

REPORTED SPEECH

SENTENCE TRANSFORMATIONS

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. Use between 2 and 5 words. Look at the example.

EXAMPLE

A very friendly taxi driver drove us into town.

DRIVEN

We were driven into town by a very friendly taxi driver.

1. "A club has just opened in Leeds," said Maria to Sally.

TOLD

Maria _____ club in Leeds.

2. "I'm not going to move house this year," said Mrs. Durban.

INTENTION

"I have _____ house this year," said Mrs. Durban.

3. Ramesh said, "I'll let you borrow my guitar, if you promise to take care of it."

LONG

Ramesh said I could borrow his guitar _____ to take care of it.

4. "Can my daughter try on this jacket?" Amanda asked the shop assistant.

COULD

Amanda asked the shop assistant _____ on the jacket.

5. "Don't sit in front of the computer for too long," our teacher told us.

WARNED

Our teacher _____ in front of the computer for too long.

6. "What is the width of this cupboard?" Rebecca asked her sister.

WIDE

Rebecca asked her sister _____ was.