

REPORTED SPEECH

I. Lý thuyết

Ex: Nam **said**, “ I am doing my homework now.”

→ Nam **said** (that) he was doing his homework then.

* Câu trần thuật trong lời nói gián tiếp (Statements in reported speech)

Statement	Reported speech
S + V + O	<p>said / to Sb (O) + That + S₂V₂ S₁ + told (O) + That + S₂V₂ talked + about st</p> <p><i>*Note: Có thể sử dụng một số ĐT dẫn sau: thought, announced, explained, complained, believed...</i></p>

EX: They said, “We’ll return to Paris next month”

- They said they would return to Paris the month after.

* Những quy tắc biến đổi từ câu trực tiếp sang câu gián tiếp

Rule(QT ắc)	Direct speech (Trực tiếp)	Reported speech (Gián tiếp)
1. Verbs (Động từ)	Present simple (V/V _{s/es})	Past simple (V _{ed})
	Present progressive (is/am/are+V _{ing})	Past progressive (was/were+V _{ing})
	Present perfect (have/has+V _{pII})	Past perfect (had+V _{pII})
	Past simple (V _{ed})	Past perfect (had +V _{pII})
	Past progressive (was/were +V _{ing})	Past progressive/ Past perfect progressive (had +been +V _{ing})
	Past perfect	Past perfect
	Future simple (will +V)	Future in the past (would +V)
	Near future (is/am/are +going to+V)	Was/were +going to +V
2. Modal verbs	Will	Would
	Can	Could
	May	Might
	Must	Must/Had to
3. Adverb of place	This	That
	These	Those
	Here	There
4. Adverb of time	Now	Then
	Today	That day
	Yesterday	The day before/ the previous day

	The day before yesterday	Two days before
	Tomorrow	The day after/the next (following)day
	The day after tomorrow	Two days after/ in two days' time
	Ago	Before
	This week	That week
	Last week	The week before/ the previous week
	Last night	The night before
	Next week	The week after/ the following week
5. Subject /Object	I / me	She, he /Her, him
	We /our	They/ us
	You/you	I, we/ me, us

***Câu mệnh lệnh, câu yêu cầu, câu đề nghị, lời khuyên....trong lời nói gián tiếp (Orders, requests, offers, advice... in indirect speech)**

<i>Order</i>	<i>Reported speech</i>
V + O	<p>Asked/told + Object (+ not) + To-infinitive S₁ + Offered/recommended (+ Object) + To-infinitive <i>*Note: Có thể sử dụng một số ĐT dẫn sau: commanded, requested, begged, promised, advised, invited, reminded...</i></p>

*** Câu hỏi trong lời nói gián tiếp (Questions in reported speech)**

<i>Questions</i>	<i>Reported speech</i>
<p>1. Yes/No questions Auxiliary + S + V + O? (Do/does/did/had/will)</p>	<p>S₁ + asked (+ Object) + If/whether + S₂V₂</p>
<p>2. Wh – questions WH + Auxiliary + S + V + O?</p>	<p>S₁ + asked (+ Object) + WH + S₂V₂ <i>*Note: Có thể sử dụng một số ĐT dẫn sau: inquired, wondered, wanted to know...</i></p>

II. Bài tập

I. Change these sentences into Reported speech. (Statements)

1. She said, "I can't find my umbrella"

→ _____

2. They said, "We are learning English now"

→ _____

3. "My friend is coming next week", Tom said.

→ _____

4. "I'll help my mum with housework this weekend"

→ _____

5. "We shall overcome this difficulty", they said

→ _____

6. "My father is a doctor here", my friend said

→ _____

7. "I am going on holiday tomorrow", the boy said to his neighbor.

→ _____

You will have to finish all these exercises before next week", the teacher said to his students

→ _____

8. "I came back here early yesterday," she said.

→ _____

9. "I've broken the vase," she said

→ _____

10. "I will never see you again," the boy said to the girl.

→ _____

11. He said to her, "You are my friend."

→ _____

12. Johnny said to his mother, "I don't know how to do this exercise."

→ _____

13. "We are waiting for the school bus", said the children.

→ _____

14. Marry said, "My father died a year ago".

→ _____

II Change the following sentences into reported speech: (Requests)

1. She said to him: "give me another glass of wine".

→ _____

2. She said to me: "bring me a book".

→ _____

3. Mother said to him: "open the window please!".

→ _____

4. He said to me: "shut the door after you".

→ _____

5. The captain said to them: "wait here still I come back".

→ _____

6. She told her: "take it and come with me".

→ _____

7. He said to me: "don't come back before one o'clock".

→ _____

8. My mother told me: "don't forget to look at the door".

→ _____

9. He said to his brother: "don't open the window, open the door".

→ _____

10. He said to the girl: "don't sit on my bed, sit on this chair please!".

→ _____

III Change the following sentences into reported speech: (Questions)

1. He asked me: "Who is Oliver Twist?"

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2. My mother asked me: "What's the matter with you?"
→ _____
3. I asked him: "Which book do you find?"
→ _____
4. He asked me: "When do you finish your work?"
→ _____
5. Mai asked me: "Why didn't you come?"
→ _____
6. She says: "She had a wonderful evening."
→ _____
7. The teacher tells us: "You should learn harder and harder."
→ _____
8. My mother says that: "We are having a party tomorrow."
→ _____
9. I say to him: "Our teacher will come on time."
→ _____
10. Mai's parents say that: "We are going to invite twenty guests to the party."

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