Pencak Silat Talent Test Development

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Abstract High achievement was determined by many factors, one of which is athlete’s talent. A child’s talent identification program needs to be carried out before carrying out achievement-oriented training process. The research purpose was to produce anthropometric, physiological and biomotor measurement indicators to identify the talented athletes in the pencak silat sport category of 12-14 years old. The research used development research by referring to the Borg and Gall’s development stages. The stages begin from the need analysis, instrument preparation, testing and application in group trials. The development of talent tests includes 15 test series consisting of 5 anthropometric tests, 5 physiological tests and 5 biomotor tests. The results of validity and reliability tests on 15 test items produced high category validly and reliably. So it can be concluded that (1) The guiding model of pencak silat talent named “RS Silat Talent Test” can be used in displaying or identifying pencak silat talents as an operational step of implementing certain strategies in guiding pencak silat talent; (2) The guiding model of pencak silat talent contains fifteen units of test items.

Keywords Development, Talent Test, Pencak Silat

1. Introduction

1.1. Background

Regulation must achieve the target through the appropriate regulatory attribute features and the quality of players, coaches, and related staff in the sports sector (Nadikattu & States, n.d.). Many sports problems required every policy maker, institution and sports organization must improve the system and quality of coaching so that it can make a better contribution to the Indonesian sports. Various improvements have been made by the Indonesian government in improving sport achievements, including the implementation of national training camps such as the Garuda Emas, Program Atlet Andalan and Program Indonesia Emas. The government efforts have had an impact on the desired improvement, but not everything expected can be answered, because various other problems arise, such as unsustainable guidance pattern from an early age, adolescents to adulthood.

A very fundamental problem is the recruitment of athletes in Indonesia only based on the competition results. Another contributing factor is the limitations or lack of a talent scouting model for each sport. Talent scouting is someone whose job is to find people who have extraordinary abilities and recruit them to work professionally (Wazir, Torfs, Mostaert, Pion, & Lenoir, 2017). The current talent test model is a general talent test model whose results recommend potential athletes be gifted in certain sports and it is an adaptation of talent tests from other countries.

Pencak silat is a general term that describes fighting and martial art (McPherson & Pickett, 2010). Pencak silat is a sport that has mental, spiritual, martial arts, arts and sports aspects. Spiritual mentality is closely related to a noble personality, obedience to the norms and values that exist in religion and society, always uphold brotherhood, have a strong character and faith in God Almighty. Pencak Silat aspect related to the condition that required a fighter to defend himself when in a threatened condition or endangering himself. Art aspects shown that pencak silat is
identical with taste, aesthetics and beauty in its movements. The sport aspect means that pencak silat is also one of the elements of sport that is contested and physical fitness and achievement purposes. Pencak Silat can be a physical activity that can improve health and fitness (Altavilla, D’elia, D’isanto, & Manna, 2019). The sport aspect is closely related to achievement, this required the pencak silat organization to conduct intensive coaching so that maximum achievement can be achieved. The program and management of the pencak silat training center have not demonstrated harmonious synergy. This causes the performance of pencak silat arts into ups and downs. The failure of the pencak silat, especially the competition category, has been felt since the 2003 Vietnam Sea Games. While in the world championship, Indonesian pencak silat achievements began to decline since 2002. Indonesian pencak silat still triumphed in the singles, doubles and squads until now, while in the match number has decreased. In a system of achievement sports fostering, the athlete recruitment system is an important step to guarantee the achievement of sustainable achievement. Recruitment system consists of stages of selection and determination of prospective athletes who meet all the requirements and criteria that have been determined. The main criterion is the giftedness or talent factor, by knowing the talent of the prospective athlete, the process of fostering achievement becomes clear, besides that further coaching (talent development) becomes more effective and efficient than fostering the unknown potential athletes. The selection or identification process of talent is carried out at the ideal age of the child to start training. Sports talent identification is the process of giving characteristics to the basic abilities brought from birth that can underlie sports skills. In this regard, the instrument for identifying talented athletes is important to be held.

1.2. Research Purposes

The research purpose was produced anthropometric, physiological and biomotor measurement indicators to identify the talented athletes in the pencak silat category of 12-14 years old.

2. Methodology

2.1. Research Place and Time

The study was conducted in Central Java Province for 1 year.

2.2. Research Methods

The research was used the Borg and Gall’s Research and Development method by carrying out 7 stages. Research and development was used to produce certain products and test product effectiveness.

