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Abstract

This study aims to pursue three main objectives. First, it investigates how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, focusing on teaching performance that needs to refine. Second, it examines why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback. Third, it explores whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback. Eleven pre-service English teachers (1 male and 10 females) attended one and half-hour classes every week of the semester participated in this study. The data were obtained from the whole-pre-service English teachers' interviews conducted in the form of a discussion every after they performed their teaching performance. Results showed that feedback is valuable to refine and improve pre-service English teachers' teaching performance. Pre-service English teachers' psychological aspect often becomes peers' consideration to deliver positive feedback rather than negative feedback. Additionally, supervisor feedback is considered more constructive than peer feedback.

Introduction

Feedback always becomes an interesting issue to investigate. It has been investigated by many researchers particularly in teacher training programs focusing on pre-service teachers' teaching performance. Through feedback, pre-service teachers obtain valuable information required to improve their performance (Ryan & Henderson, 2018; Sadler, 1989). It refers to pre-service teachers' ability to reflect and think critically about what needs to improve from their performance. Therefore, it is believed that feedback is crucial and influences students' learning and performance (Ocak & Karafil, 2020; Smith, 2017). Unsurprisingly, in the microteaching class, peer feedback and supervisor feedback become crucial to refining pre-service teachers' teaching performance. It is because they will be aware of some weaknesses in their performance. Unfortunately, no studies much explore pre-service teachers' perception of peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Thus, some common questions arise: *How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback? Why did not peers get involved actively in the session of feedback? Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?* Those questions are interesting to investigate since pre-service English teachers who are potential to be teachers are demanded to develop their teaching competence. Therefore, feedback in the microteaching class cannot be avoided by them whether or not it is about positive feedback or negative feedback. Pre-service English teachers, no matter how their feeling is, need to consider feedback to improve and refine their performance.

Literature Review

Is Feedback important?

Feedback has a crucial role in students' learning (Hattie & Timperley, 2007; Henderson et al., 2019; Nottingham & Nottingham, 2017). No matter who delivers the feedback whether it is advisor or peers. Through feedback, students' learning can be improved. It is understandable since the information delivered through feedback triggers students to reflect on their learning and critically think about what

needs to improve from their learning (Shute, 2008). The information provided addresses what points of their performance need to refine and improve. It makes students more aware of what the weaknesses of their performance. Therefore, students have some efforts to improve their learning.

It is undeniable that microteaching cannot avoid of giving feedback. Feedback is crucial in the microteaching class since it is about the construction of knowledge through discussion during the session feedback built by integrating past knowledge and present experience (Ekşi, 2012). In the process of microteaching, pre-service teachers' performance of teaching is reviewed, discussed, analyzed, and evaluated (Saban & Çoklar, 2013). The supervisor and peers give feedback concerning the teaching performance (Al Darwish & Sadeqi, 2016; Arsal, 2014). The detailed information is delivered, covering the strengths and weaknesses of pre-service teachers' teaching performance (Banga, 2014; Benton-Kupper, 2001). In terms of the weaknesses of teaching performance, pre-service teachers will see what parts of their performance that need to refine and improve. They will also realize what has been implemented in the teaching and learning process and what has not been yet. This situation benefits them to reflect the teaching and learning process and triggers them to learn how to perform better (Ekşi, 2012).

Feedback in the microteaching class is commonly used to encourage and/or guide pre-service teachers to re-prepare the lesson plan for better teaching performance. It is in line with Cobilla (2014) that feedback is obtained and information about teaching performance is also received by pre-service teachers in the microteaching class. Thus, feedback becomes a reference to refine and improve the performance of teaching (Arikan, 2004; Kamimura & Takizawa, 2012). The feedback which is also a critique on how a lesson objective is achieved is followed by a reflection by looking back at the teaching performance and determining whether the strategy used in the classroom is appropriate and effective to students. This feedback is conveyed immediately after teaching performance covering skills, strategies, techniques, teaching aids, and other aspects that are essential in teaching performance (Şen, 2010). Thus, those points help pre-service teachers to highlight the mistakes or the weaknesses of their performance in the teaching and learning process.

Peer Feedback versus Supervisor Feedback

There are some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Peers commonly focus on giving positive feedback rather than negative feedback. Ryan & Henderson (2018) explain that students are more likely to neglect feedback if it influences their negative feeling. Negative feedback commonly influences their feeling and emotion. Unsurprisingly, peers avoid giving negative feedback to others' teaching performance. Most of them are afraid of hurting other's feelings when they deliver feedback, specifically negative feedback. It is in line with Fernández (2005) that many teachers overly concern with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the session of feedback. Even though they realize that feedback gives many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, yet, some of them refrain from giving feedback overtly. It happens because in some cases, pre-service teachers regard feedback as a personal attack given by peers (Ocak & Karafil, 2020). Because of the consideration, peers prefer delivering positive feedback to delivering negative feedback.

Another problem faced by peers in delivering feedback is their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. Concerning other's feelings is a common obstacle that hinders them from providing constructive feedback. It is understandable since feedback is regarded as an inconvenient session. Many pre-service teachers, particularly from Indonesia, are not used to receive feedback from peers. They are not convenient with this session. There is a tendency of preferring peer feedback to supervisor feedback since peer feedback is considered more acceptable than supervisor feedback. Most pre-service teachers are afraid of having critics dealing with their performance.

Sadler (1989) reminds the supervisor to deliver feedback appropriately by considering what pre-service teachers need to know about the intended goal of learning and the standard one, pre-service teachers' current performance and the ideal performance, and what needs to do for the next performance. Considering those conditions, the supervisor is used to deliver negative feedback to pre-service teachers by figuring out the weaknesses of their teaching performance. Negative feedback is regarded as more powerful than positive feedback (Shute, 2008). It happens because those who receive negative feedback realize the weaknesses of their performance and it makes them more dissatisfied with their previous performance, thus, they are committed to learning what points need to refine and improve to achieve the learning goals. When the negative feedback is provided and directed correctly, pre-service teachers can

comprehend and learn to process the intended information well. Therefore, the feedback needs to deliver clearly, purposefully, and meaningfully.

It is contradictory with those who receive positive feedback in which they feel that their performance is good and there is no desire to perform better since they are satisfied with the result of their performance. The most important thing to consider by the supervisor in delivering the feedback is to deliver information about what pre-service teachers understand and misunderstand, what appropriate strategies to improve their performance, and what and how to do for the next performance (Shute, 2008). When pre-service teachers can reflect on their performance-not on pre-service teachers- and know what to provide, it means that the feedback delivered is meaningful and valuable. Accordingly, the supervisor requires to consider the content of feedback which is not only about the evaluation of the performance but also examples and hints, the function of feedback whether or not it motivates pre-service teachers, and enriches their cognitive and metacognitive knowledge, and the presentation of feedback which includes time i.e., immediately or delayed (Shute, 2008).

Research Methodology

The data were collected from the sixth-semester course of the English Education Department in Indonesia. The course is expert-guided microteaching which prepares pre-service English teachers to develop their teaching competence before enrolling in the program of the teaching internship in secondary schools for two-months.

Eleven pre-service English teachers (1 male and 10 females) attended one and half-hour classes every week of the semester. These one and half-hour classes were guided by the expert teacher (also known as the supervisor) and observed by two observers from peers to observe pre-service English teachers' teaching performance. Each pre-service English teacher was given an opportunity to practice their teaching in 20-minutes and receive feedback from peers and the supervisor. Each of them was observed four times during the semester. The supervisor and peers observed pre-service English teachers' teaching performance to figure out some points of teaching performance to deliver through feedback.

