



REPORTED SPEECH PRACTICE

1.- CHANGE INTO REPORTED SPEECH

- Laura: we will catch the train tomorrow.
- Tom: Hi, John.
- Lucas: Mary, where is your brother?
- John: Ruben, don't make so much. I'm trying to study.
- Sarah: I went to the supermarket 5 minutes ago.
- Linda: are you coming to the beach with us, Sandra?
- John: I'm sorry for being so rude.

2.- CHANGE INTO REPORTED SPEECH.-

- Pam: " I went to the cinema yesterday"
- Lucy: " Listen to this song, Anna!.
- Frank: " What 's your job, Mike?
- Jude: " My sister is working now"
- Ralph: " Does your husband feel better, Sue?"

3.- REPORTED SPEECH.- Report in your own words the following sentences.

- a) Betty: "Albert, we saw your brother yesterday."
- b) Louise: " Mark, when is your birthday?"
- c) Robert: " I will have dinner with John tomorrow."
- d)Elisbeth: Stephen, answer the phone.

4.- REPORTED SPEECH.- Change the following sentences into Reported or Direct Speech.

- 1.- Tom said: " Ralph, you didn't come to work yesterday"
- 2.- The president said that all his partners had disappointed him.
- 3.- The teacher to the students: "Bring your homework tomorrow".
- 4.- Mark asked Tim why he thought that way.
- 5.- Mel asked Albert: "Are you coming to the party tonight?"
- 6.- Robert said that the concert had finished two hours before.
- 7.- Mark said to Pit: "don't lie to me again".
- 8.- They asked us what the police knew about this situation.
- 9.- Sue said she had to leave before it was dark as her driving could be dangerous at night"
- 10.- Liz to her boss: "if you don't give me a pay rise, I'll resign"
- 11.- My neighbour told me not to smoke in his house because children lived there
- 12.- Ferdinand to Pam: "Where are your parents now?"
- 13.- Sean suggested going to the theatre the following week?
- 14.- Dave: "If she has studied hard, she will have no problem"
- 15.- My mother asked me why I had made that decision.
- 16.- Mariah asked: "What does your father feel about your divorce, Louise?"
- 17.- Gustav promised that he hadn't spoken behind my back some hours before.
- 18.- Thomas told Martha: marry me or you'll regret it"
- 19.- Susan: "I won't be able to do it, unless you help me, Sarah"
- 20.- My parents told me they would lend me all they money I needed.