2.3. Research Samples

The research samples are athletes aged 12-14 years old selected by purposive sampling technique. The determination of the 12-14-year age sample is related to PB IPSI regulations in the type of age group contested. Sample criteria include being willing to be a sample, active in physical education activities and joining a pencak silat college in Central Java Province, and having participated in pencak silat training for a minimum of 2 years.

2.4. Research and Development Stages

The development stage was used Borg and Gall’s development on book of Planning and Developing Advisory Programs for the Personalization of Education: A Handbook to Guide School Leaders of Large High Schools in Kansas. The development research stages include: 1) Review and literature analysis; 2) Need assessment; 3) product development; 4) Preliminary field test; 5) Initial revision; 6) Main field test; 7) Final product revision.

The explanation of stages of Borg and Gall (Gall, Borg, & Gall, 2007) development research is as follows:

1. Review and literature analysis

The researcher conducts an initial study a literature review. Literature review shown that the guiding model of pencak silat talent is part of the development of pencak silat that cannot be ignored.

2. Need assessment

At this stage, the researcher conducts need analysis which is carried out by field observations.

3. Product development

Researchers plan models to solve existing problems in the field about the pencak silat athletes’ talent. Researchers develop a guiding test model for pencak silat talent.

4. Preliminary field test

At this stage the product developed is validated. Validation is done by discussion with pencak silat coaching experts.

5. Initial revision

At this stage is carried out revision of developed product. Revisions are made according to expert input.

6. Main field test

At this stage, researchers conduct a small group trial or a limited group of respondents as product users and conduct a large group trial as a product user respondent.

7. Final product revision

This stage the researchers revise the product development based on input from small group trial and large group tests.
2.5. Data Collection

Data collection was done by tests. Test is a way to make an assessment in the form of a task or series of tasks that must be done by a person or group to produce a value about the behavior or achievement of the child. The test objectives are (1) determine the participant status, the progress he/she made, or the level of ability possessed so that the participant can be grouped according to his ability, (2) motivate the participant to be able to practice harder, both inside and outside the training schedule, (3) evaluate the effectiveness of programs, methods and contents (Kirkendall, 1987). Tests conducted in this research include anthropometric, physiological, and biomotoric tests. Anthropometric measurements, physical and biomotoric abilities are useful in planning the implementation of exercise programs and differentiating athletes according to their talents (Wazir et al., 2019).

2.6. Research Instrument

1. Body High Test
   Using a roll meter. This tool measures the length of the body when standing upright from the floor to the tip of the head. This tool produces a height figure within 0.5 cm

2. Body Weight Test
   Using a scale. This tool measures the weight of the entire body not wearing footwear/shoes.

3. Hand span test
   Using roll meter. This test measures the horizontal span between the tips of the middle fingers stretched sideways at shoulder height.

4. Sitting high test
   Using roll meter. This test measures the vertical distance from the base of the seat surface to the top (vertex) of the head.

5. Leg length
   Using roll meter. This test measures the vertical distance between the trochanterion and the sole of the foot.

6. Muscle strength Test
   Done with push-ups that use a stopwatch to measure time. This test measures the ability of the muscles to make a maximum contraction against resistance or load.

7. Flexibility test
   This test measures the quality of a moving body segment with maximum range of joints.

8. Coordination test
   This test measures the ability to make movements or work precisely and efficiently.

9. Aerobic and anaerobic capacity tests
   This test measures a person’s maximum capacity without experiencing fatigue.

10. Speed test
    This test measures the ability to move from one to another place in the shortest possible time.

11. Agility test
    This test measures the ability to change body direction or position quickly which is carried out together with other movements

12. Power/explosive test
    This test is a combination of strength and speed or mobilization of maximum muscle force with maximum speed.

2.7. Data Analysis

Data analysis was performed using validity test with correlation with criterion technique and reliability test used Chronbach alpha formula. The instrument validity is valid if the correlation coefficient t_count > t_table

3. Results

3.1. Identification and Need Analysis

This stage was carried out with field observations and discussions of experts involved in the process of building pencak silat sports. The result of field observations that there is a problem in the implementation of pencak silat talent scouting, namely the scouting model of pencak silat talent has not been carried out systematically and has not used standardized instruments and still uses general methods. The results of the experts’ discussion include:

1. Need to prepare a system for managing and implementing the measurement of pencak silat talent tests.
2. Preparing the easy and practical instrument.
3. Solution by developing guiding model of pencak silat talent that can produce prospective high-quality pencak silat athletes.
4. Identifying the factors that influence the trial of development model of pencak silat talent scouting such as anthropometry, physiology and biomotor.