The feedback form covered opening the lesson, providing main activities (understanding the goal of learning, mastering the subject matter, choosing the appropriate strategies, explaining the subject matter to students, and evaluating students' understanding), and closing the lesson. The feedback also covered pedagogical content knowledge (PCK) adapted by Jang et al. (2009) covered subject matter knowledge, instructional representation and strategies, instructional objective and context, and knowledge of students' understanding. Those components were highlighted by the advisor and peers in delivering the feedback. Even though the content of feedback covered those components of PCK and teaching performance, at this point, the content was not explored in this research.

The data were obtained from the whole-pre-service English teachers' interviews conducted in the form of a discussion every after they perform their teaching performance. The interview was employed to diagnose how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, the reasons why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback, and whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback.

Findings and Discussion

The data which were obtained are discussed with reference to the following research questions:

Research Question 1. How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback?

The responses of pre-service English teachers to the first research question showed how they perceived peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Commonly the supervisor and peers often have different views on figuring out some points of their performance. Through interview, some pre-service English teachers

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agreed that feedback is crucial and gives many benefits for them to improve their performance. Right after their teaching performance, the advisor, together with peers, conveyed feedback focusing not only on the weaknesses but also on the strengths of pre-service English teachers' performance. It is in line with Eksi (2012) that the importance of feedback is because of the construction of knowledge through discussion built in the feedback session by integrating past knowledge and present experience. Accordingly, feedback is crucial in the microteaching class because the supervisor, peers, and practicing teachers must collaborate to discuss what needs to reflect and what needs to improve from their performance. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that feedback allows pre-service teachers to reflect on their performance and think about what needs to refine and improve. Therefore, it results in changes in teaching performance.

“Feedback is important to know what mistakes of my teaching. From feedback, I can highlight what I must improve from my teaching. The advisor lets me reflect on my teaching performance even though it is not easy to do. But, to help me reflecting mine, I can watch my teaching video to recall my memory and see the lesson plan that I have designed. From this point, I can highlight some parts that have been implemented and some that haven't.”

However, this step, further, was explained by pre-service English teachers that only reflecting by themselves with their performance what parts of teaching missed, did not really help them in identifying some parts that needed to improve. Pre-service English teachers had difficulties in identifying what was wrong with their performance. Therefore, the role of the advisor, at this point, was required to help them in figuring out the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. It strengthens Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that the role of advisor in the microteaching class is crucial to determine how better pre-service English teachers' teaching performance by highlighting the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. By emphasizing the weaknesses of their teaching, pre-service English teachers realized that their teaching performance was not conducted precisely and systematically. Besides, what needs to consider by the advisor, at this point, is how to deliver the feedback to pre-service teachers (Henderson et al., 2019). When the feedback is acceptable to pre-service teachers, it enables them to adjust their teaching well. Since their ability to adjust the teaching and provide good teaching performance is basically caused by the constructive feedback from the advisor (Gürkan, 2018).

“The way the advisor conveys feedback influences my conditions, emotions, and feelings. I am afraid of receiving feedback from the advisor, particularly negative feedback. However, I agree that from the feedback, I can refine my teaching performance and I must adjust my next teaching with the feedback given.”

Besides, pre-service English teachers also admitted that through feedback, they learnt from exemplary lessons demonstrated by the advisor. The exemplary lessons were shared with pre-service English teachers when they had difficulties in interpreting what was meant. Through the exemplary lessons, pre-service English teachers had a clear description of how to teach to students, particularly in the teaching genre. Pre-service English teachers learnt how to teach precisely and systematically through a cycle-based approach aiming at creating effective teaching. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020b) study that the guidance and exemplary lessons shared become good models for pre-service English teachers to implement instructional practices. Therefore, feedback is effective in helping pre-service English teachers in enhancing their performance. The performance is not only limited on their teaching but also on the knowledge of teaching base i.e., pedagogical content knowledge (PCK), which is started from the very beginning of their teaching preparation such as designing a lesson plan. Feedback helps pre-service English teachers to develop their PCK that is required to teach in which their awareness toward knowledge of subject matter (KSU), instructional representation & strategies (IRS), instructional objective & context (IOC), and knowledge of students' understanding (KSU) improves significantly. Feedback also helps pre-service English teachers to anticipate the probable mistakes of teaching. It is crucial since it is a starting point for them to improve their teaching performance.

“What I am waiting for from the feedback session is when the advisor demonstrates how to teach students with a certain approach. From the teaching simulation, it helps me to design what teaching and learning process should be conducted, and well..., I can imitate her teaching.”

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“Feedback is not only about evaluating teaching performance, but it is also about what I have prepared for my teaching. From this point, the advisor commonly evaluates the whole of my teaching performance with what I have prepared in my lesson plan.”

It is also admitted by pre-service English teachers that there were some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. It is in line with Smith (2017) that the most different thing between peer feedback and supervisor feedback is the quality of the feedback provided. Peers, for example, were commonly not aware of some points to deliver. Consequently, the feedback was not delivered in detail. They also preferred delivering positive feedback to delivering negative feedback. Even though it was admitted by pre-service English teachers that having both negative and positive feedback helped them to build their competence. They could avoid inappropriate behavior for the next teaching.

“I think both positive feedback and negative feedback are good and give many benefits for me as a pre-service English teacher to improve my performance. Negative feedback allows me to realize what mistakes I have made in my teaching and I will learn not to do the same mistakes for my next performance. However, I admit that knowing the strengths of my performance makes me more confident and motivated to teach.”

Unfortunately, controlling sad feelings because of the criticism was not easy for some of them. They had to accept their condition and learn to raise up to perform better.

“Well, I am not really comfortable receiving negative feedback in front of my friends in the microteaching class even though I can learn many things from the feedback given. Negative feedback lets my friends know the weaknesses and the mistakes of my teaching performance, and I am not ready for that condition.”

For those who were extroverts, it was not a matter to have some criticism of their performance. Otherwise, the introverted ones, needed much time to accept the condition even though they said that the feedback was beneficial for their performance. Unsurprisingly, some pre-service English teachers felt uncomfortable receiving feedback because they were ashamed of others for their bad performance. It was explained by some of the pre-service English teachers as follows.

“To be a teacher, I must be ready to receive both positive feedback and negative feedback. As adult learners, I must consider positive sides that I can obtain from the feedback.”

“Receiving negative feedback makes me hopeless. I am not confident in front of my friends because of my weaknesses.”

Research Question 2. Why did not peers get involved actively in the session of feedback?

It is undeniable that peers feel forced to give feedback on others' performance in the microteaching class. Peers commonly faced difficulties in delivering feedback. One of the difficulties faced by them was their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. They considered that a common obstacle hindering them from providing feedback was related to other's feelings. They were afraid of hurting other's feelings when delivering feedback. That was why peers preferred delayed feedback to immediate feedback.

“I have difficulties in giving feedback to my friends' teaching performance. Even though there is a feedback form to notice some points, but... it's not easy. I have no teaching experience and it influences me to give feedback.”

“I feel bad to give negative feedback on my friend's performance. I am afraid she will go away from me because of my feedback, particularly, when the feedback must be delivered in the microteaching class. Even, to imagine how her feelings to receive feedback, I can't.”

