

**FACTORS AFFECTING THE MALE STUDENT INTEREST IN  
CHOOSING CULINARY SKILLS PROGRAM  
AT SMK NEGERI 6 YOGYAKARTA**

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**ABSTRACT**

This study aims to determine: (1) The background of the male students chose Culinary Skills Program at SMK N 6 Yogyakarta, (2) intrinsic factors that affect the interests of male students in choosing Culinary Skills Program at SMK N 6 Yogyakarta include will, pleasure and motivation, (3) extrinsic factors that affect the interests of male students in choosing Culinary Skills Program at SMK N 6 Yogyakarta include family support, the environment, mass media and means of learning.

The study was conducted from March which took place in Yogyakarta SMK Negeri 6. This study is a quantitative descriptive study. Population used is the male students Culinary Skills Program Vocational School District 6 Yogyakarta consisting of 36 students. Techniques of data collection in this study used a questionnaire (questionnaire) and documentation. Testing validity using construct validity with product moment correlation technique, a statement of 37 items tested only 25 points a valid statement, validation with 35 respondents. Reliability testing in this study using the technique of internal consistency reliability alpha cronbach with the 0.81. Analytical techniques used are illustrated by descriptive analysis of the percentage.

The results showed that: (1) Background of male students in choosing Culinary Skills Program at SMK Negeri 6 Yogyakarta, has a very high compliance on the background of the family economy by 50% (18 students). High concordance rate in the background of a hobby for 75% (27 students). High concordance rate in the background of the ideals of 58.3% (21 students). High concordance rate in the background of job opportunities after graduation by 53% (19 students). High concordance rate in the background of the National Examination (UN) is far below the expectations of 50% (18 students), (2) Based on research conducted from the overall intrinsic factor, there are many factors that affect the interests of male students in choosing the Culinary Skills Program 6 in SMK Negeri Yogyakarta is fun factor of 44.4% (16 students) and motivation by 45% (17 students). Factor with high fitness is a factor of 43.6% will (15 students), (3) extrinsic factors that most affect the interests of male students in choosing the Hospitality Skills Program at SMK Negeri 6 Yogyakarta which means a factor of 49.1% subjects ( 18 students). Factor with high suitability for the family support factor 49.6% (18 students), the neighborhood of 44.5% (16 students). Factor of the mass media with low fitness is equal to 38.9% (14 students).