3.2. Scouting Model of Pencak Silat Talent

The scouting model designed is in the form of software. This model was used as a means of identifying or recruiting talented athletes. This software contains 19 test instruments relating to the selection of pencak silat talents athletes based on anthropometric and physical domains. The 19 pencak silat talent test instruments in software include tests for height, sitting height, weight, arms span, leg length, push-ups, sit-ups, back-ups, basketball throwing, three
hops, shuttle run 3 m, 20 m run, multistage fitness test, hand ankle coordination, flexibility, 30-second punches, 30-second front kicks, 30-second sickle kicks, 30-second side kicks.

Figure 1. Display of pencak silat talent scouting software

3.3. Limited Trial (Small Group)

The trial was conducted with a sample of 126 students (55 male and 71 female). The sample takes data with the prepared talent scouting model. In limited trial, the researcher together with two observers made observations the implementation of the test and measurement using a model of pencak silat talent scouting. The measurement results in the trial sample are limited with 19 developed test instruments, then performed the validity and reliability tests.

3.4. Validity Test

Table 1 shows the results of the validity tests result. $T_{count} > t_{table}$ it can be concluded that the test developed valid. There are 4 invalid test instruments, so 4 test instruments are not included in the talent scouting software.

3.5. Reliability Test

Table 2 shows the variance value of each question which is then included in the calculation of reliability and the results is compared based on the Guiford classification

$$r_{xy} = \left[ \frac{k}{k-1} \right] \left[ 1 - \frac{\sum \sigma^2}{\sigma^2} \right]$$

Table 3 shows the Guiford’s Classification

The reliability calculation used the alpha formula yields a r-value 0.74. Based on the Guiford’s classification, the reliability of the pencak silat talent scouting tests was included in the high category.
Based on the validity and reliability tests produced 15 valid and reliable test instruments that can be used to identify the talented athletes in the pencak silat. The 15 test instruments include height, weight, arms span, leg length, push-ups, sit-ups, eye ankle coordination, sit & reach (flexibility), 3 hops, 20-meter running, multistage fitness test (VO2max), 30 second punch, 30 second front kick, 30 second sickle/bow kick, and 30 second side kick.

3.6. Broad Trial (Large Group)

Broad trials or large groups are carried out with a sample of 8 regions in Central Java Province that have pencak silat training. The 8 regions that were sampled included Kebumen 24 athletes (12 male, 12 female), Magelang 37 athletes (18 male, 19 female), Banyumas 51 athlete (32 male, 19 female), Kebumen 22 athlete (10 male, 12 female), Klaten 21 athletes (10 male, 11 female), Pati 21 athlete (11 male, 10 female), Semarang 30 athlete (16 male, 14 female), Surakarta 40 athlete (17 male, 23 female). So that the total sample in a broad trial is 246 athletes.

In broad trials, discussions were held again with experts. The results of the discussion include:

1. Weighting on each test item

   The test items weighting are as follows; 3% height, 3% body weight, 3% arm span, 3% leg length, 6% push-up, 6% sit-up, 6% ankle coordination, 6% flexibility, 6% three hop, 8% run 20 m and 10% multistage fitness test, 10% 30 seconds stroke, 10% front kick 30 seconds, 10% sickle/bow 30 seconds and 10% side kick 30 seconds.

2. Determination of the three norm scales, namely talented (B), quite talented (CB), and less talented (KB)

3. There are equalized units of scores 3, 2, 1

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<th>Criteria</th>
<th>Total</th>
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<td>Male</td>
<td>Talented</td>
<td>11</td>
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<td>Quite talented</td>
<td>106</td>
<td>84 %</td>
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<td>Less talented</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>7 %</td>
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<td>Female</td>
<td>Talented</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Quite talented</td>
<td>105</td>
<td>88 %</td>
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<td>Less talented</td>
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<td>5 %</td>
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Table 4 shows that results of talent scouting in 246 pencak silat athletes. In male athletes there are 11 talented athletes, 106 quite talented athletes, and 9 less talented athletes. In female there are 9 talented athletes, 105 quite talented athletes, and 6 less talented athletes.