Besides, giving positive feedback was also selected more often than giving negative feedback. This study strengthens Fernández's (2005) study that many teachers overly concern with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the session of feedback. Even though they realized that feedback gave many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, yet, some of them refrained from giving feedback overtly. Peers did not want their friends to lose their face by telling them their weaknesses.

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Thus, peers preferred conveying feedback face to face to conveying feedback in front of others. Discussing and noticing what was wrong with their performance outside of the class by using their own language was regarded as more acceptable. Those factors made peers did not get involved actively in the feedback session. Many considerations they had pertaining to other's feelings, and for them, it was more important to maintain. Further, they explained that having a bad condition was not easy. Therefore, they added that it was important to encourage others by giving positive feedback in order for their friends were more motivated to learn and perform better. Feeling guilty after giving negative feedback were commonly faced by them in which it also influenced their attitudes. Accordingly, many of them were more comfortable to give positive feedback to others' performance in the microteaching class. They only noticed the general points to deliver. Because of that point, compared with the supervisor, peers seemed inactive in the session of feedback in the microteaching class.

“Giving positive feedback, I think, is more acceptable than negative feedback. It is because I also feel bad about receiving negative feedback from others. What we need is actually encouragement from others to build our confidence in our teaching. Let the advisor for delivering the negative feedback, noticing the weaknesses of the teaching performance in detail.”

Some pre-service English teachers also said that peers commonly did not express explicitly their criticism of the weaknesses of performance in the feedback session. However, they admitted that peers commonly highlighted some weaknesses of their performance based on the guideline of feedback, and those points were only written in the form of feedback. Compared to oral feedback, written feedback is regarded as an effective one to do. Peers were more comfortable to deliver their feedback in the written form. The points to emphasize which were written in the form helped peers to focus point per point to highlight. This study strengthens Eksi's (2012) study that written feedback makes pre-service teachers more convenient to highlight what needs to observe and evaluate. Unfortunately, peers were reluctant to deliver the feedback orally. Whereas, peers could confirm and clarify the written feedback through oral feedback (Ishchensko & Verkhovtsova, 2019). They preferred to give written feedback and let others read the feedback by themselves by considering others' feelings when it was delivered orally in the feedback session. Besides, the risk of delivering feedback, specifically negative feedback orally often brings them to personal conflict.

“Compared to oral feedback, I prefer written feedback. There is a guideline to highlight in the feedback form. And I think, written feedback avoids me to friendship trouble. I am afraid that the feedback given will be regarded as a personal conflict. It will make worse.”

Research Question 3. Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?

Not much issue investigates whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback. Peers who basically do not have their own class are restricted to highlight some points related to the teaching and learning process since they only use their knowledge based on their educational experience (Borg, 2003; Kagan, 1992). This condition is contradicted with the advisor's feedback in which the feedback delivered is commonly based on their own teaching experiences. Thus, in the feedback session, the advisor often gave hints and demonstrated how to carry out the teaching and learning process. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that the teaching examples given very much helped pre-service English teachers to understand what teaching and learning process should have been conducted.

“Frankly speaking, feedback given by the supervisor is more beneficial for my teaching performance. The feedback is delivered in detail so that I can notice point per point to understand. From the feedback, I can anticipate what needs to avoid and what needs to implement. It is different from the feedback given by peers. They deliver feedback in general. The feedback also only contains positive feedback.”

“Supervisor feedback and peer feedback are two different points. The supervisor has teaching experiences that enable her to give feedback about the teaching and learning process and therefore can give some advice and examples of good models of teaching. Meanwhile, peers do not have teaching experience so that the feedback is only based on what they have learned.”

Conclusion

This study was concerned with how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback, and whether or not peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback. In addressing these research questions and considering the presented evidence, it can be concluded that feedback delivered by peers and the advisor makes pre-service English teachers aware of what needs to refine and improve from their teaching performance. Accordingly, feedback helps them avoid inappropriate teaching.

This study also provided further insight into delivering feedback to influence pre-service English teachers' psychological aspect in which those who are extroverts prefer immediate feedback rather than delayed feedback. However, for those who are introverts, delayed feedback is considered more effective and acceptable. Another focus is that considering others' feelings and avoiding personal conflict become the most important to highlight by peers in delivering feedback. Therefore, to encourage and motivate them in the teaching and learning process, peers are more convenient to deliver positive feedback rather than negative feedback.

A crucial factor in delivering feedback is influenced by knowledge, skill, and teaching experiences. The supervisor often shares exemplary lessons and hints to pre-service English teachers on how to provide meaningful learning to students. Meanwhile, peers' feedback is commonly only based on their educational experience. Unsurprisingly, supervisor feedback is considered more constructive than peer feedback.

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Introduction

Feedback always becomes an interesting issue to investigate. Many researchers have investigated it in teacher training programs focusing on teaching performance. Through feedback, pre-service teachers obtain valuable information to improve their performance (Ryan & Henderson, 2018; Sadler, 1989). It refers to pre-service teachers' ability to reflect their performance and think critically about what needs to improve. Therefore, it is believed feedback is crucial and influences students' learning and performance (Ocak & Karafil, 2020; Smith, 2017). Unsurprisingly, in the microteaching class, peer feedback and supervisor feedback become crucial to refining pre-service teachers' teaching performance. It is because they will be aware of some weaknesses in their performance. Unfortunately, no studies much explore pre-service teachers' perception of peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Thus, some common questions arise: *How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback? Why did not peers get involved actively in the session of feedback? Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?* Those questions are interesting to investigate since pre-service English teachers who are potential to be teachers are demanded to develop their teaching competence. Therefore, feedback in the microteaching class cannot be avoided whether or not it is about positive feedback or negative feedback. Pre-service English teachers, no matter how their feeling is, need to consider feedback to improve and refine their performance.

Literature Review

Is Feedback important?

Feedback has a crucial role in students' learning (Hattie & Timperley, 2007; Henderson et al., 2019; Nottingham & Nottingham, 2017). No matter who delivers the feedback whether it is advisor or peers. Through feedback, students' learning can be improved. It is understandable since the information through feedback triggers students to reflect on their learning and critically think about what needs to improve (Shute, 2008). The information addresses what points of students' performance need to refine and improve, so they will be more aware of their performance shortcomings. Therefore, they have some efforts to improve their learning.

In the microteaching class, feedback is also crucial since it is about constructing knowledge through discussion by integrating past knowledge and present experience (Ekşi, 2012). Pre-service teachers' teaching performance is reviewed, discussed, analyzed, and evaluated (Saban & Çoklar, 2013). The supervisor and peers give feedback concerning the teaching performance (Al Darwish & Sadeqi, 2016; Arsal, 2014). The detailed information is delivered, covering the strengths and weaknesses of pre-service teachers' teaching performance (Banga, 2014; Benton-Kupper, 2001). In terms of the shortcomings in teaching performance, pre-service teachers will see what parts of their performance need to refine and improve. They will also realize what has been implemented and what has not been yet. This situation benefits them to reflect the teaching and learning process and triggers them to learn how to perform better (Ekşi, 2012).

