

Unit 10 Extension Grammar

1 Rewrite the sentences in reported speech.

1. Dad said, 'I'll give you 50€ for trainers.'
Dad said he would give me 50€ for trainers.
2. Mum said, 'I am very tired tonight.'
3. Paul told me, 'I am looking my dog.'
4. Maurice told her, 'I have never tried sushi.'
5. Al said, 'I've been trying to call you for hours.'
6. They said, 'We'll be back here in half an hour.'

2 Rewrite the questions in reported speech.

1. He asked me, 'Do you like grapes?'
He asked me if I liked grapes.
2. She asked us, 'What language are you speaking?'
3. Dad asked me, 'Will you help me?'
4. He asked me, 'What time do you have class?'
5. I asked him, 'Have you seen the new car yet?'
6. He asked me, 'How often do you eat sweets?'

3 Rewrite the statements in direct speech.

1. He told me he would cook dinner.
He told me, 'I'll cook dinner.'
2. I asked them if it was cold outside.
3. He told us that the concert would finish late.
4. Dad asked what time we had got home the night before.
5. She said she had been running all morning.
6. He told the teacher that he was late because of traffic.

4 Match the sentence halves.

1. He said	c
2. I asked her	—
3. She told me I	—
4. They asked us where	—
5. Diane said she	—
6. John said his	—

- a. their hotel was.
- b. if she needed any help.
- c. *dinner was ready.*
- d. hadn't read the assignment
- e. couldn't ride my bike there.
- f. sister hadn't been home at the time.

5 Complete the sentences with a reporting verb.

1. He warned me not to go into the basement.
2. She _____ me that our homework was due the next day.
3. They _____ me of cheating!
4. They _____ breaking the window.
5. We _____ for arriving so late.
6. She _____ having seen anyone enter the bank.
7. The coach _____ us to run faster.

6 Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets. Use between two and five words.

1. He said that he would lend me a pencil. (will)
He said, 'I will lend you a pencil.'
2. She said, 'I'm sorry I left early.' (apologised)
She _____ early.
3. He said he hadn't eaten the cake. (claimed)
He _____ eaten the cake.
4. 'I did it!', he said. (admitted)
He _____ it.
5. They warned me not to drink the water. (not)
They said, '_____ water.'
6. 'Will you be there tonight?', she asked him. (he)
She asked him _____ that night.

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