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(Article Preparation & Submission Guide)

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ABSTRACT

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Findings (can be in form of subheading)

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No.	Name	Male/Female	Rate
1	Aisyah	Female	Beginner
2	Ahmad	Male	Advance

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Analysis

Presenting the data that has been interpreted and analyzed by a specific technique and has been processed by the specific theory (also from researcher idea). Citations in Text use APA style sixth edition using manager reference (mendeley/zotero/endnote).

CONCLUSION

Write succinctly and clearly the result of research then describe the logical consequence in developing science and praxis of Islamic education. (Conclusion is not indented and uses bolded Times New Roman 12).

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Nasr, S. V. R. (2005). The Rise of Muslim Democracy. *Journal of Democracy* 2, 40-60.

Electronic Sources (Web Publications), example:

Thomson, A. (1998). *The Adult and The Curriculum*. Retrieved from <http://www.uiuc.edu/SPS/FES-Yearbook/1998/thomson.hotmail-2012-February 15th>

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