Feedback in the microteaching class is commonly used to encourage and guide pre-service teachers to re-prepare the lesson plan for better teaching performance. Cobilla (2014) asserts through feedback, information about teaching performance is received by pre-service teachers in the microteaching class. Thus, feedback becomes a reference to refine and improve the teaching performance (Arikan, 2004; Kamimura & Takizawa, 2012). The feedback which is also a critique on how a lesson objective is achieved is followed by a reflection, by looking back at the teaching performance and determining whether the strategy used in the classroom is appropriate and effective to students. This feedback is conveyed immediately after teaching performance, covering skills, strategies, techniques, teaching aids, and other aspects that are essential in teaching performance (Şen, 2010). Thus, those points help pre-service teachers to highlight the mistakes or the weaknesses of their performance in the teaching and learning process.

Peer Feedback versus Supervisor Feedback

There are some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Peers commonly focus on giving positive feedback rather than negative feedback. Ryan & Henderson (2018) explain students are more likely to neglect feedback if it influences their negative feeling. Negative feedback commonly influences their feeling and emotion. Unsurprisingly, peers avoid giving negative feedback to others' teaching performance. Most of them are afraid of hurting other's feelings when they deliver feedback. It is in line with Fernández (2005) many teachers overly concern with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the session of feedback. Even though they realize that feedback gives many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, some of them refrain from giving feedback overtly. It happens because in some cases, pre-service teachers regard feedback as a personal attack given by peers (Ocak & Karafil, 2020). Because of the consideration, peers prefer positive feedback to negative feedback. Another problem faced by peers in delivering feedback is their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. Concerning other's feelings is a common obstacle that hinders them from providing constructive feedback. It is understandable since feedback is regarded as an inconvenient session. Many pre-service teachers tend to prefer peer feedback to supervisor feedback since peer feedback is considered more acceptable than supervisor feedback. Most pre-service teachers are afraid of having critics dealing with their performance.

Sadler (1989) reminds the supervisor to deliver feedback appropriately by considering what pre-service teachers need to know about the intended goal of learning and the standard one, pre-service teachers' current performance and the ideal performance, and what needs to do for the next performance. Unsurprisingly, the supervisor often delivers negative feedback by figuring out the weaknesses of their teaching performance. Negative feedback is regarded as more powerful than positive feedback (Shute, 2008). Those who receive negative feedback realize the weaknesses of their performance and it makes them more dissatisfied with their previous performance, thus, they are committed to learning what points need to perform better. When the negative feedback is provided and directed correctly, pre-service teachers can comprehend and learn to process the intended information well. Therefore, the feedback needs to deliver clearly, purposefully, and meaningfully.

Unfortunately, those who receive positive feedback feel they perform well and have no desire to perform better since they are satisfied with their performance. Thus, in delivering the feedback, the supervisor needs crucially to provide information about what pre-service teachers understand and misunderstand, what appropriate strategies to improve, and how to do the next performance (Shute, 2008). The delivered feedback will be meaningful and valuable when pre-service teachers can reflect on their teaching performance. Accordingly, the supervisor must consider the content of feedback involving examples and hints, the function of feedback to motivate pre-service teachers, enrich their cognitive and metacognitive knowledge, and give feedback either immediately or delayed (Shute, 2008).

Research Methodology

The data were collected from the sixth-semester course of the English Education Department in Indonesia. The course is expert-guided microteaching which prepares pre-service English teachers to develop their teaching competence before enrolling in the program of the teaching internship in secondary schools for two-months.

Eleven pre-service English teachers (1 male and 10 females) attended one and half-hour classes every week of the semester. These one and half-hour classes were guided by one supervisor and observed by two peers. Each pre-service English teacher was given an opportunity to practice their teaching in 20-minutes and receive feedback from peers and the supervisor. Each of them was observed four times during the semester. The supervisor and peers observed pre-service English teachers' teaching performance to figure out some points of teaching performance to deliver through feedback.

The feedback form covered opening the lesson, providing main activities (understanding the goal of learning, mastering the subject matter, choosing the appropriate strategies, explaining the subject matter to students, and evaluating students' understanding), and closing the lesson. The feedback also covered pedagogical content knowledge (PCK) adapted by Jang et al. (2009) covered subject matter knowledge, instructional representation and strategies, instructional objective and context, and knowledge of students' understanding. Those components were highlighted by the advisor and peers in delivering the feedback. Even though the content of feedback covered those components of PCK and teaching performance, at this point, the content was not explored in this research.

The data were obtained from the whole-pre-service English teachers' interviews conducted in the form of a discussion every after they performed their teaching. The interview was employed to diagnose how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, the reasons why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback, and whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback.

Findings and Discussion

The obtained data are discussed based on the following research questions:

Research Question 1. How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback?

The pre-service English teachers' responses to the first research question showed how they perceived peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Commonly the supervisor and peers often have different views on figuring out some points of their performance. Through interview, some pre-service English teachers agreed feedback is crucial and gives many benefits for them to improve their performance. Right after their teaching performance, the advisor, together with peers, conveyed feedback focusing not only on the weaknesses but also on the strengths of pre-service English teachers' performance. It is in line with Eksi (2012) the importance of feedback is because of the construction of knowledge through discussion built by integrating past knowledge and present experience. Accordingly, feedback is crucial in the microteaching class because the supervisor, peers, and practicing teachers must collaborate to discuss what needs to reflect and what needs to improve from their performance. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that feedback allows pre-service teachers to reflect on their performance and think about what needs to refine and improve. Therefore, it results in changes in teaching performance.

“Feedback is important to know what mistakes of my teaching. From feedback, I can highlight what I must improve from my teaching. The advisor lets me reflect on my teaching performance even though it is not easy to do. But, to help me reflecting mine, I can watch my teaching video to recall my memory and see the lesson plan that I have designed. From this point, I can highlight some parts that have been implemented and some that haven't.”

However, pre-service English teachers had difficulties in identifying what was wrong with their performance. Therefore, the advisor was required to help them in figuring out the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. It strengthens Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that the role of advisor in the microteaching class is crucial to determine how better pre-service English teachers' teaching performance by highlighting the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. By concerning their teaching weaknesses, pre-service English teachers realized that their teaching performance was not conducted precisely and systematically. Besides, the advisor needs to consider how to deliver the feedback to pre-service teachers (Henderson et al., 2019). When the feedback is acceptable, it enables pre-service teachers to adjust their

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teaching well. The ability to adjust the teaching and provide good teaching performance is basically caused by the constructive feedback from the advisor (Gürkan, 2018).

“The way the advisor conveys feedback influences my conditions, emotions, and feelings. I am afraid of receiving feedback from the advisor, particularly negative feedback. However, I agree that from the feedback, I can refine my teaching performance and I must adjust my next teaching with the feedback given.”

Besides, pre-service English teachers also admitted through feedback, they learnt from exemplary lessons demonstrated by the advisor. Through the exemplary lessons, pre-service English teachers had a clear description of how to teach to students. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020b) study that the guidance and exemplary lessons shared become good models for pre-service English teachers to implement instructional practices. Therefore, feedback is effective in helping pre-service English teachers in enhancing their performance. The performance is limited on their teaching and the knowledge of teaching base i.e., pedagogical content knowledge (PCK). Feedback also helps pre-service English teachers to anticipate the probable mistakes of teaching. It is crucial since it is a starting point for them to improve their teaching performance.

“What I am waiting for from the feedback session is when the advisor demonstrates how to teach students with a certain approach. From the teaching simulation, it helps me to design what teaching and learning process should be conducted, and well..., I can imitate her teaching.”

“Feedback is not only about evaluating teaching performance, but it is also about what I have prepared for my teaching. From this point, the advisor commonly evaluates the whole of my teaching performance with what I have prepared in my lesson plan.”

