



Lack of Parental Attention to Early Childhood Behavior in the Village of Timbang Lawan

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1. INTRODUCTION

The role of parents is a very important role for children both in terms of environment, background, social, economy to education. But it is rare for parents to pay attention to this aspect for the good of their children. As we found in the village of Timbang Lawan, Bahorok during the visit. The backwardness of the village and culture gives rise to a very low way of thinking of the community plus the distance between the house and the school is quite far. The environment in this village also affects the parenting and upbringing given. As it is today, there are a lot of children who play gadgets and spend their time with things outside of their age. Sometimes parents never think what impact can result from the attitude they give has an impact on the child's psychic, mental and emotional. And it is questionable why children are now more comfortable outside than in their own homes. Parents often ignore small things such as attention, they feel that what has been given is just more enough. But the thing that the child wants is the attention of the parents.

2. RESEARCH METHODS

The method that researchers apply is to use metode observation or observation directly in the field, namely in the village of Timbang Lawan, Bahorok.

3. RESULT

One of the things that affects children's behavior is the form of attention given by parents to their children. A small form of attention that is often overlooked by parents is never entering into the world of one's own child. When that attention is not given the child will do things up it is both negative and positive in nature which aims to seek the attention of his own parents. As was the case with the child we found in the village of Timbang Lawan, Bahorok during a visit. When we do group tutoring to children or adolescents we find all sorts of speculations that

arise from each individual. The various problems they faced they poured out at the time of the implementation of the group guidance. But most of the problems contained in the form of love problems, we are not surprised because at that age children who enter adolescence will be more active, and the emotions contained in them are burning and difficult to stop. That is where the role of parents is to pay attention and control how their children behave, especially with the changing times that are increasingly sophisticated. Gadgets are not a familiar thing in their ears, they feel that gadgets are the usual thing. But despite that problem we found one of the children who had a broken home problem. The child tells how the life he experienced without the figure of a father and mother. Because she herself from childhood has lived with her brother. From a young age he never got the attention of father and mother figures and this had an impact on his psychic and mentality.

4. DISCUSSION

Attention is a form of affection that can be poured through touch, thoughts, feelings and actions. Attention will also affect the mindset and behavior of the child, the child will feel happy if he is noticed, because the child needs a figure who always contributes to his life. Her inattentive child will be more pleased to be alone, and lock himself in the room, to calm his mind. The child will find it difficult to tell the problems he is experiencing to his parents, if his own parents close themselves to entering the life of their child. And because of this when it is peaking and in a state of anger, often the child who is inattentively releases harsh words, rebels, cries and can even have a fatal impact on the psychic and mental.

Mental health also needs to be considered by parents to their children, since this will have an impact on the child's intellectual and also the child's growth. The child whose mentality is already ill, it will be difficult to accept and understand a condition, and his mind will be split. The brain is a nerve that affects the child's mind, if the child often experiences pressure, it will have an impact on his psychiatric condition.

As parents, questions should arise as to why their children have bad behavior, why their children often cry, why their children prefer to be alone and lock themselves in the room, but it is rare for parents to notice changes in attitude, behavior experienced by their children.

The things that affect the behavior, attitudes and behavior of early childhood in Timbang Lawan village, Baharok, include:

a. Family background

Family is a very influential thing on behavior, attitudes and behavior in children. The pattern of relationships that occur in the family as one of the fundamentals that must be considered, we can assess the character of the child through family relationships.

Ramayulis, et al. (in Asnawan, 2012: 5) explain the function of the family to organize socialization, provide educational directions, fill a good soul and psychiatric guidance. Inheritance of human values, which at least in the future can create peace-loving human beings, develop social welfare, be able to maintain and carry out the azazi rights of a just and civilized humanity, and be able to maintain the quality and morality of the environment. Darmiyati Zuchdi, et al. (2015: 8) revealed that the role of culture largely determines the quality of the process and results of character education. Therefore, a positive institutional culture is needed, in the sense that the culture of the educational institution must be in harmony with the values chosen as the target values. Based on this, the home environment and educational institutions must synergize in efforts to cultivate and build children's character. (Khoironi, 2017)

b. Personality

Personality is something that needs to be considered by parents or closest people, the environment, social and play environment will affect the child's personality, personality can be seen how the child socializes, behaves and behaves.

c. Religion

Religion is the main key to human behavior, if a person is close to his god, then every act of his deeds and words will draw himself closer to God. If the relationship is good with his god then his relationship with man will be good, and give birth to various forms of kindness that have an impact on the family, children and also the environment.

d. Economics

So many needs make parents busy making money all day long, to the point of forgetting the responsibility they carry as a parent who has children. The economy is a factor that affects parents as well as children. Most parents think that the economy is an important thing everything will be good and running, but it's not. Because there are also many parents who have a good economy have bad family relationships and often ignore children who should still need attention from both parents.

e. Education

Education is the dominant factor that affects children's behavior if the child has parents who have a high educational background, parents will better understand all forms of behavior that children show to their parents. Higher education will affect the results of education because from the womb a child must have received a good upbringing so that the child will be formed with good character and vice versa.

Character education is a conscious and planned effort to form a disposition or personality based on the values that exist in society. These values come from religion. Indonesian society is a religious society. Therefore, the lives of individuals, societies, and nations have always been based on the teachings of their religion and beliefs. Politically,

state life is also based on values derived from religion. (Yasipin, 2020)

There are so many children who get poor parenting and upbringing, one of which is children in Timbang Lawan village, Bahorok. As we found out, there are a lot of children who lack upbringing, such as issuing bad words, berating each other and mocking their friends. But this problem is often overlooked by parents in Timbang Lawan village, Bahorok.

Parenting Education is the involvement of parents in educational activities that aim to create a safe and comfortable living environment, so as to support the education of children and help children's growth and development properly and optimally. Parenting program is a program aimed at parents and families in the continuity of children's lives such as social and educational. Parents have an obligation to care for, protect and provide the best education for their children.

The benefits of learning parenting, namely:

1. Increase awareness of the parenting style provided.
2. Improving the skills of parents in carrying out their duties as good parents by caring for and providing the best education.
3. Providing education to parents to be better prepared for the household.

5. CONCLUSIONS AND SUGGESTIONS

A. Conclusion

From the results of the analysis and observations we made in the village of timbang lawab bahorok about the lack of parental attention to early childhood p erilaku in the village of Timbang Lawan Bahorok:

1. In the village of Timbang Lawan Bahorok we find many parents who lack awareness in providing upbringing to their children, especially in the manners. Especially with the attitude

or way of parents who do not pay more attention to their children which should be done at their age. More attention will greatly affect the mind, heart, soul and also the behavior of the child. The children we found in Timbang Lawan Village have various problems, both social and educational problems.

2. The lack of education about parenting in parents in Timbang Lawan Village is a very common problem among the community, there are so many that we find parents who do not know that the role of parents is not just to finance life but parents also need to give an inner touch to their children by paying attention.

B. Suggestion

From the various cases that we have researched in the village weigh against bahorok we give a little advice :

- a. Hopefully, there will be no more children who experience and get a bad character education from their parents, and may parents be aware of the importance of learning the knowledge of parenting both before marriage and after.
- b. Hopefully, our research can be useful and become an education, especially for the community to weigh against bahorok
- c. In order for our research to continue, we are very happy if readers provide criticism or suggestions that are constructive in nature.

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