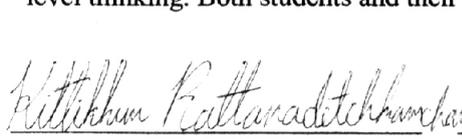


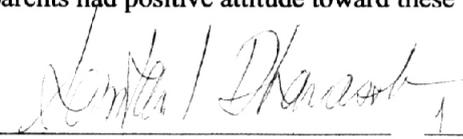
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The purposes of this research were to develop teaching aids for Thai language talented students in the second grade range at the elementary level and to study students' and their parents' opinions about these teaching aids. The procedures of this research and development were as follows: 1. studying related theories and principles; 2. designing research and constructing instruments; 3. screening students and using constructed teaching aids for to teach them; 4. asking for students' and their parents' opinions about the teaching aids; 5. analyzing data and concluding the research results.

The population was 25 Thai language talented students screened by the different levels of identifying talented students from the second grade range of Muang Samutsongkram school in the academic year 2005. The research instruments consisted of language talented survey forms, interview guide forms, teaching aids for Thai language talented students, personal data note forms, behavioral note forms, working note forms, reading log forms, teaching aids centre used note forms, and students' and their parents' questionnaires. The data were collected and analyzed through content analysis and descriptive methods.

The research result showed that the teaching aids consisting of learning unit plans and the teaching aids centre were proved to develop Thai language talented students' abilities with the emphasis on the integration of listening-speaking skills and reading-writing skills. In addition, these teaching aids were proved for their flexibility, had a wide variety, and emphasized high level thinking. Both students and their parents had positive attitude toward these teaching aids.


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