

## CHAPTER 5

### CONCLUSION

After analyzing novel *A Very Large Expanse Of Sea* through intrinsic approach which consists of characterization by showing and telling methods, plot and setting, elaborated with analysis through extrinsic approach by using moral values. It can be concluded that Tahereh Mafi's *A Very Large Expanse Of Sea* reflects moral values.

In this story Shirin and Ocean James, as the most frequently appearing characters, display moral value in their actions and characteristics. As the beginning of the novel, we see that Shirin always shows her loneliness when she has to move to another school, but as the story goes along she can show her truly character that she is a brave girl. Until the end of the story, through Shirin and Ocean's action show moral values like kind hearted, sympathetic to others, love and affection, bravery, cooperativeness, honesty, and respect. They teach us that it is fine to be different as long as we can show our respect and kindness to each other. Through *A Very Large Expanse Of Sea*, Shirin and Ocean also want to tell the importance of the identity and being ourselves.

Moral values it's so important. It consists of some basic principles, like kind hearted, sympathetic to others, love and affection, bravery, cooperativeness, honesty, and respect.

The purpose of this research is to explain and to describe about the position of moral values in literary appreciation and to explain and to describe about literary works.

According to this research, it is potential for the next research. There are only a few journals and researches that discuss and analyze literature works by using moral values. This research can introduce about moral values and its application in literary works. This novel *A Very Large Expanse Of Sea* is also still new by the time this research is conducted using the concept of moral values. It is still wide open to new possible findings that can be analyzed in this novel.