Pre-service English teachers also admitted that there were some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Smith (2017) explained the most different thing between peer feedback and supervisor feedback is on feedback quality. Peers, for example, were commonly not aware of some points to deliver. Consequently, the feedback was not delivered in detail. They also often preferred delivering positive feedback to delivering negative feedback. However, both negative feedback and positive feedback helped pre-service English teachers build their competence and avoid inappropriate behavior for the next teaching.

“I think both positive feedback and negative feedback are good and give many benefits for me as a pre-service English teacher to improve my performance. Negative feedback allows me to realize what mistakes I have made in my teaching and I will learn not to do the same mistakes for my next performance. However, I admit that knowing the strengths of my performance makes me more confident and motivated to teach.”

Unfortunately, controlling sad feelings because of the criticism was not easy for some of them.

“Well, I am not really comfortable receiving negative feedback in front of my friends in the microteaching class even though I can learn many things from the feedback given. Negative feedback lets my friends know the weaknesses and the mistakes of my teaching performance, and I am not ready for that condition.”

For those who were extroverts, it was not a matter to have some criticisms of their performance. Otherwise, the introverted ones needed much time to accept the condition. Unsurprisingly, some pre-service English teachers felt uncomfortable receiving feedback because they were ashamed of others for their bad performance.

“To be a teacher, I must be ready to receive both positive feedback and negative feedback. As adult learners, I must consider positive sides that I can obtain from the feedback.”

“Receiving negative feedback makes me hopeless. I am not confident in front of my friends because of my weaknesses.”

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Research Question 2. Why did not peers get involved actively in the session of feedback?

It is undeniable peers feel forced to give feedback on others' performance. Peers commonly faced difficulties in delivering feedback. One of the difficulties faced by them was their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. They considered a common obstacle hindering them from providing feedback was related to other's feelings. They were afraid of hurting other's feelings when delivering feedback.

"I have difficulties in giving feedback to my friends' teaching performance. Even though there is a feedback form to notice some points, but... it's not easy. I have no teaching experience and it influences me to give feedback."

"I feel bad to give negative feedback on my friend's performance. I am afraid she will go away from me because of my feedback, particularly, when the feedback must be delivered in the microteaching class. Even, to imagine how her feelings to receive feedback, I can't."

Besides, giving positive feedback was also selected more often than giving negative feedback. It strengthens Fernández's (2005) study that many teachers overly concern with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the session of feedback. Even though they realized that feedback gave many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, some of them refrained from giving feedback overtly. Peers did not want their friends to lose their face by telling their weaknesses. Thus, peers preferred conveying feedback face to face. Those factors made peers did not get involved actively in the feedback session. Many considerations they had pertaining to other's feelings, and for them, it was more important to maintain.

Further, they explained having a bad condition was not easy. Therefore, they added it was important to encourage others by giving positive feedback in order pre-service English teachers were more motivated to learn and perform better. Feeling guilty after giving negative feedback were commonly faced by them in which it also influenced their attitudes. Accordingly, many of them were more comfortable to give positive feedback to others' performance. They only noticed the general points to deliver. Because of that point, compared to the supervisor, peers seemed inactive in the session of feedback.

"Giving positive feedback, I think, is more acceptable than negative feedback. It is because I also feel bad about receiving negative feedback from others. What we need is actually encouragement from others to build our confidence in our teaching. Let the advisor for delivering the negative feedback, noticing the weaknesses of the teaching performance in detail."

Some pre-service English teachers also said peers commonly did not express explicitly their criticism of the weaknesses of performance in the feedback session. However, they admitted peers commonly highlighted some weaknesses of their performance based on the guideline of feedback. Compared to oral feedback, written feedback is regarded as an effective one to do. Peers were more comfortable to deliver their feedback in the written form. It supports Eksi's (2012) study that written feedback makes pre-service teachers more convenient to highlight what needs to observe and evaluate. Unfortunately, peers were reluctant to deliver the feedback orally. Whereas, peers could confirm and clarify the written feedback through oral feedback (Ishchensko & Verkhovtsova, 2019). They preferred to give written feedback and let others read the feedback by themselves. Besides, the risk of delivering feedback orally, particularly negative feedback often brings them to personal conflict.

"Compared to oral feedback, I prefer written feedback. There is a guideline to highlight in the feedback form. And I think, written feedback avoids me to friendship trouble. I am afraid that the feedback given will be regarded as a personal conflict. It will make worse."

Research Question 3. Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?

Not much issue investigates whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback. Peers who basically do not have their own class, meaning they do not have teaching experiences, are limited to highlight some points related to the teaching and learning process. Their feedback is based on what knowledge they got during their study. This finding strengthens Borg' (2003) and Kagan's (1992) studies

that pre-service teachers will only use their knowledge based on their educational experiences to deliver feedback to others. Thus, it is undeniable peers could not highlight some points in detail.

“Supervisor feedback and peer feedback are two different points. The supervisor has teaching experiences that enable her to give feedback about the teaching and learning process and therefore can give some advice and examples of good models of teaching. Meanwhile, peers do not have teaching experience so that the feedback is only based on what they have learned.”

The above condition is contradicted with the advisor’s feedback in which the feedback delivered is more detailed and is commonly based on their own teaching experiences. Thus, in the feedback session, the advisor often gave hints and demonstrated how to carry out the teaching and learning process. Those made pre-service English teachers easy on how to conduct the teaching and learning process. It supports Aimah et al.’s (2020a) study that the teaching examples very much helped pre-service English teachers to understand what teaching and learning process should have been conducted.

Conclusion

This study was concerned with how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback, and whether or not peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback. In addressing these research questions and considering the presented evidence, it can be concluded feedback delivered by peers and the advisor makes pre-service English teachers aware of what needs to refine and improve from their teaching performance. Accordingly, feedback helps them avoid inappropriate teaching.

This study also provided further insight into delivering feedback to influence pre-service English teachers’ psychological aspect in which those who are extroverts prefer immediate feedback rather than delayed feedback. However, for those who are introverts, delayed feedback is considered more effective and acceptable. Another focus is that considering others’ feelings and avoiding personal conflict become the most important to highlight by peers in delivering feedback. Therefore, to encourage and motivate them in carrying out the teaching and learning process, peers are more convenient to deliver positive feedback rather than negative feedback.

A crucial factor in delivering feedback is influenced by knowledge, skill, and teaching experiences. The supervisor often shares exemplary lessons and hints to pre-service English teachers on how to provide meaningful learning to students. Meanwhile, peers’ feedback is commonly only based on their educational experience. Unsurprisingly, supervisor feedback is considered more constructive than peer feedback.

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“Feedback is important to know what mistakes of my teaching. From feedback, I can highlight what I must improve from my teaching. The advisor lets me reflect on my teaching performance even though it is not easy to do. But, to help me reflecting mine, I can watch my teaching video to recall my memory and see the lesson plan that I have designed. From this point, I can highlight some parts that have been implemented and some that haven't.”

However, pre-service English teachers had difficulties in identifying what was wrong with their performance. Therefore, the advisor was required to help them in figuring out the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. It strengthens Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that the role of advisor in the microteaching class is crucial to determine how better pre-service English teachers' teaching performance by highlighting the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. By concerning their teaching weaknesses, pre-service English teachers realized that their teaching performance was not conducted precisely and systematically. Besides, the advisor needs to consider how to deliver the feedback to pre-service teachers (Henderson et al., 2019). When the feedback is acceptable, it enables pre-service teachers to adjust their

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teaching well. The ability to adjust the teaching and provide good teaching performance is basically caused by the constructive feedback from the advisor (Gürkan, 2018).