3.7. Instrument Scoring

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<td>≥ 3.6</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>Talented</td>
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<td>1.6 – 3.5</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>Quite talented</td>
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<tr>
<td>≤ 1.5</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>Less talented</td>
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3.8. Software Manual Instructions

1. Install the software and read the instructions or guides
   
   ![Figure 2. Display of Software Guide](image1)

2. *Input data*
   
   ![Figure 3. Data Input Button](image2)

3. After inputting the data, click the recommendation button and a talent recommendation will appear
   
   ![Figure 4. Display of Input data](image3)

   ![Figure 5. Display of Talent Recommendation](image4)
4. Discussion

All movements in pencak silat depend on muscle contraction, so it involves two main factors, namely: 1) The energy source needed by muscles to contract (will involve checking the energy system); 2) The quality of muscle contractions that are considered to represent muscle strength. Both factors must be considered to fully understand the physiological basis of training. The results of the observational analysis showed that the pencak silat energy system was ATP-PC = 90 - 95%; LA = 5-10%; and O2 = 0%, thus the development of energy systems leads to anaerobes. In line with these results, a fighter is required to develop physical components, including: anaerobic capacity, power, muscle capacity, muscle strength, agility, speed, reaction speed, flexibility and coordination. A player’s cognitive abilities and performance will affect the general physical condition (Meeusen, 2014). Special physical abilities of pencak silat include performance of pencak silat skills, speed of pencak silat kicks, agility of pencak silat kicks, coordination of pencak silat kicks and power of pencak silat kick.

High achievement is determined by many factors, including the quality of the trainer, the quality of the training program, equipment and supporting facilities, support from the government, sponsors and parents, and athlete talent. An early childhood talent identification program is needed before carrying out a training process oriented to achieving high achievement. The process of talent identifying was carried out to determine the potential child in one sport, in accordance with the talent possessed. The fact is, many children pursue one sport not based on their assessment of basic wrestling motoric characteristics, 36 (33.96%) physical structure and wrestler athlete tendencies, 19 (17.92%) on competition observation and technical characteristics and 10 (9.43%) on intelligence. Wrestling coach talent identification tests can be effectively applied to athletes in identifying potential athletes (Krasilshchikov, 2015).

There are 15 test items in the Sport Search modification. Administration of all test items in a session duration of 95 minutes is allowed to be carried out with a comparison between the testi and tester of 10: 1. Need to arrange the order of test items in two or more parts. If grouped into two parts, then you should use five testers. Each tester should handle the testing and testy post should do from one post to another post. The recommended sequence of tests is the first part, including height, weight, arms span and leg lengths; then the second part, covering the push-up test, sit-ups, eye ankle coordination, sit-and-reach then the third part, three hops, 20 m run, VO2max with MFT, 30 seconds punch, 30 seconds front kick, Sickle/bow 30 seconds and side kick 30 seconds. It should be noted that the MFT test (VO2max) is done last in the third part.

The research results support previous research which observed that this study aimed at identifying talent in 15 countries with an analysis of 12 success factors. This program is concerned with national strategies that lead to the identification of talented young athletes. The results of the study concluded that the research findings were related to the role of sports clubs. The research results can be used for managing talent development at sports clubs, national sports associations and coach education (De Bosscher & De Rycke, 2017). In other previous studies related to talent identification tests for wrestling achievement with a sample of 165 trainers. The results showed 106 (64.24%) were detected in talent tests in athletes who had just started wrestling and 59 (35.75%) were not detected in talent tests. 41 (38.68%) trainers applied talent tests to wrestlers based on their assessment of basic wrestling motric characteristics, 36 (33.96%) physical structure and wrestler athlete tendencies, 19 (17.92%) on competition observation and technical characteristics and 10 (9.43%) on intelligence. Wrestling coach talent identification tests can be effectively applied to athletes in identifying potential athletes (Kaynar, 2019).

The research results can be compared with other research on instrument development research. New video coding-based instrument for individual game performance assessments of children aged 11-12 years on handball and football games. The research conclusion is the instrument
developed providing a valid and reliable method for authentic assessment of individual decision-making during play (Isabel, et al., 2007).

5. Conclusions

1. The guiding model of pencak silat talent named “RS Silat Talent Test” can be used in displaying or identifying pencak silat talents as an operational step of implementing certain strategies in guiding pencak silat talent.
2. The guiding model of pencak silat talent contains fifteen test items.

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