

GRAMMAR MINI QUIZ 19

REPORTED SPEECH PART 1

A. Circle the correct words

1. Steven explained **that** / **to** Brenda was ill and wouldn't be coming to school.
2. Chloe said that she was getting a new assistant the **next** / **following** week.
3. The doctor warned Harry that he **will** / **would** have back problems if he didn't lose weight.
4. Donald said that he **had gone** / **has gone** to Aruba on holiday a long time ago.
5. Terry admitted **to have eaten** / **eating** the last piece of the cake.

B. Rewrite the following sentences in Reported Speech

1. 'I borrowed your jacket without asking,' said Sally.
Sally admitted _____.
2. 'I hope you don't forget to get some batteries on your way home,' Tom said to me.
Tom reminded _____.
3. 'Yes, I'll help you redecorate your living room,' said Jackie.
Jackie agreed _____.
4. 'You shouldn't talk to strangers,' Granny said to the children.
Granny advised _____.
5. 'My back has been hurting a lot today,' Joe said to Frank.
Joe complained _____.
6. 'Terry may return from his trip tomorrow,' said Claire.
Claire said _____.
7. 'I can show you around campus,' said Kevin to the new student.
Kevin told _____.
8. 'We are definitely going to visit the Louvre when we go to Paris,' the Smiths said to us.
The Smiths informed _____.