**ABSTRACT** 

This research aims to find out how the teacher teaches descriptive text in vocational

high school. This research uses case study research design and the subject of this

research is a teacher of English in a vocational high school in Bandung. This research

employs qualitative method and intrinsic type of case study research design. The data

are collected by conducting a classroom observation and an interview. The result

showed that the teacher followed and fulfilled the instruction of standard process of

teaching based on Curriculum 2013 and also mixed-up the teaching strategy between

top-down and bottom-up strategies. Moreover, the materials used still have to be

adapted to the students' needs and students' background as the students of drawing

building technique of vocational high school.

Keywords: Teacher, Strategy, Teaching, Descriptive Text, Vocational High School