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#### **ABSTRACT**

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In English Proficiency, Indonesia's human resource is still considered low in the world. Teachers are a key source of educational success. Essential for teachers to conduct introspection and evaluation. Lesson plans are the primary reference for teachers to carry out learning activities more optimal. This 21st-century demand every individual to have the skills both soft skills and hard skills according to the needs 21st-century. Therefore, the development of lesson plans that are adapted to the 21st century is deemed necessary to fulfill the needs of students. Indonesian government included the personal letter material in the curriculum in senior high school. This study aimed to explore the characteristics of the lesson plan in the 21st century and to develop how the lesson plan for teaching "personal letters" at senior high school supports the development of 21st-century skills. This study uses a qualitative research design as an approach and uses research and development (R&D) methods, gathering collecting information and data, analyzing data, developing the lesson plan, and validation by experts, and applying critical literature review, interviews, and questionnaires delivery for data collection. Development was conducted by examining related keywords from research questions that reveal certain aspects; lesson, plan, lesson plan, teaching, 21stcentury skills, writing skills, and personal letters. The revealed aspects that acted as research findings were analyzed to develop a lesson plan product. The resulting product is lesson plans tailored to the needs of students in the 21st century.

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