

UNIT 8: ON THE PHONE
GRAMMAR: REPORTED SPEECH

NAME: _____

1. Direct: "I am going to the party."
Reported: He said that he _____ to the party.
A) will go
B) was going
C) is going
D) has gone

2. Direct: "She loves chocolate."
Reported: He said that she _____ chocolate.
A) is loving
B) loved
C) loves
D) has loved

3. Direct: "They are playing soccer."
Reported: She said that they _____ soccer.
A) were playing
B) played
C) are playing
D) play

4. Direct: "I have finished my homework."
Reported: He said that he _____ his homework.
A) has finished
B) finished
C) had finished
D) finishes

5. Direct: "I saw her yesterday."
Reported: He said that he _____ her the day before.
A) sees
B) had seen
C) saw
D) was seeing

6. Direct: "Are you coming to dinner?"
Reported: She asked if I _____ to dinner.
A) was coming
B) am coming
C) will come
D) come

7. Direct: "Please help me."

Reported: He asked me _____ him.

- A) helping
- B) to help
- C) helped
- D) help

8. Direct: "I will travel to Europe."

Reported: She said that she _____ to Europe.

- A) will travel
- B) would travel
- C) travels
- D) is traveling

9. Direct: "You can join us."

Reported: He said that I _____ join them.

- A) can
- B) could
- C) may
- D) will

10. Direct: "I am studying now."

Reported: He said that he _____ studying then.

- A) is
- B) was
- C) had been
- D) studies

11. Direct: "We are going to the cinema."

Reported: They said that they _____ to the cinema.

- A) went
- B) are going
- C) were going
- D) have gone

12. Direct: "I will finish the project tomorrow."

Reported: He said that he _____ the project the next day.

- A) finished
- B) would finish
- C) will finish
- D) finishes

13. Direct: "What are you doing?"

Reported: She asked what I _____ doing.

- A) is
- B) was
- C) am
- D) were

14. Direct: "I need help."

Reported: He said that he _____ help.

- A) needed
- B) needs
- C) is needing
- D) has needed

15. Direct: "I have not seen the movie."

Reported: She said that she _____ seen the movie.

- A) did not
- B) has not
- C) had not
- D) was not

16. Direct: "He is working hard."

Reported: They said that he _____ hard.

- A) worked
- B) is working
- C) was working
- D) has worked

17. Direct: "You will join us later."

Reported: He said that I _____ join them later.

- A) can
- B) will
- C) would
- D) could

18. Direct: "I wrote a letter."

Reported: She said that she _____ a letter.

- A) wrote
- B) has written
- C) had written
- D) was writing

19. Direct: "I am not hungry."

Reported: He said that he _____ hungry.

- A) is not
- B) was not
- C) has not been
- D) had not been

20. Direct: "Do you want to go?"

Reported: She asked if I _____ to go.

- A) wanted
- B) want
- C) will want
- D) would want

21. Direct: "I will help you."

Reported: He said that he _____ help me.

- A) will
- B) would
- C) can
- D) could

22. Direct: "What time is it?"

Reported: She asked what time it _____.

- A) is
- B) was
- C) will be
- D) be

23. Direct: "I am learning Spanish."

Reported: He said that he _____ Spanish.

- A) learned
- B) is learning
- C) was learning
- D) has learned

24. Direct: "I saw him last week."

Reported: She said that she _____ him the week before.

- A) has seen
- B) saw
- C) had seen
- D) sees

25. Direct: "You should try this."

Reported: He said that I _____ try that.

- A) should have
- B) ought to
- C) should
- D) must

26. Direct: "I will call you tomorrow."

Reported: She said that she _____ me the next day.

- A) called
- B) will call
- C) would call
- D) calls

27. Direct: "He doesn't like coffee."

Reported: They said that he _____ coffee.

- A) didn't like
- B) doesn't like
- C) didn't
- D) liked

28. Direct: "Are they coming tonight?"

Reported: He asked if they _____ that night.

- A) will come
- B) are coming
- C) were coming
- D) came

29. Direct: "I am very busy now."

Reported: She said that she _____ very busy then.

- A) had been
- B) was
- C) is
- D) would be

30. Direct: "Help me with this!"

Reported: He asked me _____ with that.

- A) to help
- B) helping
- C) helped
- D) help

31. Direct: "I have already eaten."

Reported: She said that she _____ already eaten.

- A) has
- B) was
- C) had
- D) is

32. Direct: "Will you come to the meeting?"

Reported: He asked if I _____ to the meeting.

- A) would come
- B) will come
- C) can come
- D) may come

33. Direct: "I am happy."

Reported: She said that she _____ happy.

- A) had been
- B) was
- C) is
- D) would be

34. Direct: "I cannot find my keys."

Reported: He said that he _____ find his keys.

- A) can't
- B) couldn't
- C) can
- D) hasn't

35. Direct: "We will meet at noon."

Reported: She said that they _____ at noon.

- A) would meet
- B) will meet
- C) met
- D) were meeting