

Reported Speech worksheet

Change the following sentences into Indirect Speech:

- (i) said, "I will do it now."
- (ii) He says, "Honesty is the best policy."
- (iii) Ramesh says, "I have written a letter."
- (iv) She said, "Mahesh will be reading a book."
- (v) She said, "Where is your father?"
- (vi) He said to me, "Please take your book."
- (vii) The Principal said to the peon, "Let this boy go out."
- (viii) He said to me, "May you live long!"
- (ix) She said, "Goodbye friends!"
- (x) The students said, "Alas! I wasted my time last year."
- (xi) Ahsan said, "I am an early riser".
- (xii) Sanjay said, "I saw a tiger in the forest".
- (xiii)) Sarita said to me, "I was washing the dishes".
- (xiv) I said, "I am not well".
- (xv) He said to Mohan, "I have passed the entrance test".
- (xvi) Her sister said to her, "I will go to Mumbai tomorrow".
- (xvii) My cousin said to Shikha, "Have you been to Kerala?"
- (xviii) She said to him, "Will you listen to this song?"
- (xix) He said to him, "When will you reach the station?"
- (xx) They said to her, "Are you married?"

Choose the correct option

- 1..Sonia said, "You help my sister".
- a.Sonia said that I helps her sister.
 - b.Sonia said to me that I helped her sister.
 - c.Sonia said that I helped her sister.
 - d.Sonia says that I helped her sister.
- 2.They said, "We cannot live without oxygen".
- a.They said that we cannot live without oxygen
 - b.They said that they cannot live without oxygen.
 - c.They said that they would not live without oxygen.
 - d.They says that they cannot live without oxygen
3. I said to him, "Why are you working so hard?"
- a. I asked him why he was working so hard.

- b. I asked him why was he working so hard.
- c. I asked him why had he been working so hard.
- d. I asked him why he had been working so hard.

4. He said, "I cannot help you at present because I am myself in difficulty."

- a. He said that I cannot help you at present because I myself in difficulty.
- b. He said that he could not help you at present because he was himself in difficulty.
- c. He told that he could not help you at present because he was himself in difficulty.
- d. He asked that he could not help you at present

5. What about going for a swim," he said, "It's quite fine now."

- a. He asked me what about going for a swim as it was quite fine then.
- b. He proposed going for swim as it was quite fine.
- c. He suggested going for a swim as it was quite fine.
- d. He advised me to go for a swim as it was quite fine.

6. The young knight enquired which way the princess had gone.

- a. The young knight asked, "Which way has she gone?"
- b. The young knight asked, "Which way did the princess go?"
- c. The young asked the old man where the princess had gone.
- d. The young knight enquired, "Which way the princess went?"

7. He said, "Why didn't you send your application to me .

- a. He enquired why I had not sent my application to him.
- b. He enquired why I did not send my application to him.
- c. He enquired why had I not sent my application to him.
- d. He enquired why did I not send my application to him.

8. A leader says, "A country cannot be peaceful until good education is provided to each child."

- a. A leader says that a country could not be peaceful until good education is provided to each child.
- b. A leader says that a country cannot be peaceful until good education was provided to each child.
- c. A leader says that a country cannot be peaceful until good education will be provided to each child.
- d. A leader says that a country cannot be peaceful until good education is provided to each child.