

PRACTICE

Rewrite the following sentences in reported speech with Gerund

1. "Why don't we organize an English competition for our students?" said Ms Lien.

Ms Lien suggested

2. "I'm sorry I'm late," said Mr Thanh.

Mr Thanh apologized

3. "Me? No, I didn't take Sue's calculator," Said Bob.

Bob denied

4. "You took my pencil," said David to Henry.

David accused

5. "I must see the manager," he cried.

He insisted

6. "If you wanted to take my bike, you should have asked me first," said Mike to his brother.

Mike criticized

7. "You won the scholarship. Congratulation!" Mary told me.

Mary congratulated

8. "It was kind of you to help me with my homework," Lan said to Hoa.

Lan thanked

9. "Turn off the computer. You are not allowed to play game now," Dick's mother said to him.

Dick's mother prevented

10. "I'm sorry that I broke the glass," said Peter.

Peter apologized

11. "Let's invite Mr. Brown to the party next weekend," he said.

He suggested

12. "You stole the jewels," the inspector said to him.

The inspector accused

13. "I only borrowed your car for some hours," the man said.

The man admitted

14. "I'm sorry I damaged your tape recorder, Mike," said Bob.

Bob apologized

15. "It's nice of you to invite me to lunch," Bob said to John.

Bob thanked

16. Carol said, "What about going to the cinema this weekend, Max ?"

Carol suggested

17. "I'm sorry I forgot your birthday," Dave said Julia.

Dave apologized

18. "Why didn't you tell me the truth?" he said to me.

He accused

19. "Don't go near that deserted house," Tony said to Monica.

Tony warned

20. "I'm sorry. I broke the vase," my son said.

My son admitted

21. "You cheated in the exam," the teacher said to Jack.

The teacher accused

22. "Great! You are well-dressed today, Mary," Tommy said.

Tommy complimented

23. "You have just got a promotion, haven't you? Congratulation!" Peter said to her friend.

Peter congratulated

24. "You mustn't get into this area," the policeman said to them.

The policeman stopped

25. "I know I'm wrong," he said.

He admitted

26. "I didn't say that last night," Joan said.

Joan denied

27. "If only I had told him the true!" Jane said.

Jane regrets

28. "I haven't finished the assignment yet. I'm really sorry".

The boy apologized

29. "It's you who took my bag," the man said to the boy.

The man accused

30. "No, no .I really must sit for the test," Hilary said.

Hilary insisted

31. "What I always want is to become a doctor," she said.

She dreamt

32. "I can't let you use the mobile phone," his mother said to him.

His mother prevented

33. "I like this car. I'll buy it," Christina said.

Christina thought

34. "I feel like going to America next month," Margaret said.

Margaret looked forward to

35. "It was your fault. You didn't tell me," she told me

She blamed

36. "I don't think that we must widen the village road", he said

He objected

37. "You are so selfish to behave like this," my mother said to him.

My mother criticized

38. "I wish to speak English very fluently," said Stella.

Stella dreamt

39. "I must go home now," said Daisy

Daisy insisted

40. "Sorry teacher, I didn't do the homework," Philip said to his teacher.

Philip apologized to

41. "You didn't pay attention to what I said," the teacher said to him

The teacher accused

42. "I hear you passed your exams. Congratulations!" Mark said to us.

Mark congratulated

43. "It was nice of you to visit me. Thank you," Miss White said to Jack.

Miss White thanked

44. "I've always wanted to be rich" Bob said.

Bob dreamed

45. "Why don't we go to the beach tonight for a change?" said Henry.

Henry suggested

46. "You failed to save my husband's life," she said to the doctors.

She blamed

47. "Let me pay for the meal," said Ben.

Ben insisted

48. "Yes. I've spent too much money doing the shopping," she said.

She admitted

49. "Well done, Tom. You won the game," said the teacher.

The teacher congratulated

50. "Beware of this bad road! It's very dangerous to drive on it!" He said to us.

He warned