“The way the advisor conveys feedback influences my conditions, emotions, and feelings. I am afraid of receiving feedback from the advisor, particularly negative feedback. However, I agree that from the feedback, I can refine my teaching performance and I must adjust my next teaching with the feedback given.”

Besides, pre-service English teachers also admitted through feedback, they learnt from exemplary lessons demonstrated by the advisor. Through the exemplary lessons, pre-service English teachers had a clear description of how to teach to students. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020b) study that the guidance and exemplary lessons shared become good models for pre-service English teachers to implement instructional practices. Therefore, feedback is effective in helping pre-service English teachers in enhancing their performance. The performance is limited on their teaching and the knowledge of teaching base i.e., pedagogical content knowledge (PCK). Feedback also helps pre-service English teachers to anticipate the probable mistakes of teaching. It is crucial since it is a starting point for them to improve their teaching performance.

“What I am waiting for from the feedback session is when the advisor demonstrates how to teach students with a certain approach. From the teaching simulation, it helps me to design what teaching and learning process should be conducted, and well..., I can imitate her teaching.”

“Feedback is not only about evaluating teaching performance, but it is also about what I have prepared for my teaching. From this point, the advisor commonly evaluates the whole of my teaching performance with what I have prepared in my lesson plan.”

Pre-service English teachers also admitted that there were some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Smith (2017) explained the most different thing between peer feedback and supervisor feedback is on feedback quality. Peers, for example, were commonly not aware of some points to deliver. Consequently, the feedback was not delivered in detail. They also often preferred delivering positive feedback to delivering negative feedback. However, both negative feedback and positive feedback helped pre-service English teachers build their competence and avoid inappropriate behavior for the next teaching.

“I think both positive feedback and negative feedback are good and give many benefits for me as a pre-service English teacher to improve my performance. Negative feedback allows me to realize what mistakes I have made in my teaching and I will learn not to do the same mistakes for my next performance. However, I admit that knowing the strengths of my performance makes me more confident and motivated to teach.”

Unfortunately, controlling sad feelings because of the criticism was not easy for some of them.

“Well, I am not really comfortable receiving negative feedback in front of my friends in the microteaching class even though I can learn many things from the feedback given. Negative feedback lets my friends know the weaknesses and the mistakes of my teaching performance, and I am not ready for that condition.”

For those who were extroverts, it was not a matter to have some criticisms of their performance. Otherwise, the introverted ones needed much time to accept the condition. Unsurprisingly, some pre-service English teachers felt uncomfortable receiving feedback because they were ashamed of others for their bad performance.

“To be a teacher, I must be ready to receive both positive feedback and negative feedback. As adult learners, I must consider positive sides that I can obtain from the feedback.”

“Receiving negative feedback makes me hopeless. I am not confident in front of my friends because of my weaknesses.”

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Research Question 2. Why did not peers get involved actively in the session of feedback?

It is undeniable peers feel forced to give feedback on others' performance. Peers commonly faced difficulties in delivering feedback. One of the difficulties faced by them was their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. They considered a common obstacle hindering them from providing feedback was related to other's feelings. They were afraid of hurting other's feelings when delivering feedback.

"I have difficulties in giving feedback to my friends' teaching performance. Even though there is a feedback form to notice some points, but... it's not easy. I have no teaching experience and it influences me to give feedback."

"I feel bad to give negative feedback on my friend's performance. I am afraid she will go away from me because of my feedback, particularly, when the feedback must be delivered in the microteaching class. Even, to imagine how her feelings to receive feedback, I can't."

Besides, giving positive feedback was also selected more often than giving negative feedback. It strengthens Fernández's (2005) study that many teachers overly concern with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the session of feedback. Even though they realized that feedback gave many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, some of them refrained from giving feedback overtly. Peers did not want their friends to lose their face by telling their weaknesses. Thus, peers preferred conveying feedback face to face. Those factors made peers did not get involved actively in the feedback session. Many considerations they had pertaining to other's feelings, and for them, it was more important to maintain.

Further, they explained having a bad condition was not easy. Therefore, they added it was important to encourage others by giving positive feedback in order pre-service English teachers were more motivated to learn and perform better. Feeling guilty after giving negative feedback were commonly faced by them in which it also influenced their attitudes. Accordingly, many of them were more comfortable to give positive feedback to others' performance. They only noticed the general points to deliver. Because of that point, compared to the supervisor, peers seemed inactive in the session of feedback.

"Giving positive feedback, I think, is more acceptable than negative feedback. It is because I also feel bad about receiving negative feedback from others. What we need is actually encouragement from others to build our confidence in our teaching. Let the advisor for delivering the negative feedback, noticing the weaknesses of the teaching performance in detail."

Some pre-service English teachers also said peers commonly did not express explicitly their criticism of the weaknesses of performance in the feedback session. However, they admitted peers commonly highlighted some weaknesses of their performance based on the guideline of feedback. Compared to oral feedback, written feedback is regarded as an effective one to do. Peers were more comfortable to deliver their feedback in the written form. It supports Eksi's (2012) study that written feedback makes pre-service teachers more convenient to highlight what needs to observe and evaluate. Unfortunately, peers were reluctant to deliver the feedback orally. Whereas, peers could confirm and clarify the written feedback through oral feedback (Ishchensko & Verkhovtsova, 2019). They preferred to give written feedback and let others read the feedback by themselves. Besides, the risk of delivering feedback orally, particularly negative feedback often brings them to personal conflict.

"Compared to oral feedback, I prefer written feedback. There is a guideline to highlight in the feedback form. And I think, written feedback avoids me to friendship trouble. I am afraid that the feedback given will be regarded as a personal conflict. It will make worse."

Research Question 3. Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?

Not much issue investigates whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback. Peers who basically do not have their own class, meaning they do not have teaching experiences, are limited to highlight some points related to the teaching and learning process. Their feedback is based on what knowledge they got during their study. This finding strengthens Borg' (2003) and Kagan's (1992) studies

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that pre-service teachers will only use their knowledge based on their educational experiences to deliver feedback to others. Thus, it is undeniable peers could not highlight some points in detail.

“Supervisor feedback and peer feedback are two different points. The supervisor has teaching experiences that enable her to give feedback about the teaching and learning process and therefore can give some advice and examples of good models of teaching. Meanwhile, peers do not have teaching experience so that the feedback is only based on what they have learned.”

The above condition is contradicted with the advisor’s feedback in which the feedback delivered is more detailed and is commonly based on their own teaching experiences. Thus, in the feedback session, the advisor often gave hints and demonstrated how to carry out the teaching and learning process. Those made pre-service English teachers easy on how to conduct the teaching and learning process. It supports Aimah et al.’s (2020a) study that the teaching examples very much helped pre-service English teachers to understand what teaching and learning process should have been conducted.

Conclusion

This study was concerned with how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, why peers did not get involved actively in the session of feedback, and whether or not peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback. In addressing these research questions and considering the presented evidence, it can be concluded feedback delivered by peers and the advisor makes pre-service English teachers aware of what needs to refine and improve from their teaching performance. Accordingly, feedback helps them avoid inappropriate teaching.

