



**1. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use only one word for each blank. Don't use contracted forms.**

1. "Let's meet for lunch," Ann said.  
= Ann suggested \_\_\_\_\_ for lunch.  
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2. "I've already typed the letters," the secretary said.  
= The secretary said that she \_\_\_\_\_ the letters.
3. "Be quiet!" the teacher said to the students.  
= The teacher ordered the students \_\_\_\_\_ quiet.
4. "Why do you want to leave so early?" David asked Mary.  
= David asked Mary \_\_\_\_\_ to leave so early.
5. "Yes, I lied to Sophie," he said.  
= He admitted \_\_\_\_\_ to Sophie.  
= He admitted \_\_\_\_\_ to Sophie.
6. "I'll help you with your project!" she said.  
= She promised \_\_\_\_\_ with my project.
7. "Don't forget to water the plants," she said to Alex.  
= She reminded \_\_\_\_\_ the plants.

**2. Choose the best correct verb and fill in the correct words (one word for each blank without contracted forms) to report the sentences.**

1. "I'm the best player on the team," said Jenny.  
= Jenny \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ the best player on the team
2. "Mrs. Swan always gives us a lot of homework," said Tom.  
= Tom \_\_\_\_\_ that Mrs. Swan always \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of homework.
3. "You broke my window," the angry neighbour said to the children.  
= The angry neighbour \_\_\_\_\_ the children \_\_\_\_\_ window.
4. "Don't forget to call Paul," Tamara said to Irakli.  
= Tamara \_\_\_\_\_ Irakli \_\_\_\_\_ Paul.
5. "I won't do it again, honest, Mummy," the little boy said.  
= The little boy \_\_\_\_\_ his mother \_\_\_\_\_ it again.
6. "Don't touch that! The paint is still wet," said the decorator.  
= The decorator \_\_\_\_\_ us \_\_\_\_\_ it.
7. "I'm sorry I offended you" he said.  
= He \_\_\_\_\_ me.
8. "I was late because of an accident on the motorway," he told his boss.  
= He \_\_\_\_\_ to the boss that he \_\_\_\_\_ late because of the accident.