

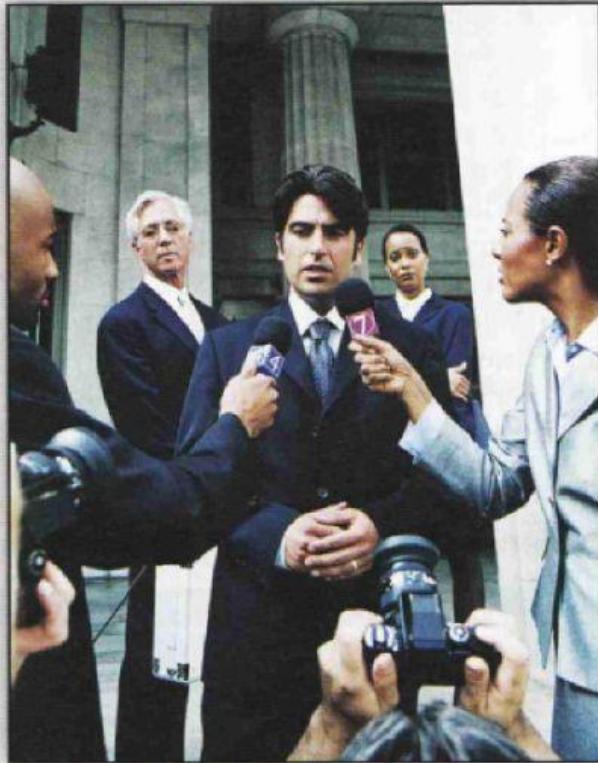
DAY 37: Diagnostic test

1 Read the newspaper article. Look at the **highlighted** grammar examples.

Minister wins case against newspaper

Sports Minister Andrew Morgan won his court case today against *The Globe*.

The newspaper claimed in March this year that Mr Morgan had used taxpayers' money to buy his new luxury apartment in London. Mr Morgan refused to **admit doing** anything illegal and said he would speak to his lawyers **the following day**. Although some of his political colleagues had **advised him not to take** *The Globe* to court, Mr Morgan decided against taking their advice. His lawyers supported his decision and today Judge Simmonds **ordered the newspaper to pay the Minister £250,000**. After the case **we asked Mr Morgan how he felt** about the result, and he told us he was delighted. When asked **what his plans were** now, Mr Morgan said he would be at work the following day as usual.



2 Now read the sentences and choose the correct words in *italics*. The **highlighted** grammar examples will help you.

- 1 My lecturer claimed that I *have / had* copied part of the last essay from someone.
- 2 Sean told me last Monday that he would call me *the following day / tomorrow*, but he didn't call me till the weekend.
- 3 Michelle asked me what *I thought / did I think* about her news.
- 4 The staff want to know what *is your decision / your decision is*.
- 5 The judge ordered *the girl to do / the girl should do* community service.
- 6 My teacher advised me *don't apply / not to apply* for a university course yet.
- 7 Bernie seems very unhappy but he won't tell *me / to me* what's wrong.
- 8 We told the children's parents what they had said, but the children refused to admit *to say / saying* anything wrong.