BAB V
CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

A. Conclusion

Student Centered Learning is one approach that teacher uses in learning process. Student Centered Learning aims to increase the quality of learning, develop potential of the student with optimally, developing student’s creativity and critical thinking. There are some characteristics of student centered learning. They were Student Centered Learning shifts the balance of classroom power from teacher to student, Student Centered Learning enables critical thinking of students, Student Centered Learning situates the teacher as mediator and contributor, Student Centered Learning returns the responsibility for learning to the students.

By the characteristics of Student Centered Learning in learning process, the teacher is not a centre in learning process. Teacher did not teach all the material. Also, by the characteristics of Student Centered Learning in learning process the teacher tells student a goal of learning process that student will achieve that, teacher gives a help and contribution to the student and gives a motivation. By the characteristic of Student Centered Learning, the student can be more active and creative in learning process because students share their idea, share their opinion. To improve it the researcher conducted the descriptive research for X grade at SMA N 3 Padang. With the purpose is to analyze the characteristics of Student Centered Learning in learning process. By doing this research, the researcher used observation
checklist in gathered the data. Based on research findings on data in previous chapter, the researcher found some finding that teachers have several characteristics of Student Centered Learning used by English teacher in teaching learning process for X grade at SMA N 3 Padang but does not optimally.

B. Suggestion

After doing the investigation phase in the field and analyzing the collected data, the researcher informed insightful suggestion at this point. The first, all of the English teachers’ should know the characteristics of student centered learning because it can help the teacher in the classroom and also students in learning process. By the characteristic of Student Centered Learning, the teacher can make the student active, creative in learning process and develop their skill and their critical thinking. Then, the teacher should has and know the characteristics of Student Centered Learning and use the approach because it is important before the teacher begins the class, by having and knowing the characteristics of student centered learning, the teacher can get success to apply the approach itself.