

Practice paper Unit (5) Grade 11

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Reported Statements

In reported speech personal pronouns, possessive adjectives/possessive pronouns change according to the meaning of the sentence.

e.g. Sam said, 'I'm leaving for Germany with my family tomorrow.'

Sam said (that) he was leaving for Germany with his family the following day.

We can report someone's words either a long time after they were said (out-of-date-reporting) or a short time after they were said (up-to-date-reporting).

1. Changing the pronouns:

	مسب المتكلم he , she
subject	we -> they You -> he , she , they , I , we بلمخاطب
	مسب المتكلم him , her
Object	Us -> them You -> him , her , them . me , us حسب المخاطب
	حسب المتكلم his , her حسب المتكلم
	Our ->> their Your ->> his , her , their , my , our حسب المخاطب

We usually report someone's words a long time after they were said. In this case the introductory verb is in the past simple and the tenses change as follows:

direct speech

present simple

'I want to go to bed early,' he said. present continuous

'She's feeding the baby,' he said. present perfect

'I've bought a new dress,' she said. past simple

'I finished work early,' Alex said. past continuous

'I was planning to call you later,' she said.

future (will)

'I'll talk to you tomorrow,' she said.

reported speech

past simple

He said (that) he wanted to go to bed early. past continuous

He said (that) she was feeding the baby.

past perfect

She said (that) she had bought a new dress. . past perfect

Alex said (that) he mad finished work early.

past perfect continuous 'had been She said (that) she

planning to call me later.

conditional (would)

She said (that) she would talk to me the next day.

The past perfect and past perfect continuous remain the same.

'The film had finished by the time I got home,' he said.

reported speech:

He said (that) the film had finished by the time he got home.

¬ ← Certain words and time expressions change according to the meaning of the sentence as follows:

now → then, at that time, immediately

today, tonight -> that day, that night

yesterday -+ the day before, the previous day

tomorrow -> the next day, the following day

this week - that week

can

last week - the week before, the previous week next week → the week after, the following week

two days ago → two days before

here → there

come → go

Certain modal verbs change in reported speech as follows:

will/shall → would

→ might may

→ could

must → .

had to (obligation) shall → should (asking for advice)

Would, could, might should, ought, had better and musin't do not change in reported speech.

direct speech

reported speech

He said, 'I'll have some tea.'

He said, 'She can type fast.'

He said, 'I can talk to you tomorrow.'

He said, 'They may come home.'

He said, 'What shall I tell her?'

He said, 'You must stay in.'

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He said (that) he would have some tea.

He said (that) she could type fast.

He said (that) he could

to me the next day. (it refers to the future)

He said (that) they might come home.

He asked what he should tell her.

He said (that) ! had to stay in.

Fill in the gaps with the correct pronoun or possessive adjective.

1	James said, 'My boss wants me to go to London tomorrow.'
	James saidhis boss wanted to go to London the following day.
2	Mary said, 'I'm waiting for my son to come out of
	school.' Mary said thatwas waiting for
	son to come out of school.
3	George said, 'I've bought a new car for my mum.' George saidhad bought a new car for
	mum.
4	Julie said to me, 'I need you to help me with the
	shopping.'
	Julie told me that needed to help
	with the shopping.
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	John said'd like to take out to
	dinner.
6	Helen said to Jane, 'I think your new haircut is lovely.'
	Helen told Jane that thought new
	háircut was lovely.
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	Turn the following sentences into reported speech.
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	He said (that) he was going to the station
2	Tina said, 'You should exercise regularly.'
3	They said, 'We had booked the room before we left '
J	They said, we had booked the room before we left."

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5 'I've written you a letter,' she said to her friend.
6 'We've decided to spend our holidays in Jordan,'

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Tom said, 'This meal is delicious.'

7 Jill said, 'I'll go to the bank tomorrow.'

they told us.

8	She said to him, 'We've been invited to a wedding.'
9	She told me, 'You must leave early tomorrow.'
10	'They've gone out for the evening,' Jessie said to me.
11	They said, 'We may visit Joe tonight.'
12	She said, 'I can meet you on Tuesday.'
13	Keith said, 'There is a letter for you on the table.'
14	'We won't be visiting Tom this evening,' Sam told us.
15	Eric said, 'They had been talking on the phone for an hour before I interrupted them.'
16	'I haven't spoken to Mary since last week,' Gloria said.
17	'They delivered the letters this morning,' she said.
18	He said, 'I'd like to buy this jumper.'
19	'They aren't going on holiday this year,' he said.
20	Jane said. 'I haven't finished my homework yet.'
21	'I'm going to bed early tonight,' Caroline said.
22	'My mother is coming to visit us,' I said.
23	'We don't want to watch a film tonight,' the children said.
24	'He's playing in the garden now,' his mother said.
25	She said 'You must do your homework now.'
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