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A crucial factor in delivering feedback is influenced by knowledge, skill, and teaching experiences. The supervisor often shares exemplary lessons and hints to pre-service English teachers on how to provide meaningful learning to students. Meanwhile, peers’ feedback is commonly only based on their educational experience. Unsurprisingly, supervisor feedback is considered more constructive than peer feedback.

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Feedback has always been an interesting issue to investigate. Many researchers have investigated it in teacher training programs focusing on teaching performance. Through feedback, pre-service teachers obtain valuable information to improve their performance (Ryan & Henderson, 2018; Sadler, 1989). It refers to pre-service teachers' ability to reflect on their performance and think critically about what needs to improve. Therefore, it is believed that feedback is crucial and influences students' learning and performance (Ocak & Karafil, 2020; Smith, 2017). Unsurprisingly, in the microteaching class, peer feedback and supervisor feedback has become crucial to refining pre-service teachers' teaching performance because they will be aware of some weaknesses in their performance. Unfortunately, no studies have explored pre-service teachers' perceptions of peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Thus, some common questions arise: *How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback? Why do peers not get involved actively in feedback sessions? Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?* Those questions are interesting to investigate since pre-service English teachers who are potential teachers-to-be must develop their teaching competence. Therefore, feedback in the microteaching class cannot be avoided whether or not it is about positive or negative feedback. Pre-service English teachers, no matter who they are, need to consider feedback to improve and refine their performance.

Literature Review

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Feedback has a crucial role to play in students' learning (Hattie & Timperley, 2007; Henderson et al., 2019; Nottingham & Nottingham, 2017). No matter who delivers the feedback, whether it is the advisor or peers, through feedback, students' learning can be improved. It is understandable since the information

through feedback triggers students to reflect on their learning and critically think about what needs to improve (Shute, 2008). The information addresses what points of students' performance need to be refined and improve, so they will be more aware of their performance shortcomings.

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Feedback in the microteaching class is commonly used to encourage and guide pre-service teachers to re-prepare the lesson plan for better teaching performance. Cobilla (2014) asserts through feedback, information about teaching performance is received by pre-service teachers in the microteaching class. Thus, feedback becomes a reference to refine and improve teaching performance (Arikan, 2004; Kamimura & Takizawa, 2012). The feedback which is also a critique on how a lesson objective is achieved is followed by a reflection, by looking back at the teaching performance and determining whether the strategy used in the classroom is appropriate and effective for students. This feedback is conveyed immediately after teaching performance, covering skills, strategies, techniques, teaching aids, and other aspects that are essential in teaching performance (Şen, 2010). Thus, those points help pre-service teachers to highlight the mistakes made or the weaknesses of their performance in the teaching and learning process.

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Further, they explained having a bad condition was not easy. Therefore, they added it was important to encourage others by giving positive feedback in order to help pre-service English teachers to be more motivated to learn and perform better. Feeling guilty after giving negative feedback was a feeling commonly faced by them and one that influenced their attitudes. Accordingly, many of them were more comfortable to give positive feedback to others' performance. They only noticed the general points to deliver. Because of that point, compared to the supervisor, peers seemed inactive in the feedback session.

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Peer Feedback or Supervisor Feedback: How do Pre-Service English Teachers Perceive Feedback?

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Introduction

Feedback has always been an interesting issue to investigate. Many researchers have investigated it in teacher training programs focusing on teaching performance. Through feedback, pre-service teachers obtain valuable information to improve their performance (Ryan & Henderson, 2018; Sadler, 1989). It refers to pre-service teachers' ability to reflect on their performance and think critically about what needs to improve. Therefore, it is believed that feedback is crucial and influences students' learning and performance (Ocak & Karafil, 2020; Smith, 2017). Unsurprisingly, in the microteaching class, peer feedback and supervisor feedback has become crucial to refining pre-service teachers' teaching performance because they will be aware of some weaknesses in their performance. Unfortunately, no studies have explored pre-service teachers' perceptions of peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Thus, some common questions arise: *How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback? Why do peers not get involved actively in feedback sessions? Is peer feedback as good as supervisor feedback?* Those questions are interesting to investigate since pre-service English teachers who are potential teachers-to-be must develop their teaching competence. Therefore, feedback in the microteaching class cannot be avoided whether or not it is about positive or negative feedback. Pre-service English teachers, no matter who they are, need to consider feedback to improve and refine their performance.



Literature Review

Is Feedback Important?

Feedback has a crucial role to play in students' learning (Hattie & Timperley, 2007; Henderson et al., 2019; Nottingham & Nottingham, 2017). No matter who delivers the feedback, whether it is the advisor or peers, through feedback, students' learning can be improved. It is understandable since the information through feedback triggers students to reflect on their learning and critically think about what needs to improve (Shute, 2008). The information addresses what points of students' performance need to be refined and improve, so they will be more aware of their performance shortcomings.

In the microteaching class, feedback is also crucial since it is about constructing knowledge through discussion by integrating past knowledge and present experience (Ekşi, 2012). Pre-service teachers' teaching performance is reviewed, discussed, analyzed, and evaluated (Saban & Çoklar, 2013). The supervisor and peers give feedback concerning the teaching performance (Al Darwish & Sadeqi, 2016; Aرسال, 2014). The detailed information is delivered, covering the strengths and weaknesses of pre-service teachers' teaching performance (Banga, 2014; Benton-Kupper, 2001). In terms of the shortcomings in teaching performance, pre-service teachers will see what parts of their performance need to improve. They will also realize what has been implemented and what has not yet been implemented. This situation benefits them and encourages them to reflect on the teaching and learning process and triggers them to learn how to perform better (Ekşi, 2012).

Feedback in the microteaching class is commonly used to encourage and guide pre-service teachers to re-prepare the lesson plan for better teaching performance. Cobilla (2014) asserts through feedback, information about teaching performance is received by pre-service teachers in the microteaching class. Thus, feedback becomes a reference to refine and improve teaching performance (Arikan, 2004; Kamimura & Takizawa, 2012). The feedback which is also a critique on how a lesson objective is achieved is followed by a reflection, by looking back at the teaching performance and determining whether the strategy used in the classroom is appropriate and effective for students. This feedback is conveyed immediately after teaching performance, covering skills, strategies, techniques, teaching aids, and other aspects that are essential in teaching performance (Şen, 2010). Thus, those points help pre-service teachers to highlight the mistakes made or the weaknesses of their performance in the teaching and learning process.

Peer Feedback versus Supervisor Feedback

There are some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Peers commonly focus on giving positive feedback rather than negative feedback. Ryan and Henderson (2018) explain that students are more likely to neglect feedback if it influences their negative feelings. Negative feedback commonly influences their feelings and emotions. Unsurprisingly, peers avoid giving negative feedback to others' teaching performance. Most of them are afraid of hurting other's feelings when they deliver feedback. It is in line with Fernández (2005) who states that many teachers are overly concerned with others' feelings when discussing the lesson in the feedback session. Even though they realize that feedback presents many benefits for them to improve their teaching performance, some of them refrain from giving feedback overtly. It happens because in some cases, pre-service teachers regard feedback as a personal attack given by peers (Ocak & Karafil, 2020). Because of this consideration, peers prefer positive feedback to negative feedback. Another problem faced by peers in delivering feedback is their sensitivity and reluctance to give comments. Considering other's feelings is a common obstacle that hinders teachers from providing constructive feedback. Many pre-service teachers tend to prefer peer feedback to supervisor feedback since peer feedback is considered more acceptable than supervisor feedback. Most pre-service teachers are afraid of having their performance criticized.

