

### **1 Fill in the gaps with *say* or *tell***

- 1 Linda \_\_\_\_\_ me that she was expecting a baby.
- 2 Karen \_\_\_\_\_ that she was too tired to go out.
- 3 "We'll speak later," Brian \_\_\_\_\_ me.
- 4 Lucy \_\_\_\_\_ that she was happy with the news.
- 5 "Koalas live in Africa," he \_\_\_\_\_ to us, but no one believed him.
- 6 Paul \_\_\_\_\_ that he enjoys life in New York very much.
- 7 Agnes \_\_\_\_\_ us that she is flying to India tomorrow.

### **2 Turn the sentences into reported speech**

- 1 "I will see Patrick tonight," John said.
- 2 "We are organising a party," they said.
- 3 Nina said, "I need to return the book to my sister."
- 4 "I have to wash the dishes now," Sue said.
- 5 "Breakfast is ready," Mum says.
- 6 "I can't read the text without my glasses," Miranda said.
- 7 "I will be a dancer one day," the little girl said.
- 8 The policeman said, "The thief tried to break into the flat last night."
- 9 "The ice caps are melting," the scientist said.

**10** "We have operated on the patient's leg successfully," the doctor said.

### **3 Turn the questions into reported questions**

**1** "Why did you decide to become a flight attendant?"

She asked her

**2** "Where did you do your training?"

She asked Cathy

**3** "Do you enjoy travelling so often?"

Francesca asked her

**4** "Is your job well paid?"

She asked her

**5** "What do you like most about your job?"

He asked Paul

### **4 Choose the right word**

**1** "I didn't break the window," said William.

William \_\_\_\_\_ breaking window.

**2** "You should keep your bags with you at all time," the policeman told Mark.

The policeman \_\_\_\_\_ Mark to keep his bags with him at all times.

**3** "Don't forget to book your tickets well in advance," Beth told us.

Beth \_\_\_\_\_ us to book our tickets well in advance.

**4** "Be careful of muggers in the city centre," said Ryan.

Ryan \_\_\_\_\_ us to be careful of muggers in the city centre.

**5** "Let's go for a walk in the park," said Anna.

Anna \_\_\_\_\_ going for a walk in the park. choose: said/told