

Using Quotation Marks in Direct Speech

The Day I was Late for On-line Classes

When my mother knocked on my bedroom door, I knew I was going to get it.

“How was your day at school Clyde?” she asked, looking me directly in my eyes.

“It was alright,” I answered, wishing the floor would suck me in.

“Is that so?” she demanded. “Your teacher called and told me you did not show up for class this morning. And you missed registration.”