

S.2 English Grammar Quiz

Name: _____

A. Reported Speech

- Verbs in the present change into the past.

SPEAKER'S WORDS

'I'm going home.'
'I want to stop.'
'I don't like tea.'
'Sally has finished.'

REPORTED SPEECH

He said he _____ home.
You told me _____ stop.
She said _____ tea.
You said that Sally _____

- Verbs already in the past, change into the past perfect or they do not change.

'I spoke to them.'

I said I _____ to them.

'We arrived late.'

They said they _____ late.

Complete the sentences using the *-ing* form of the verbs in the box.

do have listen play be read go
not make borrow swim drive

Example:

I enjoy *listening* to the radio in the mornings.

- I'll lend you the book when I've finished _____ it.
- Do you ever go _____ in the sea?
- They suggested _____ dinner in an Indian restaurant.
- Robert gave up _____ football years ago.
- The man admitted _____ the car dangerously.
- I really don't mind _____ the housework.
- I didn't feel like _____ out last night, so I stayed at home.
- Would you mind _____ so much noise? I'm trying to study.
- I normally try to avoid _____ money.
- Since she moved from London, she misses _____ able to see all her friends there.

Complete the sentences using *much*, *many*, *a lot (of)*, *a little* or *a few*. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.

Examples:

There are so *many* jobs to do today and we haven't got *much/a lot of* time.

There were only *a few* people in the cinema.

- I know _____ people in London, but not many.
- We've got _____ coffee left, but not much.
- He earns _____ money in his job.
- She's got _____ classical music records.
- We had _____ wine with our meal, but not very much.

- Have we got _____ eggs left?
- How _____ money did you spend on holiday?
- I didn't enjoy the party on Saturday very _____. There were far too _____ people there, and there wasn't _____ food or drink, so everybody was hungry and thirsty.