Sadler (1989) reminds the supervisor to deliver feedback appropriately by considering what pre-service teachers need to know about the intended goal of learning and the standard one, pre-service teachers' current performance and the ideal performance, and what he/she needs to do for the next performance. Unsurprisingly, the supervisor often delivers negative feedback by figuring out the weaknesses of their teaching performance. Negative feedback is regarded as more powerful than positive feedback (Shute, 2008). Those who receive negative feedback realize the weaknesses of their performance and it makes them more dissatisfied with their previous performance, thus, they are committed to learning what points they need to perform better. When the negative feedback is provided and directed correctly, pre-service teachers can comprehend and learn to process the intended information well. Therefore, the feedback needs to be delivered clearly, purposefully, and meaningfully.

Unfortunately, those who receive positive feedback feel they perform well and have no desire to perform better since they are satisfied with their performance. Thus, in delivering the feedback, the supervisor needs to provide information about what pre-service teachers understand and misunderstand, what appropriate strategies to improve, and how to do the next performance (Shute, 2008). The delivered feedback will be meaningful and valuable when pre-service teachers can reflect on their teaching performance. Accordingly, the supervisor must consider the content of feedback involving examples and hints, the function of feedback to motivate pre-service teachers, enrich their cognitive and metacognitive knowledge, and give feedback either immediately or delayed (Shute, 2008).

Research Methodology

The data were collected from the sixth-semester course of the English Education Department in Indonesia. The course is expert-guided microteaching which prepares pre-service English teachers to develop their teaching competence before enrolling in the two-month program of the teaching internship in secondary schools.

Eleven pre-service English teachers (1 male and 10 females) attended one and half-hour weekly classes for a semester. These classes were guided by one supervisor and observed by two peers. Each pre-service English teacher was given an opportunity to practice their teaching in 20-minute segments and receive feedback from peers and the supervisor. Each of them was observed four times during the semester. The supervisor and peers observed pre-service English teachers' teaching performance to figure out some points of teaching performance to deliver through feedback.

The feedback form covered opening the lesson, providing main activities (understanding the goal of learning, mastering the subject matter, choosing the appropriate strategies, explaining the subject matter to students, and evaluating students' understanding), and closing the lesson. The feedback also covered pedagogical content knowledge (PCK) adapted by Jang et al. (2009) which covered subject matter knowledge, instructional representation and strategies, instructional objective and context, and knowledge of students' understanding. Those components were highlighted by the advisor and peers in delivering the feedback. Even though the content of feedback covered the components of PCK and teaching performance, at this point, the content was not explored in this research.

The data were obtained from the whole-pre-service English teachers' interviews conducted in the form of a discussion after they performed their teaching. An interview was employed to diagnose how pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback, the reasons why peers did not get involved actively in the feedback session, and whether or not peer feedback is as good as supervisor feedback.

Findings and Discussion

The obtained data are discussed based on the following research questions:

Research Question 1. How do pre-service English teachers perceive peer feedback and supervisor feedback?

The pre-service English teachers' responses to the first research question showed how they perceived peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Commonly the supervisor and peers often have different views on some points of their performance. Through interviews, some pre-service English teachers agreed that feedback is crucial and provides many benefits for them to improve their performance. Right after their teaching performance, the advisor, together with peers, conveyed feedback focusing not only on the weaknesses but also on the strengths of pre-service English teachers' performance. This is in line with Eksi (2012) who stated that the importance of feedback is because of the construction of knowledge through discussion built by integrating past knowledge and present experience. Accordingly, feedback is crucial in the microteaching class because the supervisor, peers, and practicing teachers must collaborate to discuss what needs to improve from their performance. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that feedback allows pre-service teachers to reflect on their performance and think about what needs to be refined and improved. Therefore, it results in changes in teaching performance.

Feedback is important to know what mistakes of my teaching. From feedback, I can highlight what I must improve from my teaching. The advisor lets me reflect on my teaching performance even though it is not easy to do. But, to help me reflect on mine, I can watch my teaching video to recall my memory and see the lesson plan that I have designed. From this point, I can highlight some parts that have been implemented and some that haven't.

However, pre-service English teachers had difficulties in identifying what was wrong with their performance. Therefore, the advisor was required to help them in figuring out the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. It strengthens Aimah et al.'s (2020a) study that the role of the advisor in the microteaching class is crucial to determine how to improve pre-service English teachers' teaching performance by highlighting the strengths and weaknesses of their teaching. By concentrating on their teaching weaknesses, pre-service English teachers realized that their teaching performance was not conducted precisely and systematically. Moreover, the advisor needs to consider how to deliver the feedback to pre-service teachers (Henderson et al., 2019). When the feedback is acceptable, it enables pre-service teachers to adjust their teaching well. The ability to adjust the teaching and provide good teaching performance is basically caused by the constructive feedback from the advisor (Gürkan, 2018).

The way the advisor conveys feedback influences my conditions, emotions, and feelings. I am afraid of receiving feedback from the advisor, particularly negative feedback. However, I agree that from the feedback, I can refine my teaching performance and I must adjust my next teaching with the feedback given.

Besides, pre-service English teachers also admitted through feedback, they learnt from exemplary lessons demonstrated by the advisor. Through the exemplary lessons, pre-service English teachers had a clear description of how to teach students. It supports Aimah et al.'s (2020b) study that the guidance and exemplary lessons shared become good models for pre-service English teachers to implement instructional practices. Therefore, feedback is effective in helping pre-service English teachers in enhancing their performance. The performance is limited on their teaching and the knowledge of teaching base i.e., pedagogical content knowledge (PCK). Feedback also helps pre-service English teachers to anticipate the probable mistakes of teaching. It is crucial since it is a starting point for them to improve their teaching performance.

What I am waiting for from the feedback session is when the advisor demonstrates how to teach students with a certain approach. From the teaching simulation, it helps me to design what teaching and learning process should be conducted, and well..., I can imitate her teaching.

Feedback is not only about evaluating teaching performance, but it is also about what I have prepared for my teaching. From this point, the advisor commonly evaluates the whole of my teaching performance with what I have prepared in my lesson plan.

Pre-service English teachers also admitted that there were some distinctions between peer feedback and supervisor feedback. Smith (2017) explained the biggest difference between peer feedback and supervisor feedback is on feedback quality. Peers, for example, were commonly not aware of some points to deliver. Consequently, the feedback was not delivered in detail. They also often preferred delivering positive feedback to delivering negative feedback. However, both negative feedback and positive feedback helped pre-service English teachers build their competence and avoid inappropriate behavior for the next teaching.

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Unfortunately, controlling sad feelings because of the criticism was not easy for some of them.

Well, I am not really comfortable receiving negative feedback in front of my friends in the microteaching class even though I can learn many things from the feedback given. Negative feedback lets my friends know the weaknesses and the mistakes of my teaching performance, and I am not ready for that condition.

For those who were extroverts, it was not a matter to have some criticisms of their performance. Otherwise, the introverted ones needed much time to accept the feedback. Unsurprisingly, some pre-service English teachers felt uncomfortable receiving feedback because they were ashamed of others for their bad performance.

To be a teacher, I must be ready to receive both positive feedback and negative feedback. As adult learners, I must consider positive sides that I can obtain from the feedback.

Receiving negative feedback makes me hopeless. I am not confident in front of my friends because of my weaknesses.

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