

## ABSTRACT

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Speaking is an important skill of learning a language. Speaking skill for Senior High School especially speaking English can be used as a basic to improve their knowledge. The researcher focuses on the role play's implementation as a teaching method for English learning which is applied in more specific majors at SMK N 6 Jember. The researcher wants to know in wide view using qualitative descriptive with interview and questioning the students and their teachers. This study will be seen from two perspectives, from the teacher and the students. The method of this research is descriptive qualitative. The subject is second-year students / eleventh grade consisting of 35 students at SMKN 6 Jember. The data are collected using interview, questionnaire, and documentation. The researcher scored 25 questions as components of speaking skills (Comprehension, Fluency, Vocabulary, Pronunciation, and Grammar) for each student. The result of this study indicates that the use of role play is effective and beneficial. The effectiveness stated by the teacher is that the students also find it easy to understand speaking materials. On the other hand, the students feel speaking more fun using role play. They can explore with their friends. The material delivered using role play is more attractive and interesting.