai pada permukaan gigi (*pit*, *fissure* dan daerah *interproximal*) kemudian meluas ke pulpa. Penyebab terjadinya karies gigi pada seseorang akibat kebiasaan mengonsumsi makanan yang manis dan lengket serta rasa malas dan kesalahan cara menyikat gigi serta jarang memeriksakan kesehatan gigi dan mulut dapat terjadi pada orang dewasa maupun anak. Anak lebih rentan masalah tersebut terkena setiap 6 bulan sekali juga dapat menyebabkan karies gigi terutama anak Sekolah Dasar. **Tujuan Penelitian:** Mengetahui gambaran status karies pada siswa kelas 1 SDN 02 Pameungpeuk Kabupaten Garut. **Metode Penelitian:** Jenis yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah jenis penelitian dekskriptif yang dilakukan secara observasional dengan mengambil teknik *total sampling* yaitu jumlah sampel sebanyak 53 orang. **Hasil Penelitian :** Pengalaman karies terbanyak pada gigi susu dengan kriteria sedang yaitu sebanyak 18 orang (34%) dan pengalaman karies terbanyak pada gigi permanen dengan kriteria sangat rendah yaitu sebanyak 43 orang (81%) sedangkan rata-rata pengalaman karies pada gigi sulung adalah 5,41 dengan kriteria tinggi dengan prevalensi karies 100% dan rata-rata 0,75 karies gigi permanen dengan kriteria sangat rendah dengan prevalensi karies 66%. **Kesimpulan :** Hasil penelitian ini didapatkan pengalaman karies gigi sulung pada siswa kelas 1 yang terbanyak kriteria sedang yaitu (34%) dan pengalaman karies gigi tetap terbanyak kriteria sangat rendah yaitu (81%) dengan rata-rata pengalaman karies gigi sulung 5,41 kriteria tinggi persentasi 100% sedangkan rata-rata karies gigi tetap 0,75 kriteria sangat rendah dengan persentasi 66%.

Kata Kunci : Pengalaman karies, anak sekolah dasar

**DESCRIPTION OF CARIES STATUS IN STUDENTS
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ABSTRACT

Background: Caries is a dental tissue disease that begins with tissue damage that begins on the tooth surface (pits, fissures and interproximal areas) then extends to the pulp. The causes of dental caries in a person due to the habit of consuming sweet and sticky foods as well as laziness and mistakes in brushing teeth and rarely having dental health checks every 6 months can also cause dental caries. Dental and oral health problems can occur in both adults and children. Children are more susceptible to this problem, especially elementary school children. **Research Objectives:** To find out the description of caries status in grade 1 students at SDN 02 Pameungpeuk, Garut Regency. **Research Methods:** The type used in this study is a descriptive research type which was carried out in an observational manner by taking the total side technique, namely the number of samples of 53 people. **Research results:** The most caries experience in primary teeth with moderate criteria, namely 18 people (34%) and the most caries experience in permanent teeth with very low criteria, namely as many as 43 people (81%) while the average caries experience in primary teeth is 5.41 with high criteria with a caries prevalence of 100% and an average of 0.75 permanent dental caries with very low criteria with a caries prevalence of 66%. **Conclusion:** The results of this study showed that the primary teeth caries experience in grade 1 students had the most moderate criteria (34%) and the most permanent teeth caries experience was very low criteria (81%) with an average primary teeth caries experience of 5.41 high criteria percentage of 100% while the average permanent dental caries is 0.75 criteria very low with a percentage of 66%.

Keywords: Caries experience, elementary school children