

**Indirect Questions.**  
**Watch the video.**

| Direct Questions                                      | Indirect Questions                                 |
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| What time <b>is</b> the meeting?                      | <b>Could you tell me</b> what time the meeting is. |
| Where <b>does</b> your wife work?                     | <b>I was wondering where</b> your wife works?      |
| <b>Are</b> they at the office?                        | <b>Do you know</b> if they are the office?         |
| <b>Did</b> she reply to your email?                   | <b>I wonder</b> if she replied to you email.       |
| <b>Can</b> you give me a lift to the nearest station? | <b>Do you think</b> you could give me a lift?      |
| <b>Can</b> you do me a favour?                        | <b>I was hoping</b> you could you do me a favour.  |

**Practice 1. Transform the following direct questions into indirect**

1. Where is the gym?  
Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Does the bus to the city centre stop here?  
Do you know \_\_\_\_\_.
3. What was your previous job? Why did you quit?  
Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Why did they decide to postpone the meeting?  
I was wondering \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Can you start next week?  
Please let us know \_\_\_\_\_.
6. How did you manage to encourage them to cooperate?  
Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_.
7. What's the wi-fi password?  
Do you know \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Can I propose amendments to the agreement?  
I was hoping \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Why were they reluctant to sign the contract?  
I'd like to know \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Did she notify our clients of a price change?  
Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_.
11. What did the manager tell you?  
I was wondering \_\_\_\_\_.